

August 05, 1998

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SUBJECT: TURKEY POINT UNITS 3 AND 4 - IMPACT OF THE CONVERSION OF THE  
HOMESTEAD AIR FORCE BASE ON SAFETY AT TURKEY POINT PLANT  
(TAC NOS. MA0848 AND MA0849)

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Based on the currently available information, we believe that the spectrum of potential projects resulting from the conversion is still under examination and development. Therefore, we appreciate your updating the information provided in your June 15, 1998, submittal as the issues become more defined but before the FSAR is updated.

We appreciate your response to our RAI. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (301) 415-1496.

Sincerely,  
Original signed by:

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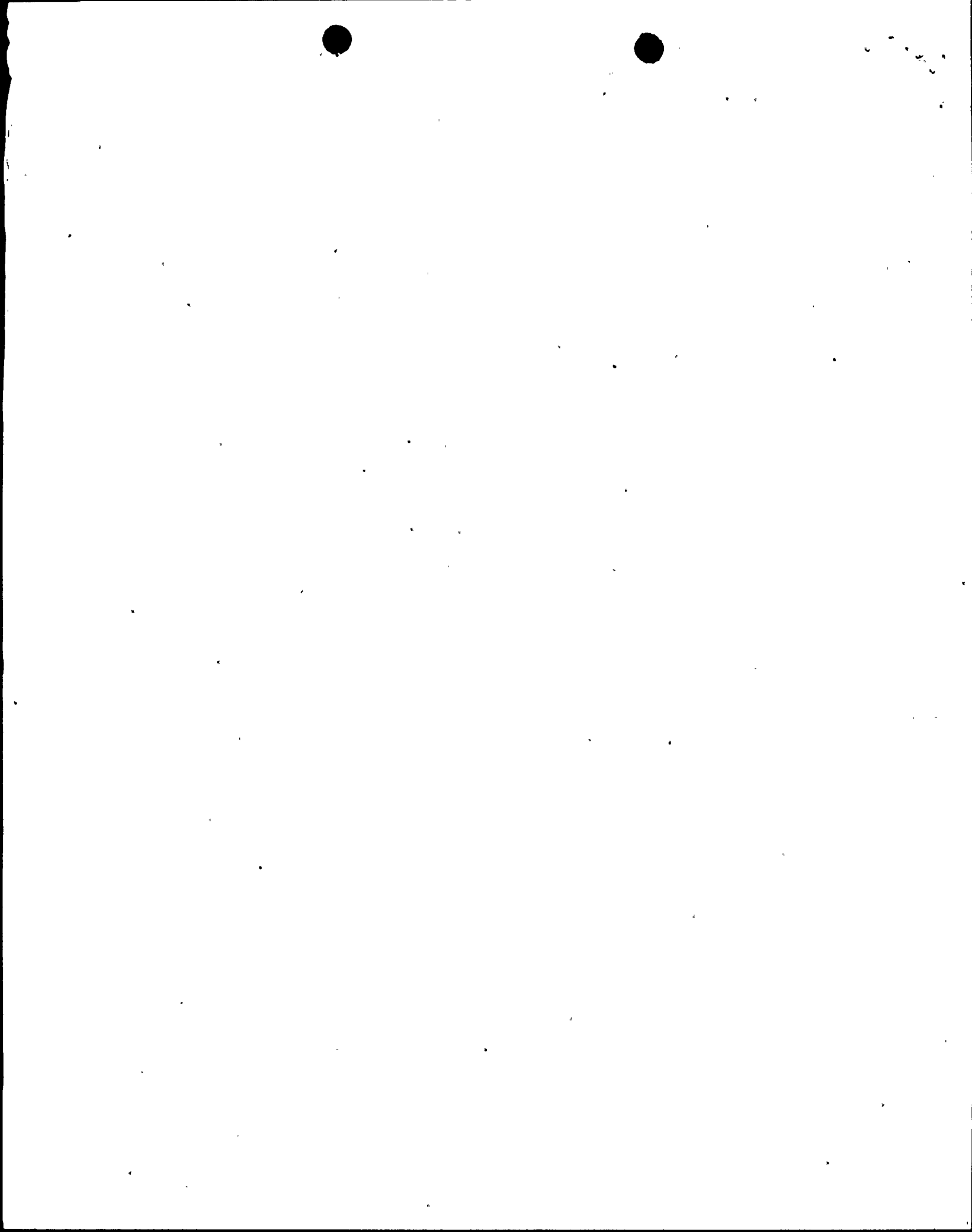
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