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MEMORANDUM FOR: Voss A. Moore, Acting Assistant Director for Plant Systems

FROM: Roger J. Mattson, Director TMI Action Plan Steering Group

SUBJECT: TMI TASK ACTION PLANS - CRITERIA FOR AUTOMATIC AND MANUAL ACTIONS

Your note of January 22, 1980 to me briefly discussed the subject of automatic versus manual (operator) action. You stated that a task should be included in the TMI-2 Action to develop criteria for determining which safety actions should be performed automatically and which should be manual actions.

I agree with you that the subject of manual versus automatic actions is an important topic that deserves coverage in the Action Plan. The TMI-2 Action Plan Steering Group has addressed the subject in Section I.A.4.2 subitem (b) - "Safety-Related Operator Action." One of the tasks is to develop recommendations relative to the degree of automation that should accompany the activation and operation of engineered safety features as well as the resulting information display. By a copy of this memo, I am forwarding your note of January 22, 1979 to J. P. O'Reilly, Chapter Head for Chapter 1, and D. Skovholt, Task Manager for Section I.A, requesting that they revise subitem (b) of Section I.A.4.2 to more clearly address the subject of criteria for automatic and manual actions.

> Original signed by Roger J. Mattson

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