## RESPONSE NUMBER U.S. NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION NRC FORM 464 Part I (6-1998) NICLEAR REGULATOR 2002-0156 1 RESPONSE TO FREEDOM OF **INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) / PRIVACY** RESPONSE PARTIAL FINAL **ACT (PA) REQUEST** TYPE DATE REQUESTER APR 0 9 2002 Ariel Hansen/Nick Budnick PART I. -- INFORMATION RELEASED No additional agency records subject to the request have been located. Requested records are available through another public distribution program. See Comments section. Agency records subject to the request that are identified in the listed appendices are already available for APPENDICES public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room. Agency records subject to the request that are identified in the listed appendices are being made available for APPENDICES public inspection and copying at the NRC Public Document Room. A Enclosed is information on how you may obtain access to and the charges for copying records located at the NRC Public Document Room, 2120 L Street, NW, Washington, DC. APPENDICES Agency records subject to the request are enclosed. Records subject to the request that contain information originated by or of interest to another Federal agency have been referred to that agency (see comments section) for a disclosure determination and direct response to you. We are continuing to process your request. See Comments. PART I.A -- FEES None. Minimum fee threshold not met. You will be billed by NRC for the amount listed. AMOUNT Fees waived. You will receive a refund for the amount listed. See comments for details PART I.B -- INFORMATION NOT LOCATED OR WITHHELD FROM DISCLOSURE No agency records subject to the request have been located. Certain information in the requested records is being withheld from disclosure pursuant to the exemptions described in and for the reasons stated in Part II. This determination may be appealed within 30 days by writing to the FOIA/PA Officer, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001. Clearly state on the envelope and in the letter that it is a "FOIA/PA Appeal." PART I.C COMMENTS (Use attached Comments continuation page if required) Carol Ann Reed

## APPENDIX A RECORDS BEING RELEASED IN THEIR ENTIRETY

<u>NO.</u>	DATE	DESCRIPTION/(PAGE COUNT)
1.	8/29/01	Letter to Senator Smith from Commissioner Merrifield (1 page)
2.	8/29/01	Letter to Senator Wyden from Commissioner Merrifield (1 page)
3.	8/29/01	Letter to Congressman Wu from Commissioner Merrifield (1 page)
4.	8/29/01	Letter to Congressman DeFazio from Commissioner Merrifield (1 page)
5.	1/15/02	Letter to Senator Smith from Chairman Meserve with enclosures (7 pages)