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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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**Subject: Docket Nos. 50-89 and 50-163; License Nos. R-38 and R-67, Respectively:
Third Revision to General Atomics' Plan for Complying with Compensatory
Measures for Confirmatory Action Letter Process**

Reference: 1) Asmussen, Keith E., Letter No. 38/67-3637 to U.S. NRC / ATT: Mr. Marvin Mendonca, dated August 19, 2003.

2) Beckner, William D., letter dated January 23, 2003, "SITE-SPECIFIC COMPENSATORY MEASURES FOR PHYSICAL SECURITY IN THE CURRENT THREAT ENVIRONMENT AT RESEARCH AND TEST REACTORS LICENSED TO OPERATE AT POWER LEVELS LESS THAN 2.0 MEGAWATTS"

3) Asmussen, Keith E., Letter No. 38/67-3656 to U.S. NRC / ATT: Mr. Marvin Mendonca, dated September 26, 2003.

4) Asmussen, Keith E., Letter No. 38/67-3676 to U.S. NRC / ATT: Mr. Marvin Mendonca, dated December 18, 2003.

Dear Mr. Mendonca:

By letter dated August 19, 2003 (Ref. 1), General Atomics (GA) submitted its site-specific plan for complying with the Compensatory Measures (CMs) provided in Enclosure 2 of the Commission's letter dated January 23, 2003 (Ref. 2). Subsequently, GA was asked to provide additional response in its plan regarding the compensatory measures related to identity, nationality, immigration status, and character and reputation. Consequently, GA revised its plan based upon given NRC guidance and submitted the revised plan dated September 26, 2003 (Ref. 3).

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Later, at NRC's request, GA revised the language of three paragraphs of the plan (by deleting the words "best effort") and re-issued the plan dated December 10, 2003 (Ref. 4).

Most recently, GA was again requested to revise its plan regarding the compensatory measures related to identity, nationality, immigration status, and character and reputation. More precisely, GA was asked to incorporate specific NRC-accepted language regarding how GA will verify identity, nationality, immigration status, and character and reputation. GA has revised its plan accordingly.

Enclosed, please find GA's recently revised plan. This plan, originally dated August 19, 2003 and marked REVISED September 26, 2003 and REVISED December 10, 2003, is now also marked "REVISED July 9, 2004."

If you should have any questions regarding the enclosed revised plan, or require additional information, please don't hesitate to contact me at (858) 455-2823, or at keith.asmussen@gat.com.

Very truly yours,



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Enclosure: General Atomics' Plan for Complying with Compensatory Measures for Confirmatory Action Letter Process at GA's TRIGA (< 2.0 Mw) Research Reactor Facility, originally dated August 2003 and marked Revised September 26, 2003, REVISED December 10, 2003, and REVISED July 9, 2004.

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