

The Nonproliferation Trust Project—A Status Report

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NPT Objectives

- ◆ Raise billions of dollars to:
 - secure fissile material
 - end new commercial nuclear fuel reprocessing
 - build a geologic repository
 - clean severely contaminated site
 - provide alternative jobs for nuclear workers
 - support pensioners and orphans

Goal

- ◆ Raise \$15 billion by storing
10,000 t of foreign
(non-U.S., non-Russian)
spent fuel in Russia

Spent Fuel Transportation and Disposition -- The Norm

- ◆ Countries should manage their own spent fuel and nuclear waste
- ◆ Spent fuel should stay at reactor sites pending the availability of a licensed geologic repository

The Exceptions: Preferred Customer Countries

- ◆ those that lack adequate geological conditions for a repository (e.g., Netherlands, Taiwan, Armenia)
- ◆ those that represent potential proliferation risks (e.g., N. Korea, Iran)
- ◆ those that have small nuclear programs (e.g., Armenia, Mexico, Kazakhstan, Lithuania, Netherlands, Slovenia)

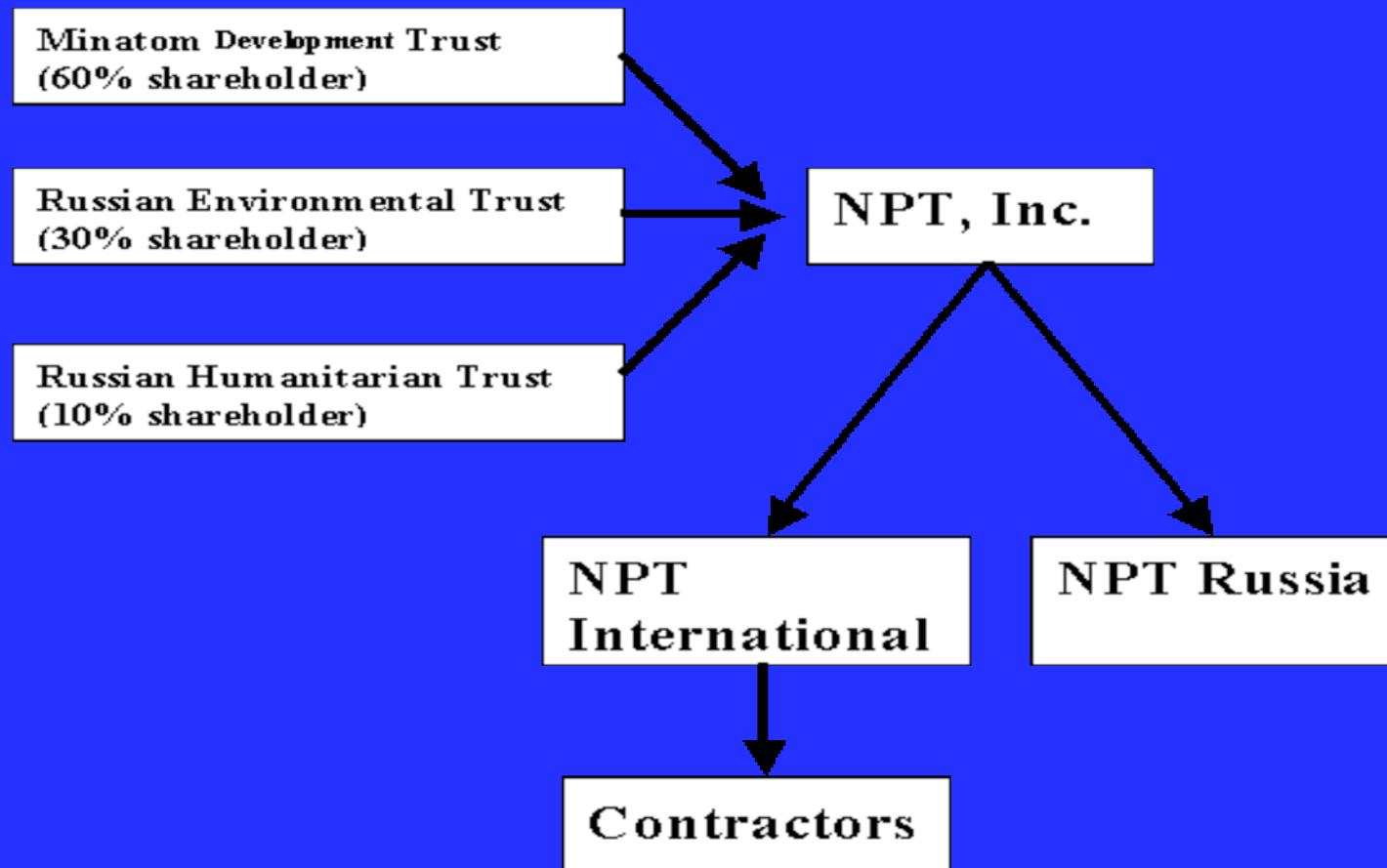
Allocation of Revenues from the NPT Project

| Category | Amount (\$ millions) | Percent of Total |
|---|-------------------------|---------------------|
| Spent Fuel Casks and Land Transport | 2,000 | 13.3 |
| Storage Facility Construction | 300 | 2.0 |
| NPT and Storage Facility Management | 600 | 4.0 |
| Ships and Sea Transport | 300 | 2.0 |
| Contingencies | <u>250</u> | <u>1.7</u> |
| Subtotal (Cost of Spent Fuel Management) | 3,450 | 23.0 |

Allocation of Revenues from the NPT Project (Cont'd)

| Category | Amount (\$ millions) | Percent of Total |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| Environmental Cleanup | 3,000 | 20.0 |
| Fissile Material Security | 1,500 | 10.0 |
| Geologic Repository Qualification | 300 | 2.0 |
| Geologic Repository Construction | 1,500 | 10.0 |
| Spent Fuel Decommissioning Escrow | 500 | 3.3 |
| Jobs in Closed Cities | 2,000 | 13.3 |
| Regional Economic Support | 500 | 3.3 |
| Pensioners | 2,000 | 13.3 |
| Orphans | <u>250</u> | <u>1.7</u> |
| Subtotal (Russian Benefits) | 11,550 | 77.0 |

NPT Organization



Contractors (Letters of Intent)

- ◆ Duke Engineering & Services (division of Duke Energy)
- ◆ Gesellschaft fur Nuklear-Behaelter mbH (GNB), a subsidiary of Gesellschaft fur Nuklear-Services mbH (GNS)
- ◆ Alaska Interstate Construction Co.
- ◆ Halter Marine Inc.
- ◆ Sandia National Laboratories

Other Associated Firms

- ◆ Alliance Group (Moscow)
- ◆ Burson-Marsteller (including Black, Kelly, Scruggs & Healey)
- ◆ LeBoeuf, Lamb, Greene & MacRae
- ◆ KV Partners

Stages in NPT Project Development

- ◆ *Russian State Duma approval of new law on spent fuel imports*
- ◆ NPT capitalization
- ◆ NPT contracts with Spent Fuel Management Contractors
- ◆ NPT-Russian Government Agent Contract
- ◆ Develop Structure and Program for Arms Control, Environmental and Humanitarian Initiatives
- ◆ US-Russian Peaceful Nuclear Cooperation Agreement
- ◆ Contracts with Spent Fuel Customers
- ◆ Site, License and Build Spent Fuel Facility in Russia
- ◆ Secure MB-10 Approval from State Dept. for Spent Fuel Transfer

Views Within U.S. State Department

- ◆ Must have a Peaceful Nuclear Cooperation Agreement
- ◆ Assurance that transfers are for eventual disposal; U.S. will use its consent rights to enforce transfer to a repository
- ◆ Specific plans for, and specific commitment of sufficient resources to, development of a geologic repository
- ◆ Assurance that the material would be handled safely in transit and that the storage and disposition facilities were suitable and environmentally sound
- ◆ Assurance that mechanisms will be in place to properly manage and account for large sums of money
- ◆ Assurance that funds will be available to manage spent fuel for the life of the disposition program.

Other Criteria for Continued Support of the NPT Project

- ◆ Compliance with Foreign Corrupt Practices Act.
- ◆ Moratorium on new commercial nuclear fuel reprocessing contracts.
- ◆ There will be a robust geologic repository program for Russian spent fuel and high-level radioactive waste.
- ◆ Confidence that the environmental benefits from NPT cleanup activities greatly exceed the risks associated with interim spent fuel storage.
- ◆ Confidence that NPT project revenues will be spent for their intended purpose.