

EDO Principal Correspondence Control

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EDO CONTROL: G20080363  
DOC DT: 05/12/08  
FINAL REPLY:

Thomas Gurdziel  
Oswego, New York

TO:

Borchardt, EDO

FOR SIGNATURE OF :

\*\* GRN \*\*

CRC NO:

Leeds, NRR

DESC:

ROUTING:

Entergy/Indian Point (EDATS: OEDO-2008-0411)

Borchardt  
Virgilio  
Mallett  
Ash  
Ordaz  
Cyr/Burns  
Collins, RI  
Adams, OEDO

DATE: 05/23/08

ASSIGNED TO:

CONTACT:

NRR

Leeds

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS OR REMARKS:

Template: EDO-001

E-RIDS: EDO-01

# EDATS

Electronic Document and Action Tracking System

**EDATS Number:** OEDO-2008-0411

**Source:** OEDO

## General Information

**Assigned To:** NRR

**OEDO Due Date:** 6/12/2008 5:00 PM

**Other Assignees:**

**SECY Due Date:** NONE

**Subject:** Entergy/Indian Point

**Description:**

**CC Routing:** Region I

**ADAMS Accession Numbers - Incoming:** NONE

**Response/Package:** NONE

## Other Information

**Cross Reference Number:** G20080363

**Staff Initiated:** NO

**Related Task:**

**Recurring Item:** NO

**File Routing:** EDATS

**Agency Lesson Learned:** NO

**Roadmap Item:** NO

## Process Information

**Action Type:** Letter

**Priority:** Medium

**Signature Level:** NRR

**Sensitivity:** None

**Urgency:** NO

**OEDO Concurrence:** NO

**OCM Concurrence:** NO

**OCA Concurrence:** NO

**Special Instructions:**

## Document Information

**Originator Name:** Thomas Gurdziel

**Date of Incoming:** 5/12/2008

**Originating Organization:** Citizens

**Document Received by OEDO Date:** 5/22/2008

**Addressee:** R. William Borchardt, EDO

**Date Response Requested by Originator:** NONE

**Incoming Task Received:** Letter

9 Twin Orchard Drive  
Oswego, NY 13126  
May 12, 2008

Mr. R. William Borchardt  
Executive Director for Operations  
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, DC 20555-0001

Dear Mr. R. William Borchardt:

Loss Prevention, or Hedging a Bet

I thought I would take the time now to point out some steps that may make your life a little easier in the future. Your agency is not getting along too well with one of our Senators. As you know, she is running for President. If she does become President, taking these steps, starting now, may be beneficial.

Step 1 The required-by-law backup power emergency sirens at Entergy/Indian Point are still not accepted as operable. Very substantial immediate enforcement type action is needed here.

Step 2 The unloading of the Entergy/Indian Point Unit 1 spent fuel pool has not begun but the contaminated water leakage into the ground continues. Take action here.

Step 3 The report of the contaminated groundwater at the Entergy/Indian Point site has been completed. (I read it and the work reported appeared quite thorough.) There are two recommendations: leave the contaminated groundwater in place using a terminology of "Monitored Natural Attenuation" (which, I think, means decay in place), and stop the source of the contaminated water. I have not seen any document in ADAMS that states that all Entergy ownership organizations agree to follow the recommendations. Find out why not.

Step 4 More generally, consider as a part of relicensing, plant owner decisions and results attained. Specifically, if Entergy Corporation and 7 lower tier ownership organizations cannot complete a \$15 million project one year AFTER the required date, should you really allow them 20 more years? (The 7 are: Entergy Nuclear Holding Company, EN Holding Co #3 LLC, EN Inv. Co. LLC, Entergy International Holdings LTD, Entergy Global LLC, Entergy Nuclear Holding Company #1, and EN New York Inv. Co). Oh, don't forget 2 more: EN Indian Point 2 LLC and EN Indian Point 3 LLC. And, probably there are even more for Unit 1.

Step 5 Make clear to all US NRC employees that your primary mission is to ensure the safe power operation (or safe cold shutdown) of the existing plants, NOT promote high capacity factors or nuclear industry growth.

Your staff may notice that this letter, dated March 13, 2008, was sent already. I am sending it again since it has not been answered. This way, it will not get lost in the upper management turnover. Please note that, with the possible exception of Step 3, these points are still valid two months later.

Thank you,  
  
Thomas Gurdziel

MESSENGER/COURIER RECEIPT

5-22-08

TO:  
William Borchardt, Exe. Director

OFFICE  
EDO

BUILDING  
OWFN

ROOM NUMBER  
1741  
16E15(M/S)

FROM:  
Thomas Gurdziel

OFFICE  
ADM

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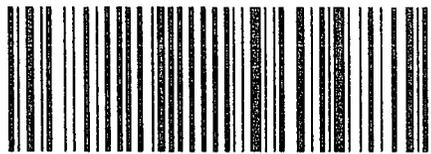
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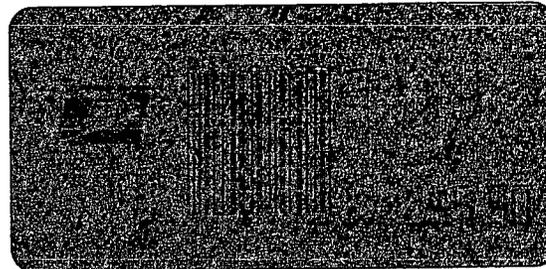


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**RETURN RECEIPT  
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