



GENERAL ORDER



SUBJECT:	SERIES	NUMBER	EFFECTIVE DATE
Nuclear Power Plant Accident Response Plan	802	3	9-3-82
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ORIGINATING UNIT			PDD

The purpose of this order is to establish guidelines and procedures for the department in responding to a radiological hazard that might result from an accident occurring at the Calvert Cliffs, Maryland, nuclear facility. This order consists of the following part:

PART I Responsibilities and Procedures for Supervisory and Command Personnel

- A. Background.
- B. D.C. Emergency Organization.
- C. Metropolitan Police Department Mission.
- D. Concept of Operations.

PART I

A. Background.

1. Although viewed as being extremely remote, there is the possibility of an incident occurring at the Calvert Cliffs nuclear facility that could result in the accidental release of radioactive material into the environment of the District of Columbia. Therefore, it may become necessary to take protective measures based upon the nature, extent, and direction of the release.

2. Under the "Emergency Planning Zones" (EPZs) concept developed by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and the Federal Emergency Management Agency, the District of Columbia is located on the outer fringe of the 50 mile radius for which the primary threat from a nuclear accident at Calvert Cliffs would be from "ingestion exposure." Ingestion exposure would occur from the intake of contaminated water or foods such as milk, fresh vegetables or aquatic foodstuffs. Unlike the threat presented to inhabitants within a 10 mile radius of the Calvert Cliffs facility, there is no risk of incurring "whole body" exposure at the 50 mile range.

3. Based upon the nature of the threat to the District of Columbia, the principle concern and mission of emergency personnel will be to track the path of a radioactive plume emanating from Calvert Cliffs and to identify and prevent the ingestion of any water or foodstuffs that might have been exposed to contamination should the District of Columbia fall under the path of the plume. In this regard, the Department of Environmental Services (DES) and the Army Corps of Engineers have primary responsibility for monitoring radiation levels of foodstuffs and consumable water, respectively.

B. D. C. Emergency Organization.

1. In the event of a nuclear emergency generated by an accident at Calvert Cliffs, the following agencies and organizations will perform assigned missions and functions in protecting citizens from ingestion exposure:

- a. Office of Emergency Preparedness
- b. Department of Environmental Services
- c. D. C. Office of Communications
- d. Department of Human Services
- e. Department of Transportation
- f. Army Corps of Engineers
- g. Civil Air Patrol
- h. Metropolitan Police Department

2. The Office of Emergency Preparedness (OEP) will exercise overall coordination and control of emergency response activities through the Mayor's Command Center located at 300 Indiana Avenue, N.W. This office will serve as liaison with the Mayor in providing status reports to that office and transmitting mayoral directives to participating emergency organizations. Additionally, the OEP will serve as the clearinghouse for all information released to the news media relative to the emergency.

3. The DES will operate fixed and mobile monitoring stations at key locations throughout the city and in and around food distribution centers and water reservoirs.

4. The Department of Human Services will, as necessary, arrange for the distribution of emergency food supplies and potable water.

5. The Army Corps of Engineers will collect and purify consumable water at reservoirs and coordinate actions to protect standing water therein.

6. Upon request from the OEP, the Civil Air Patrol will provide aerial surveillance and radiological monitoring services.

C. Metropolitan Police Department Mission.

The primary mission of this department during a nuclear accident emergency shall be:

1. To continue the delivery of police services to the community.
2. To facilitate and expedite the flow of traffic as it may develop, from the District of Columbia.
3. To secure food distribution centers that have been identified as being contaminated.
4. To maintain order at sites selected for the distribution of emergency food and water supplies.

5. To increase the level of vigilance in vacated business and residential areas.

D. Concept of Operations.

The department's response to a nuclear accident occurring at Calvert Cliffs shall be three phased: (1) Alert Phase; (2) Operational Phase; and (3) Recovery Phase.

1. Alert Phase.

- a. Upon receiving notification from the OEP that a major accident has occurred at Calvert Cliffs, the Communications Division shall immediately notify (1) the Chief of Police; (2) the Field Operations Officer; (3) the Commander, Special Operations Division; and (4) the Director, Planning and Development Division. Additionally, the teletype at Attachment "A" shall be transmitted to all organizational elements.
- b. The Director, Planning and Development Division, shall activate an Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and establish liaison with the Mayor's Command Center for the purpose of monitoring conditions at Calvert Cliffs. All communication and status updates to and from the Mayor's Command Center shall be through the EOC.
- c. The EOC shall keep the Chief of Police and the Field Operations Officer apprised of events relating to the accident and conditions throughout the District of Columbia.
- d. The Commander, Special Operations Division, shall direct the Helicopter Branch to periodically monitor traffic conditions throughout the city and shall report such conditions to the EOC on a regular basis.
- e. The department shall remain in an alert status until such time as the determination is made that the District of Columbia is no longer threatened by conditions at the accident site. A period of 1 to 4 days may elapse before a final determination is made that a threat no longer exists.

2. Operational Phase.

- a. Upon being notified by the OEP that the District of Columbia will experience exposure from a radioactive plume, the EOC shall obtain the estimated time the exposure will occur and the time the OEP intends to issue a warning notice to the public. The EOC shall then immediately notify the Chief of Police, the Field

Operations Officer and the Commander, Special Operations Division of the information received from the OEP. Additionally, the EOC shall have the teletype at Attachment "B" transmitted to all organizational elements.

- b. The initial concern of this department will be the orderly flow of automobile traffic by those citizens who may reasonably be expected to vacate the District of Columbia upon receiving the public warning from the OEP. Should it be necessary to issue this warning during normal business hours, it is to be expected that the outflow of traffic would be extremely heavy. Therefore, district commanders shall be prepared to have all emergency traffic posts, as identified in General Order No. 803.5, covered until such time as traffic conditions have normalized.
- c. District commanders shall have all assigned vehicles available for police service calls.
- d. Supervisors shall survey business and residential areas to determine those areas in which the greatest number of closings and vacated residences have occurred. Findings from these surveys shall be telephoned to the EOC.
- e. District personnel shall be assigned to foot and scooter beats in those areas of the district in which business and private residences have been vacated. Personnel of the Special Operations Division shall be used to augment district personnel in vacated areas, as necessary, and as determined by the Field Operations Officer.
- f. Upon identifying a food processing center, food retail outlet or food market area as having been contaminated, the DES will affix an appropriate warning placard at the entrance, or other prominent location, of the facility which, in effect, impounds all foodstuffs contained therein. The DES will then notify the OEP of the name and location of the impounded facility. The OEP will provide the department's EOC with this information for the purpose of establishing police security around the contaminated facility.
- g. The EOC will provide the Commander, Special Operations Division, the name and address of food processing centers and food retail establishments found to be contaminated by the DES. The commander shall assign a

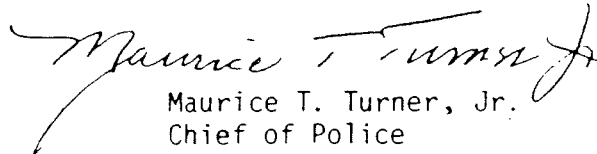
minimum of two officers to the location for the purpose of prohibiting the entry of all persons except authorized personnel and the removal of any foodstuffs except by emergency personnel. The commander shall rotate the assignment of personnel at these locations at least every four hours until such time as all contaminated foods have been removed and the establishment has been determined to be free of any contamination.

- h. As circumstances require, the Department of Human Services will arrange for the emergency distribution of food and water in those areas of the city in which contamination is at a particularly high level. The time and location of these distributions will be coordinated through the OEP, which will then relay this information to the department's EOC. The EOC shall arrange through the Commander, Special Operations Division, to have a minimum of two SOD personnel respond to the distribution location for the purpose of maintaining order until the distribution is completed.
- i. The Harbor Section shall be responsible for prohibiting all fishing activity in the navigable waterways of the District of Columbia and the sale of any fish products at the Maine Avenue Wharf that have not been tested for contamination by DES monitors.
- j. Upon the outbreak of any localized or widespread civil disorder, the Field Operations Officer shall determine the response to be taken by the department toward restoring order in the affected area(s).
- k. The Director, Community Relations Division, shall establish and maintain liaison with the OEP and the D. C. Office of Communications for the purpose of coordinating all public announcements relative to the department's emergency operations.

3. Recovery Phase.

- a. The recovery phase will be marked by the reopening of business establishments, the re-occupation of vacated residences and the return to normalized business and commercial activity in the city-including such activity at food and water processing and distribution points.

- b. The OEP will issue a public announcement whenever the threat of ingesting contaminated food or water is no longer a consideration in the District of Columbia. Upon this determination being made, the department shall return to normal operations.


Maurice T. Turner, Jr.
Chief of Police

Attachments

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		4. UNIT NUMBER	7. REQUESTING ELEMENT
		5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT FOR THE PRESS	8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FLASH TT REQUESTED

9. TO
ALL COMMANDING OFFICERS

10. NAME OF WANTED PERSON	11. WANTED BY	12. CHARGE
13. COMPLAINANT'S NAME		14. COMPLAINANT'S ADDRESS

15. DESCRIPTION OF WANTED PERSON OR MESSAGE

INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE D.C. OFFICE OF EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS THAT THE CITY'S EMERGENCY RESPONSE NETWORK HAS BEEN DIRECTED TO ASSUME AN ALERT STATUS IN RESPONSE TO CONDITIONS SURROUNDING THE ACCIDENT AT THE CALVERT CLIFFS NUCLEAR REACTOR SITE.

ALL COMMANDING OFFICERS SHALL WITHDRAW FROM THEIR FILES AND REVIEW WITH SUBORDINATE OFFICIALS OF THEIR COMMAND THE APPROPRIATE GENERAL ORDERS RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT'S MISSION DURING A NUCLEAR ACCIDENT EMERGENCY. DISTRICT COMMANDERS AND THE COMMANDER, SOD, SHALL BE PREPARED TO CONVERT TO 12-HOUR SHIFTS AND COMMENCE OPERATIONS UNDER THE OPERATIONAL PHASE AS OUTLINED IN GENERAL ORDER NO. 802.3 UPON RECEIPT OF NOTIFICATION FROM AN APPROPRIATE AUTHORITY.

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COMMUNICATIONS DIVISION USE ONLY	
REMARKS	DATE AND TIME
	FILE
	TELETYPE NUMBER

DETAIL

DETAIL FOR

DATE

TIME

DAY

REPORTING LOCATION

1st District send	FOOTMEN _____	SCOOTERMEN _____	SERGEANTS _____	LIEUTENANTS _____
2nd District send	FOOTMEN _____	SCOOTERMEN _____	SERGEANTS _____	LIEUTENANTS _____
3rd District send	FOOTMEN _____	SCOOTERMEN _____	SERGEANTS _____	LIEUTENANTS _____
4th District send	FOOTMEN _____	SCOOTERMEN _____	SERGEANTS _____	LIEUTENANTS _____
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TSOD (Traffic) send: _____

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THE D.C. OFFICE OF EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA WILL EXPERIENCE AN AS YET UNKNOWN LEVEL OF "INGESTION EXPOSURE" FROM THE RADIOACTIVE PLUME RELEASED FROM THE NUCLEAR ACCIDENT SITE AT CALVERT CLIFFS. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT THE PLUME WILL REACH THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA AT APPROXIMATELY _____ HOURS.

DISTRICT COMMANDERS AND THE COMMANDER, SOD, SHALL IMMEDIATELY CONVERT THEIR COMMANDS TO 12-HOUR SHIFTS AND COMMENCE OPERATIONS AS SET FORTH UNDER THE OPERATIONAL PHASE OF GENERAL ORDER NO. 802.3. DISTRICT AND SOD PERSONNEL SHALL BE BRIEFED AS TO THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES DURING THIS EMERGENCY PERIOD WITH EMPHASIS GIVEN TO THE FACT THAT THEY ARE NOT SUBJECT TO ANY PERSONAL DANGER FROM RADIOACTIVE EXPOSURE. PERSONNEL SHALL BE ADVISED, HOWEVER, NOT TO CONSUME ANY FOOD OR WATER THAT HAS NOT BEEN ISSUED OR DECLARED SAFE BY THE DEPARTMENT OR ANOTHER D.C. AGENCY.

COMMANDING OFFICERS WILL BE KEPT INFORMED OF EVENTS SURROUNDING THE EMERGENCY BY TELETYPE MESSAGE AS THE INFORMATION IS RECEIVED IN THE EOC.

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