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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION
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OFFICE OF THE
CHAIRMAN

The Honorable Brock Adams
Secretary, U.S. Department
of Transportation
400 Seventh Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20590

Dear Mr. Secretary:

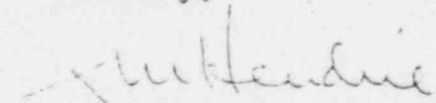
Enclosed is a copy of a letter which I received from Representative John B. Anderson writing on behalf of the Illinois Atomic Energy Commission concerning possible Federal funding for the Illinois State Police Hazardous Materials Transportation Program.

The Nuclear Regulatory Commission is already assisting the State with a program for monitoring the transport of radioactive materials within Illinois. However, it lacks the means and authority to support State programs involving other hazardous materials.

It is my understanding that the Department of Transportation may have funds available for this purpose. If so, I am sure the Congressman and the State of Illinois would appreciate any assistance your Department may be able to provide in this respect.

I have advised Congressman Anderson that I am forwarding his request to you and am enclosing a copy of my response for your information.

Sincerely,


Joseph M. Hendrie
Chairman

Enclosure:
As stated

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