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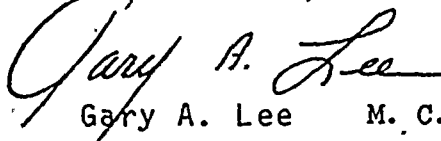
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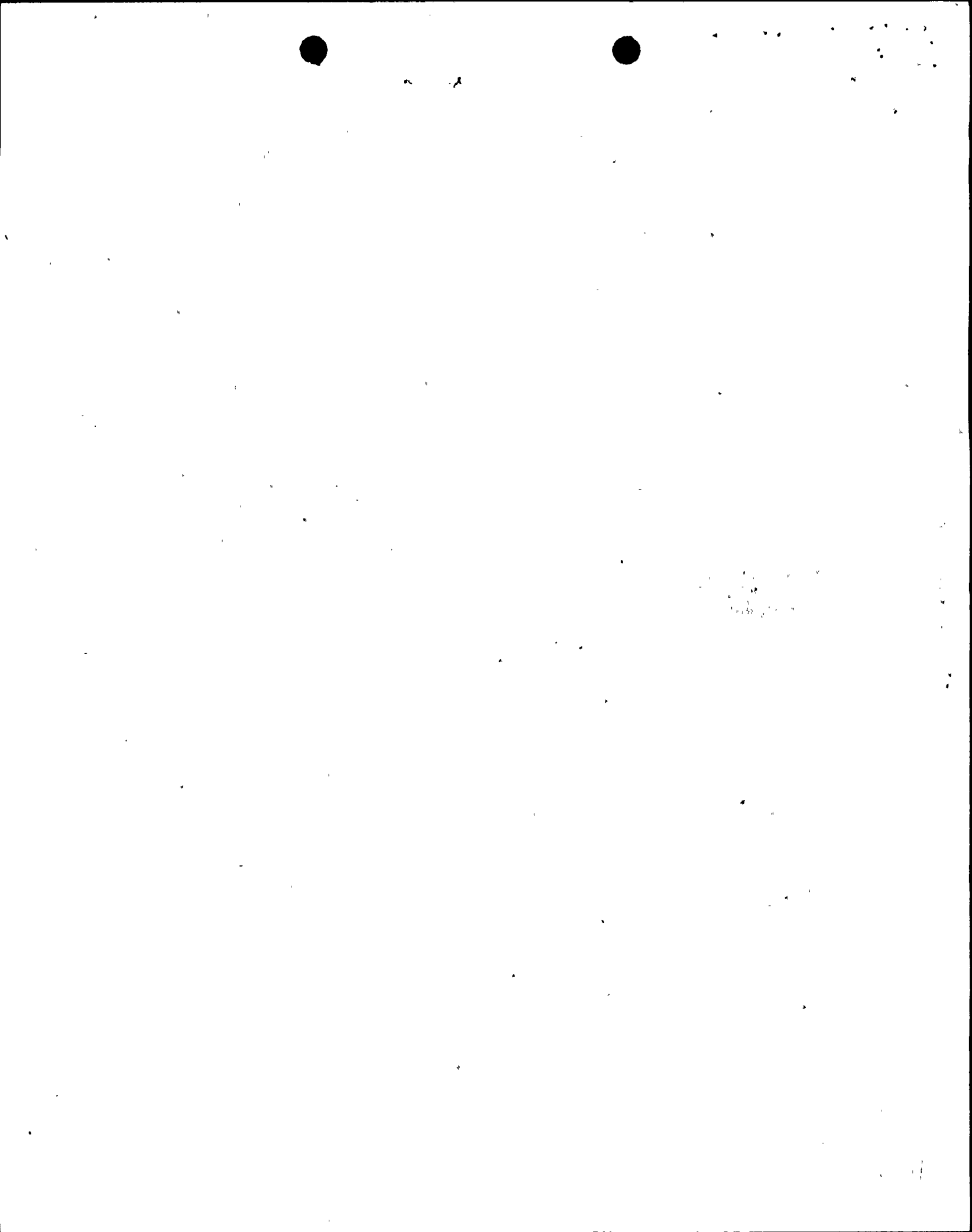
Sir:

The attached communication  
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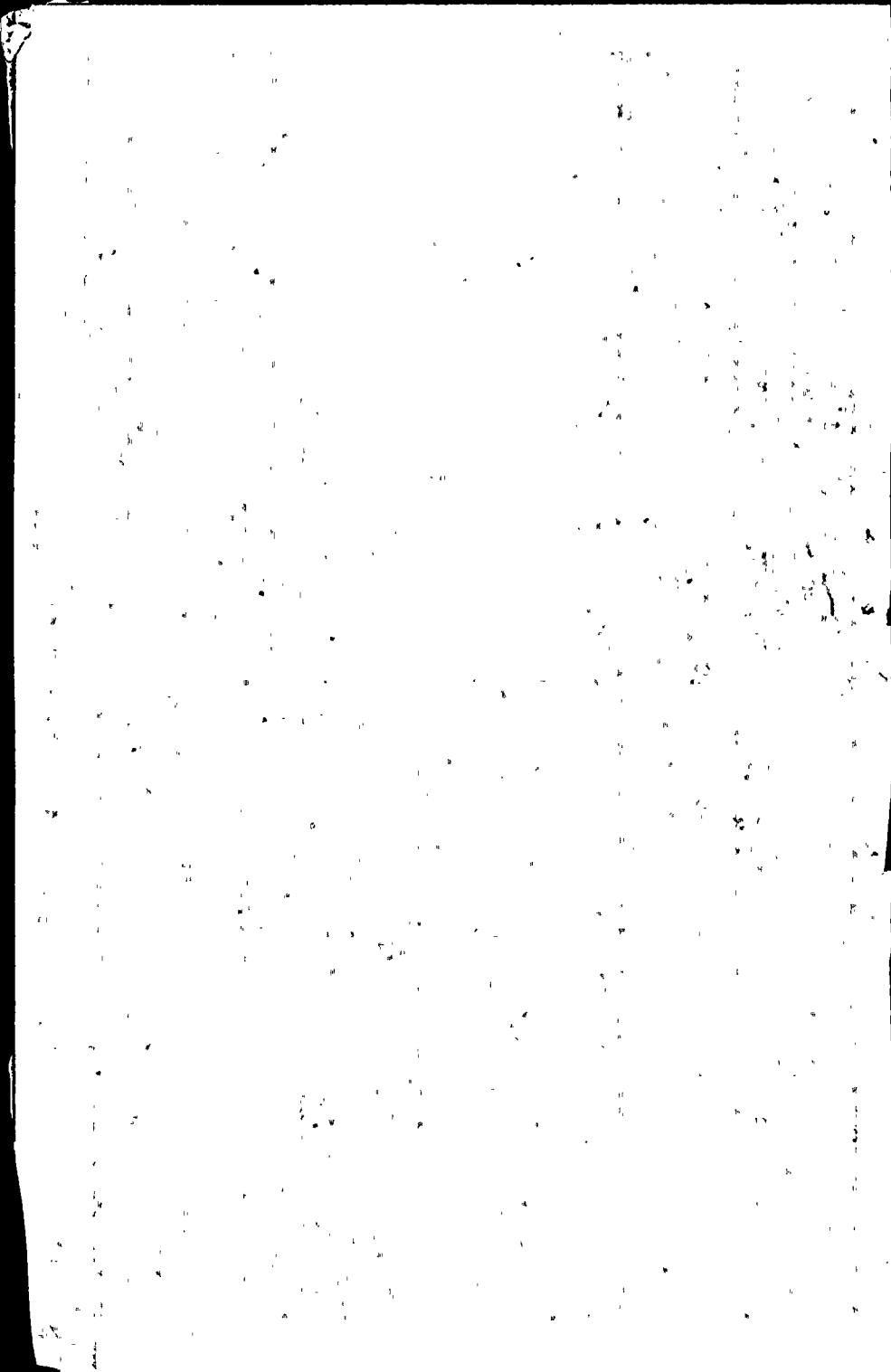
Yours truly,

  
Gary A. Lee M. C.

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Incoming: Rep Gary Lee, Const Ref

From: Thomas E. Perkins, Charles Johnson

Jay Woodruff

To: OCA Date 9/3/81

Subject: technicality on the part of NRC in re to  
employment at the Niagara Mohawk power plant

- Prepare reply for signature of:
- Chairman
  - Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_
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For direct reply\* **Suspense: Sept 30**

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- For information

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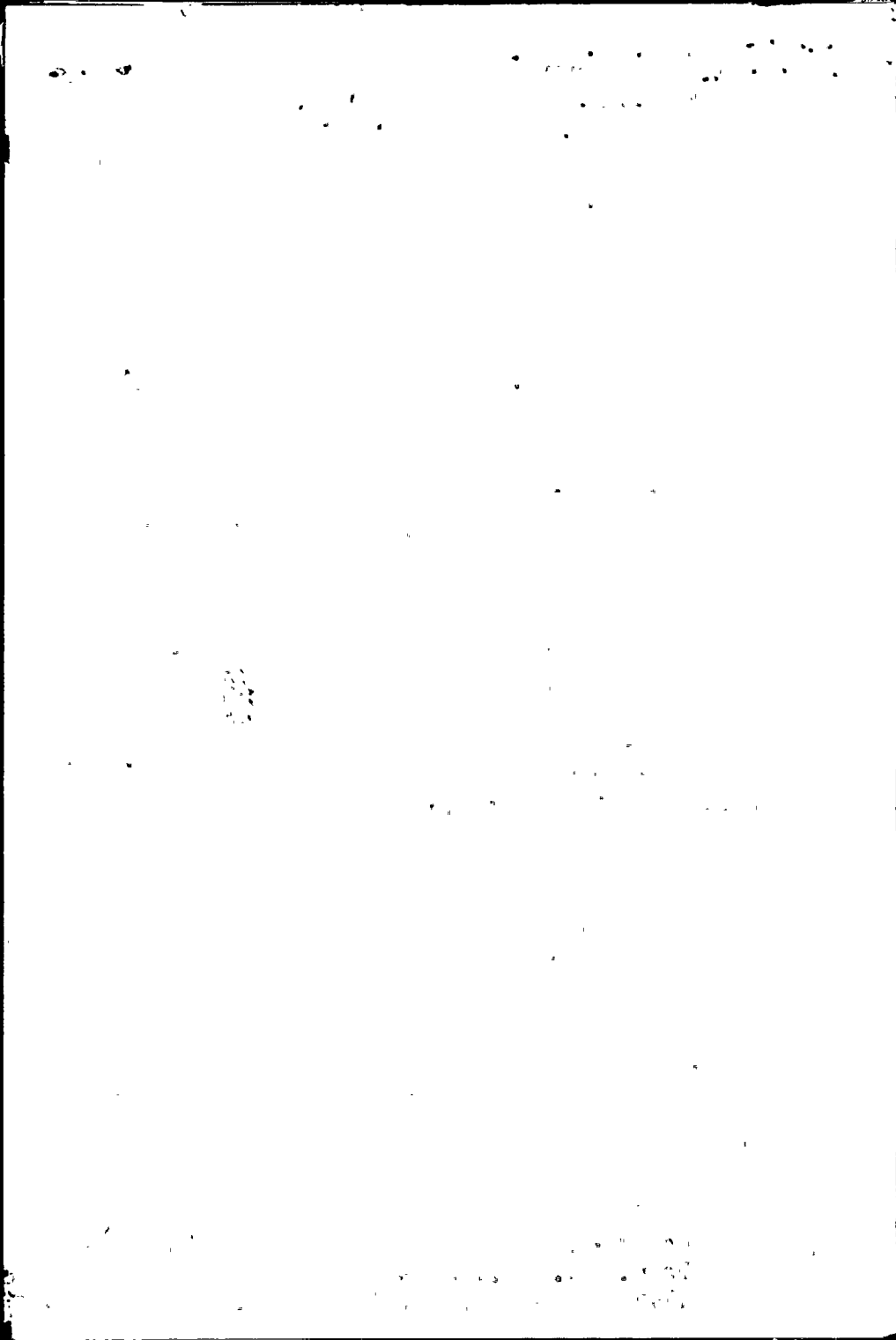
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AUG 24 1981

GARY A. LEE  
SYRACUSE

August 21, 1981

AUG 26 1981

Congressman Gary A. Lee  
1245 Federal Building  
Syracuse, N.Y. 13260.

Dear Congressman Lee:

As per our conversation of August 20, 1981 at the VanBuren Town Hall, we feel that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission is being unfair in granting us employment.

The background is as follows:

In May we were interviewed for positions for a new fire brigade to be formed at the Niagara Mohawk Nuclear Power Plant in Oswego. We went through various testing, physicals etc. Two of us, namely Charles Johnson and Thomas Perkins were offered positions as Chief of the fire brigade, and one of us, Jay Woodruff offered the position of firefighter.

I might add that there were over 400 applicants for these positions and 25 were finally selected. The final portion of the testing consisted of an agility test which included riding an exercise bicycle for 5 minutes, a stretch test, as many sit ups as you could do in a minute, carrying a length of fire hose across a beam, and carrying a 125 pound dummy around the gym.

We were informed by Niagara Mohawk on August 13th that we failed the agility test and that according to NRC's rules we must pass all of the agility test to gain employment.

We just feel that an agency that was nothing until the Three Mile Island incident has suddenly gained so much power that they can be technical regarding someone's employment.

Any information you can obtain will be appreciated.

Thank you,

*Thomas E. Perkins*

Thomas E. Perkins  
3 MacArthur Rd. Baldwinsville N.Y. 13027

*Charles Johnson*

Charles Johnson  
71 Syracuse St. Baldwinsville N.Y. 13027

*Jay Woodruff*

Jay Woodruff

