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Mr. F. J. Powell, Chief
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Room B104, Building 226
National Bureau of Standards
Washington, D. C. 20234

Dear Mr. Powell:

This is to notify you of our interest in obtaining Dr. Hunt's assistance with respect to studies of air exchange in the isolated control room of a nuclear plant. We would like Dr. Hunt to visit a typical nuclear plant to inspect the control room. This trip is scheduled to occur on or about July 12, 1973.

Dr. Hunt's travel expenses would be reimbursed by the AEC (sorry but we cannot arrange a travel advance). Tentatively the plan is to visit the Three Mile Island plant which is southeast of Harrisburg, Pa. We would like your approval for this trip (our phone here is 973-7323).

We are in the process of a budget review. We should know within a month or two whether sufficient funds are available to conduct a program in which we would plan to use Dr. Hunt's services. Once budget approval has been obtained we will meet with the appropriate NBS personnel to outline our needs, etc. For planning purposes we estimate that about two months of Dr. Hunt's time would be required for data collection, data reduction, and documentation.

Sincerely,

Brian Grimes, Chief
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