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SUBJECT: PHYSICAL SECURITY PLAN CHANGES

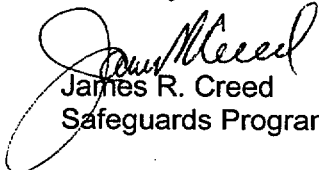
Dear Mr. Reandeu:

This letter acknowledges receipt of your letter dated October 12, 1999, which transmitted changes (Revision 27) to the Physical Security Plan for the Clinton Power Station. The revision was submitted under the provisions of 10 CFR 50.54(p).

Based on your determination that the changes do not decrease the effectiveness of your security plan, and after limited review of the changes, no NRC approval is required, in accordance with 50.54(p). One issue noted during the limited review appears to require clarification and is addressed in the enclosure to this letter. The changes in Revision 27 of the security plan will be subject to inspection to confirm that the changes have not decreased the effectiveness of the plan.

The enclosure to your letter concerns a subject matter which is exempt from public disclosure in accordance with 10 CFR 73.21 and is therefore being withheld from public disclosure. In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the Commission's regulations, a copy of this letter will be placed in the NRC Public Document Room.

Sincerely,

  
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Enclosure: As stated

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

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**ENCLOSURE**

**REVIEW COMMENTS FOR REVISION 27 OF THE PHYSICAL SECURITY PLAN  
CLINTON POWER STATION**

<b><u>Chapter</u></b>	<b><u>Section</u></b>	<b><u>Comment</u></b>
12	12.2	<p>This revision removed the specified security program audit frequency, i.e., every 12 months. The revised section noted that security program audits will be performed "as dictated by the Clinton Power Station Quality Assurance Manual."</p> <p>10 CFR 73.55(g)(4)(1) requires audits at intervals not to exceed 12 months or as necessary, based on an assessment by the licensee against performance indicators and as soon as reasonably practicable after a change occurs in personnel, procedures, equipment, or facilities that potentially could adversely affect security but no longer than 12 months after the change. In any case, each element of the security program must be reviewed at least every 24 months.</p> <p>Please confirm that the Clinton Power Station Quality Assurance Manual requires the minimum audit requirements identified in 73.55(g)(4)(1).</p>

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