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Mr. David M. Webster, Manager
Massachusetts State Program Office
U. S. Environmental Protection Agency
New England Region
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Subject: Distribution of Pilgrim Nuclear Power Station Supplemental
§316 Demonstration

Dear Mr. Webster:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation of April 10, 2000 and 40 C.F.R. Section 2.203, Entergy Nuclear Generation Company (ENGC) has provided EPA, New England Region (EPA), with copies of redacted Section 316 Demonstration for Pilgrim Station. The redacted Section 316 Demonstration has been provided to facilitate EPA's preservation of company confidential, trade secret or proprietary information in the Demonstration. Non-redacted copies were provided for internal EPA purposes.

EPA has requested that it be allowed to circulate the non-redacted version to certain state agencies (identified below) for purposes of the ongoing review of Pilgrim's Section 316 Demonstration. ENGC hereby grants EPA permission to distribute non-redacted copies of the Section 316 Demonstration to the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) and the Division of Marine Fisheries (DMF) for this purpose. ENGC also understands that EPA may identify other official Massachusetts agencies or entities that EPA has concluded should receive non-redacted versions of the Section 316 Demonstration.

ENGC agrees to EPA's request, subject to assurances by EPA that it will appropriately inform any such agencies or entities of their legal obligations under 40 C.F.R. Section 2.203, and also expressly request that any such agency or entity safeguard as confidential the Section 316 document, including by retaining the document inside the agency or entity. Nothing herein shall be construed as a waiver of ENGC's rights under 40 C.F.R. Section 2.203.

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Thank you for your continued consideration of ENGC's confidentiality request.

Sincerely,



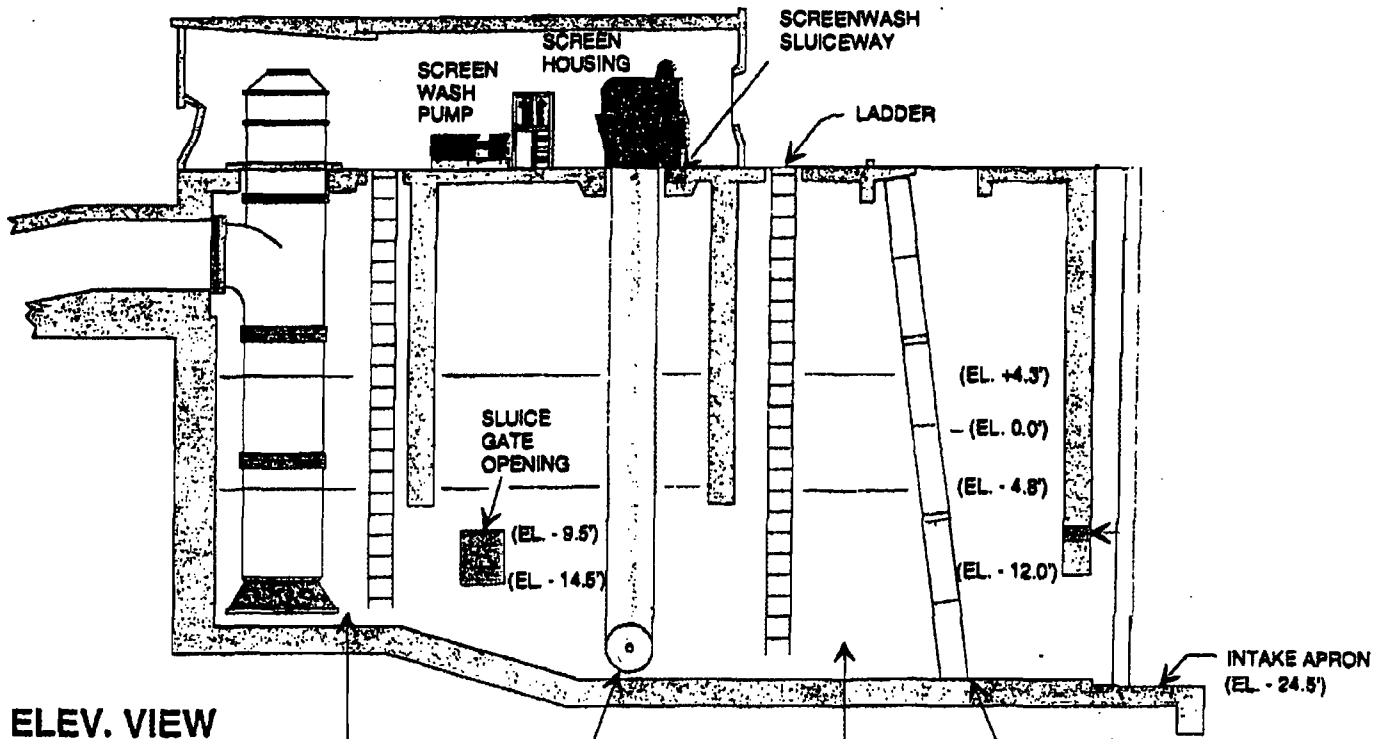
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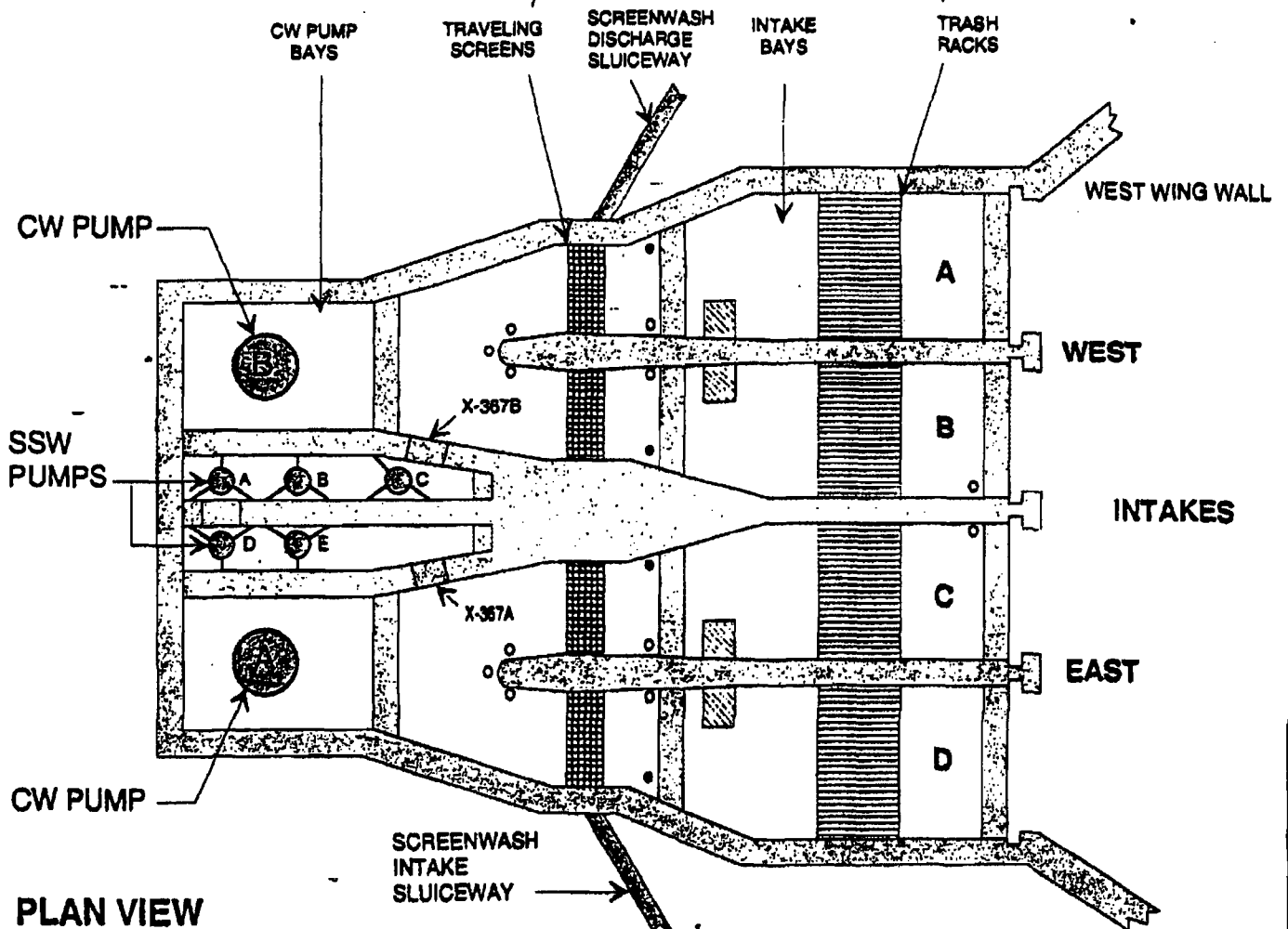
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PILGRIM STATION'S INTAKE STRUCTURE
 Uses seawater from Cape Cod Bay (CW pp.- 155,500 / SSW pp.- 2500 GPM)

SCREENHOUSE



ELEV. VIEW



PLAN VIEW