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<http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/fact-sheets/research-reactors.html>

Ms. Schwartz: I understand you are traveling and your assistant gave me your e-mail. Hopefully we can tag up Tuesday to discuss your request. It's nice after watching this unfold to have contact from the adult supervision on this project.

The above url is to a background paper on research reactors. I don't know whether you've had a chance to see it but it's worth reading.

Before we do any kind of a backgrounder with you or decide who, if anyone, to put on camera, I will need to know with specificity what it is you are after. In particular, for any backgrounder I will need to know if you want to talk about research reactors in general or research reactor security, or both. I imagine that many of the questions you want to ask may cut across a number of jurisdiction lines. The same is true about any on-camera interview. The description relayed to me about your request to talk to the chairman about a broad range of policy issues is, I'm afraid, a little too general.

I will also need to know which reporter you intend to use on camera as that will weigh in any decision as to whether to provide an interview subject or simply a statement.

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