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POOR ORIGINAL

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

IN 1970, I HAD A CORDIS "ECTOCOR" PACEMAKER IMPLANTED IN MY CHEST CAVITY TO CORRECT A HEART BLOCK. THIS WAS REPLACED IN 1972 WITH ANOTHER "ECTOCOR". IN 1974, I WAS CHOSEN AS A CANDIDATE FOR A NUCLEAR PACEMAKER, A MEDTRONIC LAURENS-ALCATEL MODEL 9000.

ALTHOUGH I CANNOT COMMENT ON THE PACEMAKER FROM A SCIENTIFIC POINT OF VIEW, I CAN SAY MY MENTAL OUTLOOK HAS IMPROVED. I USED TO DREAD LOOKING FORWARD TO ENTERING THE HOSPITAL EVERY EIGHTEEN MONTHS TO HAVE THE BATTERIES CHANGED. I NOW LOOK BEYOND THE TEN YEAR SPAN WHICH WAS PLACED ON NUCLEAR PACEMAKERS ORIGINALLY.

TRUSTING THE COMMISSION WILL APPROVE THE CONTINUED MANUFACTURE OF NUCLEAR PACEMAKERS, I AM,

YOURS SINCERELY,

Roger G. Powers
ROGER G. POWERS.

Acknowledged by card... 9/26

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MEMO

RE: CHANGE OF ADDRESS

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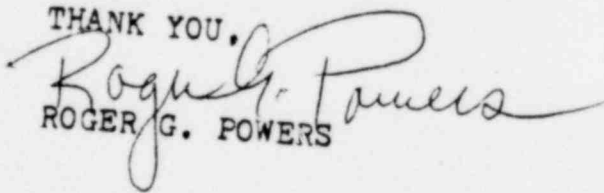
NEW ADDRESS:

ROGER G. POWERS
RT. 3, BOX 388
MIFFLINTOWN, PA., 17059.

I WAS UNDER THE DIRECT CARE OF DR. NICHOLAS P. D. SMYTH,
PRINCE GEORGE'S GENERAL HOSPITAL, CHEVERLY, MARYLAND.

I AM NOW UNDER THE CARE OF DR. PYTCO, OF THE GEISINGER
MEDICAL CENTER, DANVILLE, PENNA., 17821, WHO IS IN CONTACT WITH
DR. SMYTH.

THANK YOU.


ROGER G. POWERS

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