



# **NNSA** Overview

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#### Material Management and Minimization (M<sup>3</sup>) Achieving Permanent Threat Reduction by Managing and Minimizing Nuclear Materials





#### <u>Convert</u>

Convert research reactors and isotope production facilities to non-weaponusable nuclear material both domestically and abroad

- Research Reactor Conversion
- Mo-99 Production



#### <u>Remove</u>

Remove or confirm the disposition of excess weapon-useable nuclear material at civilian facilities across the globe and consolidate those materials that remain

- International Nuclear Material Removal
- International Nuclear Material
  Down-blending



#### <u>Dispose</u>

Dispose of and manage excess weaponuseable nuclear material, from both domestic stockpiles and material returned from abroad, and implement the Plutonium Management Disposition Agreement (PMDA) with Russia

- HEU and Plutonium Disposition
- Uranium Supply for Peaceful
  Uses

## National Academy of Sciences Independent Review



- In FY 2017, DOE/NNSA directed by HEWD to commission NAS to conduct an independent review of DOE's conceptual plans to dispose of surplus plutonium in WIPP
- NAS will evaluate the general viability of DOE's plans to support U.S. commitments under the PMDA, identify gaps, and recommend actions to address those gaps.