Dr. C. Rogers McCullough, Chairman Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards U. S. Atomie Energy Commission Washington 25, B. C.

Dear Dr. McCullough:

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By letter dated May 25, 1959, the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safeguards was furnished with a copy of a notice of proposed rule making concerning 10 CFR, Chapter 1. The notice was published in the Federal Register on May 23, 1959.

As you will recall, the proposed rule invited public comments on factors which may be considered in the evaluation of sites for power and testing reactors. Interested persons were allowed the sustanary 30-day period for submission of views.

In view of the importance of the proposed rule and in response to requests received from interested persons, the Commission is extending the date by which comments must be received to August 24, 1959; the previous terminal date for receipt of comments was June 23rd. A copy of the notice of extension is enclosed,

Sincerely yours,

General Manager CC: Secretariat ACRS OGC

Herold L. Price, Director Division of Licensing and Regulation

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