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Dear Mr. Dalton:

In response to your informal request, enclosed for your information, is a summary report of the Millstone hydrogen explosion and 29 similar explosions which have occurred since 1971.

I am informed that the General Electric Nuclear Reactor Study (the 1974 "Reed Report") has been classified as being proprietary in nature because it contains information which, if released, would have an adverse effect upon the competitive position of GE. Consequently, such information may not be released except in accordance with the provisions of 10 C.F.R. Section 2.790. The enclosed February 9, 1978 letter to Congressman Dingell and related enclosures describes the action which has been taken to date on the contents of the Reed Report.

Sincerely,

L. Dow Davis
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Enclosure as Stated

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