

August 19, 2002

Mr. Michael M. Corletti
Passive Plant Projects & Development
AP600 & AP1000 Projects
Westinghouse Electric Company
P. O. Box 355
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15230-0355

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR WITHHOLDING INFORMATION FROM PUBLIC DISCLOSURE
FOR AUGUST 20, 2002, MEETING (AW-02-1547)

Dear Mr. Corletti:

By letter dated August 15, 2002, and associated affidavit executed on August 15, 2002, by James W. Winters, you indicated that you hold the information to be discussed during a meeting scheduled for August 20, 2002, to be proprietary. You requested that these discussions be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to Title 10 of the *Code of Federal Regulations*, Section 2.790 (10 CFR 2.790). The purpose of the August 20, 2002, meeting is to discuss Westinghouse's AP600/AP1000 construction plan and scheduling information. The Nuclear Regulatory Commission is meeting with various applicants to discuss their construction scheduling software in order to determine how best to develop its own software for the construction inspection program information management system (CIPIMS). Background regarding the CIPIMS can be found in Attachment 4 of the "Draft Report on the Revised Construction Inspection Program," October 1996 (ADAMS Accession Number ML011690096).

The affidavit stated that the submitted information should be considered exempt from mandatory public disclosure for the following reasons:

- (1) the information reveals the distinguishing aspects of a process (or component, structure, tool, method, etc.) where prevention of its use by any of Westinghouse's competitors without license from Westinghouse constitutes a competitive economic advantage over other companies, and
- (2) use of the information by a competitor would reduce his expenditure of resources or improve his competitive position in the design, manufacture, shipment, installation, assurance of quality, or licensing a similar product, and
- (3) reveals cost or price information, production capacities, budget levels, or commercial strategies of Westinghouse, its customers or suppliers.

We have reviewed your letter and affidavit in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 2.790 and, on the basis of your statements, have determined that the information to be discussed at the August 20, 2002, meeting sought to be withheld contains proprietary commercial information and should be withheld from public disclosure. Therefore, the meeting will be closed to the public.

M. Corletti

- 2 -

A non-proprietary summary of the meeting will be prepared and placed in ADAMS. If you have any questions regarding this matter, I may be reached at 301-415-1132.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Joseph M. Sebrosky, Senior Project Manager
New Reactor Licensing Project Office
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Project No. 689

cc: See next page

M. Corletti

- 2 -

A non-proprietary summary of the meeting will be prepared and placed in ADAMS. If you have any questions regarding this matter, I may be reached at 301-415-1132.

Sincerely,

/RA/

Joseph M. Sebrosky, Senior Project Manager
New Reactor Licensing Project Office
Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

Project No. 689

cc: See next page

Distribution

HARD COPY

NRLPO R/F

J. Sebrosky

M. Gamberoni

E-MAIL

PUBLIC

J. Moore, OGC

M. Siemien, OGC

T. Bergman, EDO

ACCESSION NUMBER: ML022320202

OFFICE	PM:NRLPO	OGC	DD:NRLPO
NAME	JSebrosky	MPSiemen	MGamberoni
DATE	8/16/02	8/19/02	8/19/02

OFFICIAL RECORD COPY

cc: Mr. Ralph Beedle
Senior Vice President
and Chief Nuclear Officer
Suite 400
1776 I Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006-3708

Mr. Charles Brinkman
Westinghouse Electric Co.
Washington Operations
12300 Twinbrook Parkway, Suite 330
Rockville, MD 20852

Mr. David Lochbaum, Nuclear Safety Engineer
Union of Concerned Scientists
1707 H Street, NW, Suite 600
Washington, DC 20006-3919

Dr. Gail Marcus
U.S. Department of Energy
Office of Nuclear Energy, Science & Technology
NE-1, Room 5A-143
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20585

Mr. William D. Magwood, IV
U.S. Department of Energy
Office of Nuclear Energy, Science & Technology
Director of the Watchdog Project
NE-1, Room 5A-143
1000 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, DC 20585

Mr. Paul Gunter
Nuclear Information & Resource Service
1424 16th Street, NW, Suite 404
Washington, DC 20036

Mr. James Riccio
Greenpeace
702 H Street, NW, Suite 300
Washington, DC 20001

Mr. Ron Simard
Nuclear Energy Institute
Suite 400
1776 I Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006-3708

Ms. Wenonah Hauter
Public Citizen
Critical Mass Energy Project
215 Pennsylvania Avenue, SE
Washington, DC 20003

Mr. Doug Walters
Nuclear Energy Institute
Suite 400
1776 I Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006-3708

Mr. Thomas P. Miller
U.S. Department of Energy, NE-20, Rm. A286
Headquarters - Germantown
19901 Germantown Road
Germantown, MD 20874-1290

Mr. Steve Degerdon
Fagan Engineers
113 East Chemung Place
Elmira, NY 14904

Ms. Marilyn Kray
Vice President, Special Projects
Exelon Generation
200 Exelon Way, KSA3-E
Kennett Square, PA 19348

Mr. Edward F. Sproat, III
Vice President-Int'l Projects
Exelon Generation
200 Exelon Way
Kennett Square, PA 19348

Mr. Laurence Parme
General Atomics
2237 Trinity Drive
Los Alamos, NM 87544

Mr. James F. Mallay, Director
Regulatory Affairs
FRAMATOME, ANP
3315 Old Forest Road
Lynchburg, VA 24501

Mr. Edward L. Quinn
MDM Services Corporations
Utility Operations Division
28202 Cabot Road, Suite 205
Laguna Nigual, CA 92677

Mr. Michael Corletti
Advanced Plant Safety & Licensing
Westinghouse Electric Company
P.O. Box 355
Pittsburgh, PA 15230-0355

Mr. H. A. Sepp
Westinghouse Electric Company
P.O. Box 355
Pittsburgh, PA 15230

Lynn Connor
Doc-Search Associates
2211 sw 1ST Ave - #1502
Portland, OR 97201

Barton Z. Cowan, Esq.
Eckert Seamans Cherin & Mellott, LLC
600 Grant Street 44th Floor
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

Mr. Ed Rodwell, Manager
PWR Design Certification
Electric Power Research Institute
3412 Hillview Avenue
Palo Alto, CA 94304-1395

Mr. D. W. Coleman (Mail Drop PE20)
Manager, Regulatory Affairs
Energy Northwest
P.O. Box 968
Richland WA 99352-0968

Mr. Edwin Lyman
Nuclear Control Institute
1000 Connecticut Avenue, NW
Suite 410
Washington, DC 20036

David A. Repka, Esq.
Winston & Strawn
1400 L St., NW
Washington, DC 20005

Mr. W. Edward Cummins
Advanced Plant Safety & Licensing
Westinghouse Electric Company
P.O. Box 355
Pittsburgh, PA 15230-0355

Mr. Steven A. Hucik, General Manager
Nuclear Plant Projects
GE Nuclear Energy
175 Curtner Avenue, M/C 780
San Jose, CA 95125-1088

Dr. Regis A. Matzie
Senior Vice President of Nuclear Systems
Westinghouse Electric Company
P.O. Box 500
2000 Day Hill Road
Windsor, CT 06095-0500

Mr. Jack W. Roe
SCIENTECH, INC.
910 Clopper Road
Gaithersburg, MD 20878

Mr. Russell Bell
Nuclear Energy Institute
Suite 400
1776 I Street, NW
Washington, DC 20006-3708

Mr. John Schlecht
Institute of Iron Working Industry
Suite 400
1750 New York Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20006

Rod M. Krich, Vice President
Licensing Projects
Exelon Nuclear
4300 Winifield Road, 2nd Floor
Warrenville, IL 60555

Mr. Stephen P. Frantz
Morgan, Lewis, & Bockius, LLP
1111 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20004

Mr. David Ritter
Research Associate on Nuclear Energy
Public Citizens Critical Mass Energy
and Environmental Program
215 Pennsylvania Avenue, SE
Washington, DC 20003

Mr. Ernie H. Kennedy
Vice President New Plants
Nuclear Plant Projects
Westinghouse Electric Company
2000 Day Hill Road
Windsor, CT 06095-0500

Mr. Tom Clements
6703 Gude Avenue
Takoma Park, MD 20912

Mr. James Blyth
Canadian Nuclear Safety Commission
280 Slater Street, Station B
P.O. Box 1046
Ottawa, Ontario
K1P 5S9

Mr. Horace R. Hall, Commercial Manager
Nuclear Business Team
UCAR Carbon Company, Inc.
P.O. Box 2170
Clarksburg, West Virginia 26302-2170

Hugh Jackson, Policy Analyst
Public Citizen's Critical Mass Energy
and Environment Program
1724 Duarte Drive
Henderson, NV 89014

Patricia Campbell
Winston & Strawn
1400 L Street, NW
Washington, DC 20005

Mr. Vince Langman
Licensing Manager
AECL Technologies Inc.
901 15th Street, NW., Suite 440
Washington, DC 20005-2301

Mr. Victor G. Snell
Director of Safety and Licensing
Atomic Energy of Canada Limited
2251 Speakman Drive
Mississauga, Ontario
Canada L5K 1B2

Mr. Glenn R. George
PA Consulting Group
Chrysler Building, 34th Floor
405 Lexington Avenue
New York, NY 10174