

November 18, 1993

50-255

The Honorable Donald W. Riegler, Jr.  
United States Senator  
Suite 716 Federal Building  
110 Michigan Avenue, N. W.  
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49503

Dear Senator Riegler:

I am responding to your letter of October 20, 1993, with regard to the correspondence from your constituent, Ms. Corinne Carey, dated September 8, 1993.

A member of my staff reached Ms. Carey by telephone on November 2, to seek clarification of her letter. Now that we have a better understanding of her request, the NRC staff is preparing a response to Ms. Carey; that response will be forwarded to her under separate cover, and a copy will be sent to your regional office.

With respect to Ms. Carey's concern about the local public document room (LPDR), the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) relocated the Palisades LPDR from the Kalamazoo Public Library (KPL) to Hope College, Holland, Michigan, in June 1985. KPL asked the NRC to move the Palisades LPDR elsewhere because the library lacked adequate space and supporting staff. We selected the Hope College library because of its available space, staff, and extended hours of operation. While the NRC has historically tried to locate LPDRs as near to the plant site as possible, there is no requirement that an LPDR be located within 30 miles of the nuclear power plant.

If a particular LPDR is not equipped to provide a requested service, the LPDR librarians and patrons may use a toll-free telephone number to request assistance and information from the NRC LPDR staff in Bethesda, Maryland. That telephone number is 1-800-638-8081.

Ms. Carey's original letter is enclosed as requested. I trust the NRC reply addresses Ms. Carey's concern about the LPDR.

Sincerely,

Original signed by  
James M. Taylor

James M. Taylor  
Executive Director  
for Operations

Enclosure:

Letter from C. Carey  
dated 9/8/93

\*See previous concurrence

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2213 Riverside Dr NE  
Grand Rapids MI 49505  
Sept. 8, 1993

Dear Mr. People,  
I write to ask your assistance  
on procuring NRE data.

On the Hope College (Holland MI)  
local document room (for Palisades Nuclear  
plant located over) Airborne Effluents  
Comparison by Year of Pressurized Water Reactors  
years 1970 (Palisades 1972) through 1979, as well as  
other data.

Unfortunately I lack request you  
acquire for me the following:

The Above - data 1980-1989 and current to date.  
The Pressurized Standards (Benchmark)  
Airborne Effluent Comparisons by Year  
on both Pressurized Water Reactors and  
Boiling Water Reactors for 1970-1989 etc.  
and the Pressurized Standards for these.  
Also a list of standard emissions of  
Airborne and liquid effluent, Nuclear  
Released, their identity and activity, gpm, and  
Also a listing of the above in current gpm, and  
gpm & fuel handling and failed fuel units  
per AIT charters and related reports.

Thank you.  
Sincerely,  
Constance Carey

\* NOTE: Sent This illegally located, outside the  
30 mile distance from Palisades plant? What else is  
"located"? Would it be better public awareness on?

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11/18/93  
**ACTION**

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FROM: DUE: 11/15/93

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FINAL REPLY:

SEN. DONALD W. RIEGLE, JR.

TO:

OCA

FOR SIGNATURE OF :

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CRC NO: 93-0982

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

DESC:

ROUTING:

ENCLOSES LETTER FROM CORINNE CAREY REQUESTING  
INFO CONCERNING PALISADES NUCLEAR POWER PLANT

TAYLOR  
SNIEZEK  
THOMPSON  
BLAHA

DATE: 11/02/93

ASSIGNED TO:

CONTACT:

NRR

MURLEY

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS OR REMARKS:

NRR RECEIVED: November 2, 1993  
NRR ACTION: DRPW:ROE

NRR ROUTING: TEM/FJM  
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<p><b>ACTION</b></p> <p>DUE TO NRR DIRECTOR'S OFFICE</p> <p>BY <i>[Signature]</i> 10, '93</p>
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AUTHOR: Donald W. Riegle, Jr.  
AFFILIATION: U.S. SENATE

ADDRESSEE: Congressional Affairs

LETTER DATE: Oct 20 93                      FILE CODE:

SUBJECT: Constituent's request for information concerning  
Palisades

ACTION: Direct Reply

DISTRIBUTION: OCA to Ack.

SPECIAL HANDLING:

CONSTITUENT: Corinne Carey

NOTES:

DATE DUE: Nov 16 93

SIGNATURE: .                      DATE SIGNED:

AFFILIATION:

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