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COMMISSIONER DICUS HONORED BY TEXAS WOMAN'S UNIVERSITY

Commissioner Greta Joy Dicus, who has served on the Nuclear Regulatory Commission since 1996 both as a Commissioner and as Chairman, has been named a Distinguished Alumna of Texas Woman's University, her alma mater.

Commissioner Dicus was one of four alumnae so honored in ceremonies at the university in Denton, Texas, on April 19, where she delivered an address at the Honors Convocation.

She was cited, among other accomplishments, for her distinguished service at the NRC where she is now in her second term; for being the second of only three women named to the Main Commission of the International Commission on Radiological Protection; and as a researcher who for 12 years studied radiation health effects at Harvard Medical School, Rice University and the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center.

Commissioner Dicus began her NRC service on February 15, 1996. She served as Chairman from July 1-October 29,1999. Her current term extends until June 30, 2003.

The Commissioner graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree in biological sciences from Texas Woman's University in 1961 and earned a Master of Arts degree from the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School in 1967.

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