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Subject: Duane Arnold Energy Center
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Dear Mr. Collins:

This letter transmits changes to the Duane Arnold Energy Center (DAEC) Security Plan. The changes are intended to facilitate a change in the Security Access Badge fabrication and incorporate some editorial changes.

This Security Plan Change (SPC-37) has been reviewed in accordance with the requirements of 10 CFR 50.54(p). We have determined that the changes do not decrease the effectiveness of the DAEC Security Plan. A description of the changes is included in Attachment 1 and our evaluation is included in Attachment 2 to this letter. The revised Security Plan is included as Attachment 3.

Attachment 3 to this letter contains information of the type described in 10 CFR 73.21, therefore, it should be withheld from public disclosure.

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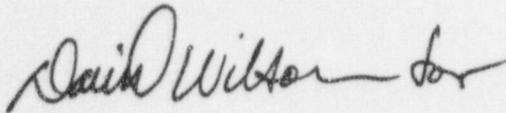
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Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact S. Catron of this office at (319) 851-7234.

Sincerely,



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Attachments: 1) SPC-37, Description of Changes
2) SPC-37, Evaluation of Changes with Respect to 10 CFR 50.54(p)
3) Duane Arnold Energy Center Security Plan, Revision 37

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ATTACHMENT 3 CONTAINS SAFEGUARDS INFORMATION

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