October 28, 2003

Mr. William R. Kanda Vice President - Nuclear, Perry FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Company P. O. Box 97, A210 10 Center Road Perry, OH 44081

SUBJECT: PERRY NUCLEAR POWER PLANT PHYSICAL SECURITY BASELINE INSPECTION REPORT 05000440/2003011(DRS)

Dear Mr. Kanda:

On October 2, 2003, the NRC completed an inspection at your Perry Nuclear Power Plant. The enclosed report documents the inspection findings which were discussed on October 2, 2003, with Mr. Ron Rose and other members of your staff.

The inspection examined activities conducted under your license as they relate to safety and to compliance with the Commission's rules and regulations and with the conditions of your license. The inspectors reviewed selected procedures and records, observed activities, and interviewed personnel.

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Sincerely,

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Report No:	05000440/2003011(DRS)
Licensee:	FirstEnergy Nuclear Operating Company
Facility:	Perry Nuclear Power Plant, Unit 1
Location:	P.O. Box 97 A200 Perry, OH 44081
Dates:	September 30 through October 2, 2003
Inspectors:	J. Maynen, Physical Security Inspector
Approved by:	James R. Creed Safeguards Program Manager Division of Reactor Safety

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