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Mr. James G. Keppler
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Dear Mr. Keppler:

Due to the fact that a meeting has been arranged for Iowa Electric Light and Power Company and the NRC on July 6, 1979 concerning IE Bulletin No. 79-02, we feel that it is appropriate to delay our formal response to the Bulletin until after the results of the meeting are known. We intend to submit our response by July 12, 1979.

Very truly yours, Pavy D. Root

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