ROK's Efforts to Strengthen Physical Protection Measures for NM and NF

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Legal Framework

> APPRE (Act on Physical Protection & Radiological Emergency)

Act for physical protection system of nuclear material & facilities



Revision of the APPRE

Ratification of ICSANT and amendment to the CPPNM

• Ratification process by the national assembly was finished in May 2014.

> Applying the IAEA INFCIRC225/Rev5 into APPRE

- Vital area identification
- Safety-Security Interface
- Strengthen the penal provisions
- Invigorate the requirements for protection of NM & NF

> Amendment of the APPRE for CS Requirements

- Require licensees to establish cyber security system
- Require submit a Cyber Security Plan(CSP) for approval

National DBT

> Threat Assessment and DBT

• Threat assessment is performed every 3 years and National DBT is revised depending on its results.

> History

- Established the 1st national DBT in 2009
- Revised the DBT including cyber threat in 2012
- Amended the DBT reflecting air (drone) and sea attack in 2015
- Currently, threat assessment document is being reviewed.

Post Activities

- Develop threat scenario based on national DBT
- Evaluate threat and response scenario through FOF

Vital Area Identification

Definition

• Enforcement Decree of APPRE [Article 2. Definition]

: The term "<u>vital area</u>" means those areas, in the protected area, fixed for the protection of nuclear facilities, etc. that may produce, directly or indirectly, an unacceptable radiological consequence due to sabotage.

• INFCIRC-225/Rev.5 (2011)

: An area inside a protected area containing equipment, systems or devices, or nuclear material, the sabotage of which could directly or indirectly lead to high radiological consequences (HRC)

Vital Area Identification

Problem of current VA in the ROK

• Designated buildings as VA

- Graded approach can not be applied since whole areas such as spent fuel storage building are designated as VA
- VA was established only depending on expert judgment

Re-Identifying of VA

- Re-Identifying of Vital Areas of NPP in operation and under construction based on PRA(Probabilistic Risk Assessment) Methodology
 Developing technical standards to meet international standards
- Finished re-identifying of VA on APR 1400 type reactor
- Currently, OPR-1000 type reactors are in progress

Safety-Security Interface

Conflict

• Conflict : Handling of information

(Confidentiality vs. Transparency)

Managing conflicts (access control etc.)

> Synergy

- Regulatory infrastructure
- Engineering provisions in design and construction
- Categorization of radioactive sources
- Security and management of radioactive sources and materials
- Emergency & Contingency response plans

Safety-Security Interface



> Activities on interface between safety and security

- Held regular meeting between KINAC and KINS
- Exchange regulation information
- Formulate a working group for I&C area
- Jointly develop regulation document
- Plan to joint inspection

Exercise

	Radiological Emergency Response Exercise	Force on Force Security Exercise
Purpose	To mitigate the health and environmental impact of exposes resulting from accidents involving radioactive materials	To evaluate and improve the effectiveness of plant security program to prevent radiological sabotage
Frequency	Once in 5 years	Once in a year
Participants	Regulators, Operators, Local government, Residents, Medical Staff, Police, etc.	Regulators, Operators, Response force, etc.

FOF Security Exercise

Initiating FOF Security Exercise

- Legal framework was prepared by revising the APPRE in 2014
- Evaluation system had been developed for 4 years
- Have performed FOF Security Exercise for nuclear facilities since 2015

FOF Equipment : Advanced MILES system



Regulation on Cyber Security

Legal Base and Implementation

- The APPRE was revised including cyber security regulation in 2014 and regular inspection has been conducted biannually
- Special inspection is conducted in case of occurring accident

Future Plans

• Reinforcement on cyber security is on going through 7 steps



Nuclear Security Culture

Efforts for enhancing nuclear security culture

- Establish policy and guidelines on nuclear security culture
- Perform outreach activities

Mandatory Training Program

- Prepare legal base for mandatory training program in 2012
- All the staff who work in nuclear facility should take mandatory training program every year
 - ✓ Security staff should take 4 hours in a year with hands on subject
 - ✓ Other staff should take 2 hours in a year through e-learning system

Concluding Remarks

Efforts for Strengthening Nuclear Security in the ROK

- Prepare legal base through revising the APPRE reflecting international requirements such as ICSANT, amendment to CPPNM and INFCIRC/225/Rev.5
- Re-identifying VA is under progress
- Perform activities to improve the synergy between safety and security
- Conduct the FOF security exercise
- Initiate cyber security regulation

Future Plans

- Strengthen Cyber Security through 7-Step implementation
- Prepare specific protection measures on insider threat, NMAC and new threats like EMP and drone
- Establish the regulation systems on nuclear facilities' life cycle