NRC Briefed PA
before the Public Meeting

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Hearing

Sen. Lisa Baker
Sen. Robert Tomlinson
Sen. Lisa Boscola
Sen. Robert Robbins
Sen. Andrew Dinniman
Sen. Mike Waugh
Focus on nuclear safety & security.

Media (1 camera)
? ≅ ~~[illegible]~~ 35-40 in audience (utility, state) mainly

Tomlinson
? How long are guards on duty
12h shift in this location

? When you speak of attentive activities
what would those be?

? Where is the room
middle of the plant

? You have on-shift inspectors?
schedules?

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Flex schedules for

special activities

Generic communications

= industry notification.

Baker.

? Marin allegation? Was that report evaluated and how?

Allegation process - panel of specialists in the area (security). Referred to licensee for more info. That involved interventions in another location

? Policy changes related to this incident?

generic communications (security advisory)

? How does a security breach impact license renewal process?

day-to-day activity - Lic. Renewal focus on passive systems.

? Do you have an opinion on whether security @ PB should be in-house or contract

We will be evaluating transition the utility determines how to do this

Corrective Action was to rotate the folks now

We agree plant protected
but
expect that all security force members remain alert.

Still not in accordance w/ regulations.

Sen Robbins

? What is the job of the guards in the ready room?

Many locations at site with officers
These respond to security events.
? How would these indv. be notified of an event?
Radio

? Are these folks rotated during the shift?

Located in ready room for shift

? Is there another way to inform them of an event.
Appears to me to not put the plant at risk. May be able to respond better if rested.
Question the requirement to hold people awake 12 hours

→ confirm that these folks are assigned to the Ready Room for full shift.

? Asking that Chairs take a look at the rotations and the requirements in each lx

Operators

1980s

Respond to Chars. via letter

Sen Boscola.

? Looking at bigger picture Thinking of rad waste security.

? How much waste is generated (Hi Level) in PA

? How does this compare to other States

Sen. Dinniman

? This is not the first time this has occurred. at PB. What C/As were implemented at that time and why did they fail?

Lic. operators in 1980s. 20 yr. ago, but should not be forgotten

our review is continuing to determine app. reg. response RCA, letter response (30d). Add'l inspn

Root Cause

? If this has occured in the past what failed?
What can we learn from the first time
IS this due to gds being part of contract force

We agree with your point & will

Sen Baker

? Can you address Spent fuel storage either now or in future?
Concern w/ Salem / Hope Creek

Sen Tomlinson

? As a security concern. is this not one of the targets

Yes - part of security strategy.

Force-on Force

3 years

Tomlinson

- ? other scenario would be someone trying to take over

- FOF drills.

? Coordinate w LLEA, PEMA?

yes.

Sen Robbins

? I would assume that in security incidents you don't just have a bugger
did you do tests or look at
Studies/plans that they practiced emergency
scenarios for response time?
Did any fall out of compliance?

- We have begun to look at this
- response times - Each person in
RR has response location & expected
time.

Exelon - Master -
described FOF, general multiple-layers
of physical protection, redundant safety sys.

Fired workforce @ PB evaluating for other
sites, Greater regional oversight.

Exelon's role in future of PA electricity.
License renewal
Clinton ESP
Texas new gen

FENOC - Hagan
brought security mgrs
space to build for new gen. in PA
nuke = no greenhouse
no current plans to build - but invest
in current plants / infrastructure
=> increased capacity

by 2011 add 78MW (PU).

PPL - Bryce Shriver

- Importance of nuclear energy in PA
- commitment to safety / security / EP
- Role of fed / state oversight.

EPU.
LRA.
Increased security force / measures
New R[illegible] not yet decided, based on need for stable reg process.

Questions:
Tomlinson -
renewable = 2 % nuke = 35%.
? Exelon - what have you done now that security is in house.
Transition not completed. Looking @ security supvs - disappointed they did not act on info. Continuing FOF & OT evaluation

? Do you test response times?
Yes
? Not just Pass/Fail, also looking for improvements?

Baker

? Mentioned how much $ spent on security
focus on personnel, tech enhancements,
Reverse 911 ?

Hagan - Combination of soph. detection devices,
structures to delay attackers.

Shriver - same - physical structure deterrants,
technology ~~[illegible]~~, communications
systems

? Are your employees in-house
yes

To Exelon - would you like to address in-house fm

Meister evaluates what @ other stations, decision
by end of year.

? Describe relationship w/ local fire / police?
Meister - EP personnel whose job is to coordinate
w/ LLEA

? How much do you spend on LLEA training how do
they communicate needs to you
To us or through DHS

Hagan - similar set up - comm affairs
Shriver - SP on site - LLEA on site
community day for them

? by Sen Robbins to Exelon
have you considered changing 12-h shift?

- have made adj. to post rotation schedules to have gds do diff fxns through shift

Boscola
Nuclear is having a revival - want to educate public & other members of gen Assy. - can't see better way to go. Looking at investment incentives in legislation
Would this be helpful?
Are barriers to new nuke more political or tech?

NO

Shriver - your leg would be important. Tech is not a barrier. proven in world & US
regulatory & political issues 1970s - construction delayed by multiple reviewers

? How does your opinion on rate caps jibe w/ Dominion's comments that they want re-regulation

- Talk more offline on caps

Important in regulated environment to determine policy on & plan for new rules

Need plan for cost recovery during construction & not just after

Believe de-regulated market has worked very well in PA

Dinnman

? meister - why did you decide to outsource to Wackenhutt in first place?

- decision was based on expertise of private company in security - our focused on ops/ maintn but now think standards for secty should be same as for ops

? As Chester Ct Cnr, had PECO help cty on EP did great then