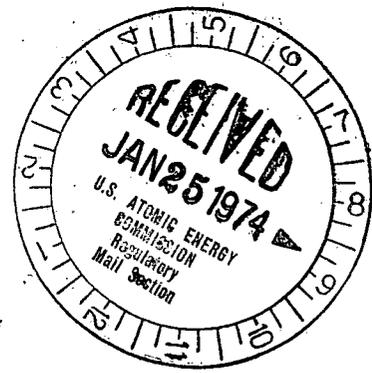


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January 23, 1974

Mr. George W. Knighton, Chief
Environmental Projects, Branch No. 1
Directorate of Licensing
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission
Washington, D.C. 20545

Re: Docket No. 50-286

Dear Mr. Knighton:

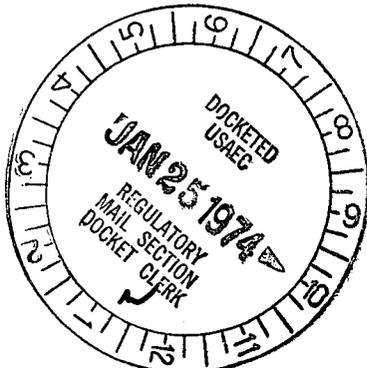
This is in response to your letter to me dated January 15, 1974, which was received on January 18, 1974.

Please be advised that it is not possible for us to furnish an adequate response to your letter by February 1, 1974 in view of the large quantity of information requested. We will endeavor to supply this information by March 1, 1974, subject of course to the requirements for similar information which may be placed upon us by the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board and the other parties to that proceeding.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "William J. Cahill, Jr.".

William J. Cahill, Jr.
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