Hello P A Miller,

Thank you for your email.
This email is in response to the questions you emailed us.

In response to your first question: **Can risk of region radiation exposure (population and environmental) be prioritized for the timetable of removal of fuel from San Onofre ahead of other plants in the nation (versus the current method of prioritizing the removal of spent fuel from a plant in the nation that has the oldest fuel first)?**

**Response:** The order and priority for which the US Department of Energy (DOE) would remove fuel from shutdown nuclear stations has not been finalized. The DOE recommends for the public to voice any opinions, questions and concerns through the DOE Consent Based Siting process by emailing them at consentbasedsiting@hq.doe.gov.

Your second question: Can security and surveillance be contracted for San Onofre, especially against terrorist or subversive events?

**Response:**
Response: SCE provides for the security of SONGS in accordance with Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) requirements. SCE currently does not have any plans to contract out its fundamental security and surveillance activities to a third-party contractor.

Thank you for your interest in the decommissioning of San Onofre. If you have any further questions or comments please do not hesitate to contact us via phone at our Decommissioning Hotline (800)332-3216 or email at nuccomm@songs.sce.com.

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