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FROM: Rep. Charles B. Rangel/Ted Weiss		ACTION CONTROL	DATES	CONTROL NO. 05868
TO: Chairman Hendrie		COMPL DEADLINE	4/27/79	DATE OF DOCUMENT 4/2/79
		ACKNOWLEDGMENT	4/9/79 OCA	
DESCRIPTION <input type="checkbox"/> LETTER <input type="checkbox"/> MEMO <input type="checkbox"/> REPORT <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER Req info on radiation dispersion patterns expected from TMI and the risks to New York City		INTERIM REPLY		PF <input type="checkbox"/> PREPARE FOR SIGNATURE OF: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CHAIRMAN <input type="checkbox"/> EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OTHER: _____
		FINAL REPLY		
		FILE LOCATION		
CLASSIFIED DATA		SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS OR REMARKS		
DOCUMENT/COPY NO.		CLASSIFICATION		MPA will coordinate TMI key correspondence and will be in contact w/offices involved to acquire input. Address ASAP - 10 days, or talk w/Rehm
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ASSIGNED TO:	DATE	INFORMATION ROUTING	LEGAL REVIEW <input type="checkbox"/> FINAL <input type="checkbox"/> COPY	
Haller	4/12/79	Davis Jeanne Cook	ASSIGNED TO	NO LEGAL OBJECTIONS NOTIFY
			DATE	<input type="checkbox"/> EDD ADMIN & CORRECT BR
				EXT. _____
				COMMENTS, NOTIFY
				EXT. _____
				JCAE NOTIFICATION RECOMMENDED: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO

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TO:  Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Incoming: Reps. Charles Rangel & Ted Weiss &  
 From: 6 other ~~XXXX~~ State & local New York  
officials

To: Chairman Hendrie Date 4/2/79

Subject: Requests info. on radiation dispersal  
~~XXXX~~ patterns expected from Three Mile Island

Prepare reply for signature of:

- Chairman Date due Comm: April 13
- Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_
- EDO, GC, CL, SOL, PA, SECY
- Signature block omitted
- \_\_\_\_\_

Return original of incoming with response

- For direct reply\*
- For appropriate action
- For information
- For recommendation

*4/4/79  
12:22*

Remarks: Cpys to: Chm, Cmrs, PE, OGC, PA, SECY, PDR,  
ACRS, OIA, Incident Response Center, OCA to Acknowledge  
Rapifaxed to EDO

For the Commission: Combs

\*Send three (3) copies of reply to Secy Mail Facility

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JOSEPH M HENDRIE, CHAIRMAN  
US NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON DC 20555

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WE ARE EXTREMELY CONCERNED ABOUT THE POTENTIAL CONSEQUENCES OF THE 3 MILE ISLAND REACTOR ACCIDENT FOR OUR DISTRICTS IF THE REACTOR SHOULD EXPLODE OR MELT DOWN, WHICH WE UNDERSTAND MAY REMAIN A DANGER FOR DAYS OR WEEKS TO COME.

WE UNDERSTAND THAT THE NRC HAS THE CAPACITY TO PROJECT HYPOTHETICAL ACCIDENT CONSEQUENCES BY COMPUTER, AND THAT YOU WILL ALREADY BE RUNNING CONSEQUENCE PROGRAMS FOR VARIOUS POSSIBLE OUTCOMES OF THE 3 MILE ISLAND ACCIDENT UNDER CURRENT AND PREDICTED WEATHER CONDITIONS.

WE THEREFORE REQUEST THAT YOU INFORM US GENERALLY WHAT RADIATION DISPERSION PATTERNS WOULD BE EXPECTED SHOULD A) AN EXPLOSION B) A MELT DOWN, OCCUR WITHIN THE NEXT 48 HOURS, AND SPECIFICALLY WHAT THE RISKS TO NEW YORK CITY, IF ANY, WOULD BE, AND THAT YOUR OFFICE BE PREPARED TO UPDATE THIS INFORMATION SHOULD THE CRISIS CONTINUE, OR UNTIL THE REACTOR IS CONFIRMED TO BE IN A COLD SHUT DOWN STATE.

PLEASE RESPOND DIRECTLY TO THE WASHINGTON OFFICES OF EITHER CONGRESSMAN WEISS OR CONGRESSMAN RANGEL.

CONGRESSMAN CHARLES B RANGEL  
CONGRESSMAN TED WEISS  
STATE SENATOR MANFRED OHRENSTEIN  
STATE SENATOR FRANZ LEICHTER  
STATE SENATOR CARL MCCALL  
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