



RESPONSE TO FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) REQUEST

NRC-2020-000003

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RESPONSE TYPE

INTERIM

FINAL

REQUESTER:

Bobbi Vaughn Jr.

DATE:

11/07/2019

DESCRIPTION OF REQUESTED RECORDS:

I am requesting the original certificate of compliance document(s); memorandas; e-mails; pertaining to the NRC issuing the initial certification decision for uranium enrichment plants in Paducah, KY and Piketon, OH (USEC). These original documents/certification were approved approximately around the dates of November 16th, 1996 - November 27th, 1996.

PART I. -- INFORMATION RELEASED

- The NRC has made some, or all, of the requested records publicly available through one or more of the following means: (1) <https://www.nrc.gov>; (2) public ADAMS, <https://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html>; (3) microfiche available in the NRC Public Document Room; or FOIA Online, <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home>.
- Agency records subject to the request are enclosed.
- Records subject to the request that contain information originated by or of interest to another Federal agency have been referred to that agency (See Part I.D -- Comments) for a disclosure determination and direct response to you.
- We are continuing to process your request.
- See Part I.D -- Comments.

PART I.A -- FEES

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| <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">AMOUNT</p> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">\$0.00</p> | <input type="checkbox"/> You will be billed by NRC for the amount indicated. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Since the minimum fee threshold was not met, you will not be charged fees. |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> You will receive a refund for the amount indicated. | <input type="checkbox"/> Due to our delayed response, you will not be charged search and/or duplication fees that would otherwise be applicable to your request. |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Fees waived. | |

PART I.B -- INFORMATION NOT LOCATED OR WITHHELD FROM DISCLOSURE

- We did not locate any agency records responsive to your request. *Note:* Agencies may treat three discrete categories of law enforcement and national security records as not subject to the FOIA ("exclusions"). See 5 U.S.C. 552(c). This is a standard notification given to all requesters; it should not be taken to mean that any excluded records do, or do not, exist.
- We have withheld certain information pursuant to the FOIA exemptions described, and for the reasons stated, in Part II.
- Because this is an interim response to your request, you may not appeal at this time. We will notify you of your right to appeal any of the responses we have issued in response to your request when we issue our final determination.
- You may appeal this final determination within 90 calendar days of the date of this response. If you submit an appeal by mail, address it to the FOIA Officer, at U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Mail Stop T-2 F43, Washington, D.C. 20555-0001. You may submit an appeal by e-mail to FOIA.resource@nrc.gov. You may fax an appeal to (301) 415-5130. Or you may submit an appeal through FOIA Online, <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home>. Please be sure to include on your submission that it is a "FOIA Appeal."

PART I.C -- REFERENCES AND POINTS OF CONTACT

You have the right to seek assistance from the NRC's FOIA Public Liaison by submitting your inquiry at <https://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/foia/contact-foia.html>, or by calling the FOIA Public Liaison at (301) 415-1276.

If we have denied your request, you have the right to seek dispute resolution services from the NRC's Public Liaison or the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). To seek dispute resolution services from OGIS, you may e-mail OGIS at ogis@nara.gov, send a fax to (202) 741-5789, or send a letter to: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001. For additional information about OGIS, please visit the OGIS website at <https://www.archives.gov/ogis>.



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Please note:

This is the first partial response to your request.
The following responsive records are already publicly available:

Accession Number ML080980126
Document Title Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Between Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) and NRC, Dated July 26, 1996 - Gaseous Diffusion Plants.
Document Date 7/26/96 6:00 AM
Estimated Page Count 7
Availability Publicly Available

Accession Number ML082620250
Document Title Ltr to H.R. Potter, NRC Staff Responses to OCAW Questions on OSHA/NRC MOU with respect to Gaseous Diffusion Plants.
Document Date 9/5/96 6:00 AM
Estimated Page Count 2
Availability Publicly Available

Accession Number ML082620254
Document Title Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Between NRC and The Occupational Safety and Health Administration, Dated July 26, 1996- Gaseous Diffusion Plants.
Document Date 7/26/96 6:00 AM
Estimated Page Count 5
Availability Publicly Available

Records with a ML Accession Number are publicly available in the NRC's Public Electronic Reading Room at <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm.html>. If you need assistance in obtaining these records, please contact the NRC's Public Documents Room (PDR) at 301-415-4737 or 1-800-397-4209, or by Email to PDR.Resource@nrc.gov.

The NRC has tasked several program offices with the search for responsive records to your request, and we are still awaiting several outstanding disclosure determinations.

Signature - Freedom of Information Act Officer or Designee

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