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SUBJECT: SECURITY CONCERNS AT PALISADES

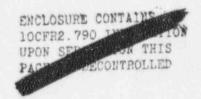
Dear Mr. Palmisano:

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission recently received information concerning activities at the Palisades Nuclear Generating Plant. Details of these matters are enclosed for your review and followup.

We request that the results of your review and disposition of these matters be submitted to Region III within 30 days of the receipt of this letter. We request your response contain no personal privacy, proprietary, or safeguards information so it can be released to the public and placed in the NRC Public Document Room. If necessary, such information shall be contained in a separate attachment which will be withheld from public disclosure.

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Your cooperation with us is appreciated. We will gladly discuss any question you have concerning this information.

Sincerely,

James R. Creed, Chief Plant Support Branch 1

James E. Fostes for

Docket No. 50-255

Enclosure: Concern Details

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