

From: Stephen Dembek *NRR*
To: Tharpe, Virginia
Date: 10/16/01 3:27PM
Subject: Re: NEED CLARIFICATION ON RESPONSE TO FOIA 2002-0003

Ginny,

Since the SECY paper specifically addresses the use of the missing fuel for possible terrorist activities, it possibly has security related concerns that must be reviewed before it's released. I suggest you have the safeguards people in NRR or NMSS review the SECY before it's released. The other option would be to give me criteria to review the SECY against.

Steve

>>> Virginia Tharpe 10/16/01 01:55PM >>>

NRR

In response to FOIA 2002-0003, you provided a copy of SECY-01-0175 (dated 09/20/01) regarding the spent fuel missing from Millstone.

In light of the current heightened security environment, the FOIA Branch provided the following information describing how the agency is processing FOIA requests. Please review the following info and notify me ASAP whether or not NRR should identify the SECY paper has possibly having security-related concerns.

{FOIA BRANCH: "If you believe under the current heightened security environment the records contain information that warrant closer scrutiny, please list these records on a separate appendix and provide a harm statement explaining the sensitivity of the information.

For information withholdable under Exemption 3, Unclassified Safeguards Information, indicate in the margin of the record the section(s) of 10 CFR 73.21 under which the bracketed information falls.

For your information, copies of FOIA requests are being provided to the OEDO if it is apparent from the incoming request that security information is being requested."

Thanks for your assistance.

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