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SUBJECT: ASSESSMENT FOLLOWUP - DRESDEN

Dear Mr. Kingsley:

Our review of Dresden Nuclear Power Plant performance indicators identified that you have crossed the threshold for the Protected Area Equipment performance indicator in the Physical Protection Cornerstone. Therefore, we plan to conduct an additional (supplemental) inspection to better understand the causes contributing to your decline in performance.

This letter is to inform you that we are planning that supplemental inspection at your facility during the month of June 2000. This inspection will immediately follow our inspection of access security scheduled for June 5 through 9, 2000. One inspector will use Inspection Procedure 95001 to review your performance in the area covered by the Protected Area Equipment performance indicator and your corrective actions for the decline indicated.

In accordance with 10 CFR 2.790 of the NRC's "Rules of Practice," a copy of this letter will be placed in the NRC Public Electronic Reading Room (PERR) link at the NRC homepage, <http://www.nrc.gov/NRC/ADAMS/index.html>.

Please contact Jim Creed at 630/829-9857 with any questions you may have regarding this letter.

Sincerely,

/s/S. A. Reynolds

John A. Grobe, Director
Division of Reactor Safety

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