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Mrs. Ronald J. Cook
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Dear Mrs. Cook:

I am very appreciative of your most thoughtful and constructive letter of June 11, 1979. Let me assure you that the comments you have made will receive my personal and prompt attention.

As you know, the NRC Resident Inspector Program is still relatively new and yours is our initial first-hand account of the social, psychological and financial adjustments that face Resident Inspectors and their families as the program expands. Our eventual aim is to have an Inspector at all operating plants, so your comments and observations are extremely valuable.

I have instituted an inquiry into those aspects of the program with particular emphasis on the ways that the agency can alleviate the difficulties you and your family have encountered. When that review is completed, I will be back in touch with you with a report on what we are doing and how we are doing it.

Let me thank you again for writing directly to me, and for giving me the benefit of your insight into an extremely important NRC program.

Sincerely,

Joseph M. Hendrie
Chairman

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