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RE: Professional Reactor Operator Society Meeting

Mr. Conte,

Thank you for your commitment to speak at the PROS Annual meeting on Friday, June 16, 2000. The theme we have chosen for this year is **OPERATIONS IN A DEREGULATED INDUSTRY**. Attached is the proposed agenda, which has you scheduled as the first speaker in the afternoon session. If this should not fit your schedule, please contact me to make the necessary changes.

PROS values the NRC commitment to maintain open lines of communication between our organizations. The NRC provides valued insight to the Society with regard to the regulator's perspective on the challenges we face to insure continued safe and responsible operation of our reactors.

In preparation for your introduction at the speaking engagement, it would be appreciated if you would send me the following biographical information.

Current Position / Title / Number of years with NRC
Past positions / accomplishments you feel relevant
Any other information you may wish to share with the audience.

We would also like to request a written or electronic copy of your prepared speech so that we may use it in our quarterly publication, the COMMUNICATOR.

I would like to extend an invitation to you and your spouse for the Thursday evening reception, and to be our guests at the Friday evening dinner and presentation.

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