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Sincerely,

Original Signed By:

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MEMORANDUM FOR: R. R. Keimig, Chief, Safeguards Section *CS-51-88*

THRU: W. L. Kushner, Safeguards Scientist *WLL 3-31-88*

FROM: A. Della Ratta, Safeguards Auditor *BK A 3-31-88*

Subject: SAFEGUARDS REVIEW REPORT - REVISION TO THE
CINTICHEM PHYSICAL SECURITY PLAN

Background

Cintichem, Inc.'s letter of November 9, 1987 transmitted a revision to the Cintichem Physical Security Plan. The revision was in response to concerns identified during a Region I inspection during September, 1987 (Reference Combined Inspection Report Nos. 50-54/87-05; 70-687/87-06). This revision was reviewed for acceptability under the provisions of 10 CFR 50.54(p) and 10 CFR 70.32(e). As a result, it was concluded that further clarification was required. The licensee was so advised during telephone conversations, and the licensee agreed that the plan revision would be resubmitted and that it would include the requested clarification. Accordingly, on February 17, 1988, the licensee resubmitted the revision.

Changes and Evaluations

All changes were reviewed and are considered acceptable as follows:

Section 3.2 - All visitors authorized access to the controlled access area are assigned a visitor's badge and are under escort at all times. Since this procedure is being implemented, the conflicting statement that "uniquely numbered" visitor badges may be assigned at the discretion of the area security officer was deleted. That system has never been used. Editorial changes were also made in this section.

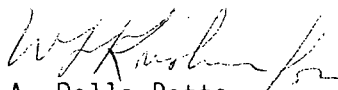
Sections 3.3 and 3.4 - These sections were changed to state that normal access doors will be equipped with card readers. Also, Section 3.3 contains a title change (from Nuclear Facility Services Engineer to Hot Lab Operations Supervisor) for individuals issued the combination to the fuel storage room.

Section 3.6 - The section was clarified to include a commitment to search vehicles that enter the controlled access area and to state the basis for searching product packages that are shipped.

Section 4.2 - The responsibilities of the Site Security Officer were transferred from the Manger - Site Operations to the Supervisor Site Operations since the position of Manager - Site Operations has been eliminated.

Figure 4-1 - The Organization Chart was revised to reflect the elimination of the position of Manager -Site Operations.

The changes will not have any adverse impact on other safeguards or health and safety subsystems.


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