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Given that the DBT should continue to be based on an assessment of the best available intelligence information, the NRC will maintain its collaboration with the Intelligence and law enforcement communities, including DHS, regarding its assessment of the threat environment as part of the DBT development process. In addition, recognizing that the DBT characteristics form the basis for the design of the protective strategies for commercial nuclear power plants and Category I fuel cycle facilities, in developing proposed changes to the DBT the NRC will continue to seek the views of the plant owner/operators and Sector Security Partners regarding the impacts of the proposed changes. DHS will review the proposed changes for consistency with the National Infrastructure Protection Plan approach to risk management and provide feedback to the NRC. The NRC Commission will consider all of these inputs as part of its decision-making process.

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