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FINAL REPLY:

Shelby Hallmark  
Department of Labor

TO:  
Chairman Meserve

FOR SIGNATURE OF : \*\* GRN \*\* CRC NO: 00-0538

DESC: Compensation and Medical Benefits Paid Under the  
Federal Employees' Compensation Act During the  
Period of 7/1/99 - 6/30/00

ROUTING:  
Travers  
Paperiello  
Miraglia  
Norry  
Craig  
Burns/Cyr  
Funches, CFO

DATE: 08/18/00

ASSIGNED TO: HR CONTACT: Bird

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS OR REMARKS:

For Appropriate Action.

HR to coordinate with CFO.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
CORRESPONDENCE CONTROL TICKET

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**PAPER NUMBER:** LTR-00-0538 **LOGGING DATE:** 08/17/2000  
**ACTION OFFICE:** EDO

**AUTHOR:** Shelby Hallmark  
**AFFILIATION:** DOL  
**ADDRESSEE:** Richard Meserve  
**SUBJECT:** Concerns compensation and medical benefits paid under the Employees' Compension Act during the period July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2000

**ACTION:** Appropriate  
**DISTRIBUTION:** RF

**LETTER DATE:** 08/15/2000  
**ACKNOWLEDGED:** No  
**SPECIAL HANDLING:** EDO to coordinate with CFO

**NOTES:**  
**FILE LOCATION:** ADAMS

**DATE DUE:** **DATE SIGNED:**

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File Number:

August 15, 2000

The Honorable Richard A. Meserve  
Chairman  
Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
One White Flint - Northj Bldg.  
11555 Rockville Pike  
Rockville, Maryland 20852

Dear Mr. Meserve:

The enclosed statement reflects the direct dollar costs of compensation and medical benefits paid under the Federal Employees' Compensation Act during the expense period of July 1, 1999 through June 30, 2000, for injuries or deaths sustained after December 1, 1960, by employees under your jurisdiction. It is presented by the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs (OWCP) in accordance with Section 8147 (b) of Title 5 United States Code.

Section 8147 (b) requires that an agency or instrumentality not dependent on annual appropriations reimburse the Employees' Compensation Fund for the costs expended on its behalf during the first 15 days of October following the date of this statement. Agencies dependent upon an annual appropriation are to include the amount billed in their annual budget request for the upcoming budget year, in this case, Fiscal Year 2002.

Established safety and health policies require agencies to reduce work place injuries and illnesses. The Department of Labor's Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) is charged with providing guidance and assistance to you in this endeavor. We urge that you closely examine your agency's safety and health program and provide the personal support that will be necessary to reduce your agency's injury and illness experience. OSHA's office of Federal Agency Programs will assist you in any way it can. The Office of Federal Agency Programs can be reached at (202) 693-2122.

The Office of Workers' Compensation Programs (OWCP) encourages agencies to become more active in managing their injury compensation programs. We believe that by working together we can do much more in providing meaningful employment to injured

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workers, thus both enhancing the worker's self esteem and controlling costs. For information on assistance, please contact Deborah B. Sanford, Acting Director for Federal Employees' Compensation, OWCP, at (202) 693-0043, to discuss your agency's needs.

On July 2, 1999, President Clinton promulgated the Federal Worker 2000 Initiative, which set challenging goals for all agencies to reduce injury rates, speed the handling of injury notices and claims processing once injuries are incurred, reduce injury rates in high-incidence workplaces, and lower the number of workdays lost due to injuries. In light of this Presidential Initiative, we look forward to working even more closely with your staff during the coming years to assist you in abating hazards, providing swift notice of injury, and making it possible for injured workers to return to the job at the earliest medically appropriate time.

If additional information is required concerning the enclosed statement, please have a member of your staff contact Barry Estill, Office of Management, Administration and Planning, Employment Standards Administration, Division of Financial Management, at (202) 693-0334.

Sincerely,



**Shelby Hallmark**

Acting Director, Office of  
Workers' Compensation Programs

Enclosure

NOTIFICATION OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION COST INCURRED  
ON YOUR BEHALF BY THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR,  
EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS ADMINISTRATION

DEPT., ESTABLISHMENT, BUREAU, OR OFFICE CHARGED

BILL NO.  
00-072-02

NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON D.C. 20555

DATE OF  
DELIVERY

AMOUNT  
DOLLARS/CENTS

JULY 1, 1999 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2000	REIMBURSEMENT FOR TOTAL BENEFITS AND OTHER PAYMENTS MADE FROM EMPLOYEES COMPENSATION FUND DURING EXPENSE PERIOD JULY 1, 1999 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2000 ON ACCOUNT OF INJURY OR DEATH OF EMPLOYEES OR PERSONS UNDER JURISDICTION OF DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY BILLED OCCURRING AFTER DECEMBER 1, 1960 PER DETAILED LISTING DATED JULY 31, 2000. (REFERENCE 5USC 8147 AS AMENDED BY P.L. 94- 273 APPROVED 4/21/76.).	705,390.74
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TOTAL 705,390.74

THIS CHARGE WILL BE COLLECTED VIA TREASURY'S  
(GOALS) ON-LINE PAYMENT AND COLLECTION SYSTEM  
(OPAC) 30 DAYS AFTER FY02 FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE.