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ELECTRIC GENERATING PLANT

Use: To generate electric power.

Authority: First Supplementary National Defense Appropriation Act 1941. Approved June 26, 1940. Public No. 667, 76th Congress. (Limitation \$1.200.000.00)

Location: In new area inside west gate, Langley Field, Va.; approved by Secretary of War October 3, 1940.

History: Preliminary work on electric generating plant started August 12, 1940. Electric generating plant placed in operation November 7, 1941.

Construction: Dimensions of building 125' x 83' x 37' high

Ground area 10,400 sq ft

2nd floor area (mezzanine) 680 sq ft

Cubic content (usable) 247,000 cu ft

Character Steel frame and roof trusses, brick walls, reinforced concrete

foundation and floor slab - 5-ton crane 61' span

Type and thickness of walls Brick 121" pilasters, 8" panels, 4" cinder block partition walls

plastered on inside walls

Type and thickness of floor lst floor 6" thick concrete slab; mezzanine floor 4" reinforced

concrete slab on steel beams

Type of roof Light-weight concrete channel slabs, l" insulation, 5-ply felt roof

covered with a gravel composition

Cost Summary

Cost of Electric Generating Plant (including plant and electric generating equipment) \$972,289.24

Cost per cubic foot

Detailed Costs

Structure (plant and electric generating equipment) Equipment		\$972,289.21;	•
Fencing at Power Generating Plant		2,047.57	
Inventoried mechanical equipment	\$1,181.10		
Inventoried instruments	346.45		
Inventoried furniture	432.30		
Inventoried electrical equipment	1,080.95		
Inventoried fire-fighting equipment	497.00		
Additions through P.J.O. 62 - Power Generating Plant - Equipment and Alterations	4,559.01	8,096.81 \$982,432.62	