

## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Harold R. Denton, Director

Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

FROM:

John G. Davis, Director

Office of Nuclear Material Safety

and Safeguards

SUBJECT:

REQUEST FOR NRR ASSISTANCE IN RES PROJECT RE:

TRUCK BOMB THREAT

I have requested that RES initiate a project to study the potential consequences of use of a "truck bomb" as a weapon against nuclear facilities (see attached SOW) RES has been asked to expedite this project.

I would appreciate NRR assistance to RES in coordinating the licensee interface necessary to accomplish this important task. We anticipate the performing organization will require one-day site visits to two reactor facilities. In addition, they will require access to construction and structural data for the two reactors selected.

RES project managers are William Floyd (443-7683) and Kristina Jamgochian (443-7976). They will be contacting your staff shortly with information on the specific sites we would like to study and to arrange site visits to these facilities during January 1984. The NMSS contact for this project is Priscilla Dwyer. She may be reached at 427-4010.

Donn G. Davis, Director

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Enclosure: As stated

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