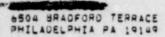
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SIRS:

I RESPECTFULLY PETITION THAT THE MATER IN THE THREE MILE ISLAND NO. 2 NUCLEAR REACTOR SPILL NOT BE REMOVED UNTIL AND UNLESS ALL QUESTIONS ABOUT ITS FINAL DISPOSAL ARE ANSWERED TO THE PUBLIC ACCEPTARLY. DO NOT INCREASE THE DANGER TO THE PUBLIC BY TRANSPORTING THIS LETHAL MASS.

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Marvin I. Levis 6504 Bradford Terrace Phila. PA 19149 8-2-79.

Senator Schweiker

Dear Senator:

Thank you for the quick action which you did on the 4000 gallon unannounced dump of radioactive water at Three "file Island.

However, the important questions are still not answered.

The questions are

1. Van we stop future dumping? 215 CH 9 5964

- 2. Since the dirtiest water from a wash is the first water out, how can the testing of the remaining water estimate any other than the minimum contamination and of the 4000 gallons already out?
- 5. P 'one health effects (defined as premature deaths of cange by the NRC) can we expect from this 4000 gallon dump?
- 4. How can we get responsible and responsive people in the regulatory bodies? Examples: Chman Hendrie objections to the 1st Amendment reported in the Press and Nucleonics Week. Karl Abraham of the NRC King of Prussia office of NRC repeatedly telling me that MET ED will not dump. (My letter on water dumping to Jimmy Carter on 6-27-79.)
- 5. The larest figure for the contaminated water in Three Mile Island #2 is 200 rems per hour and 800,000 gallons. It will have to be dumped soon. At 8 feet, three are electrical penetrations which should not be Tlooded. That is an emergency situation. The water is over 7 feet and increasing 1/2 inch per week.

 We are only a few weeks from an emergency situation where Met Ed must be give the go shead to dump!

HELP!

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Spillage is feared at 3 Mile Island

water, from 1-A the secident, stee remains of about 350,000 gallons of the radioac. Suring the cleanup of that Two. processing facility has already been ' dioactive water may fill the Unit Two... for f the schalors fold Hendrie. tive water. They said that the waterconstructed and needs only NRC approval to begin operation.

At a hastily called meeting yester day afternoon, the NRC staff sald the radioactive water could be shunted . from the tanks at the Unit Two renetor to tanks at the Unit One reactor, It was the Unit Two reactor that was involved in the Three to's lelend Accident March 28, the most serious in the 25-year history of commercial .

the accident, also remains closed

The NRC staff confirmed that ratanks to capacity in about a month, but it said that it would take as long a year to fill the now-uncontaminated tanks at Unit One.

In its letter, the Senate panel, their letter sold which has been investigating the and the accumulating radioactive mined how to dispose of it safely.

water stored at the site and the vol- respond to any future cut: "cncy at " (H. Tenn.), minority leader, to a

ume is increasing due to a leak in the letdown line drawing cooling water from the nuclear core of the fear-

We are advised that this leak cannot be repaired because of high radiation in the containment building, where the reactor is located;

Reactor operators hoped to keep March accident, asked Hendrie what the contaminated water inside the the NRC planned to do about the leak reactor containment until they deler-

oc to describe "what planning is stomic power The Unit One reactor,, million gallons of contaminated being done by the Amilston to

the Three Mile Island site related to management of these highly radioactive wastes."

The NRC's director of nuclear reac tor regulation, Harold Denton, was quoted by the senators as saying that as long as radioactive water remained in the reactor containment structure, It might find sneak paths to the outside

Hart's letter was signed by the other members of the subcommittee as well as by Sens Jennings Ran-The subcommittee called on the dolph (D. W.Va.), chairman of the Environment and Public Works Committee, and Howard H. Baker Jr.

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UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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September 12, 1979

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Richard H. Vollmer, Director Three Mile Island-2 Support

FROM:

Leon B. Engle, Project Manager DPM/B&O Task Force/TMI Task Force

SUBJECT:

MEETING WITH GENERAL PUBLIC UTILITIES SERVICE CORPORATION AND METROPOLITAN EDISON COMPANY - SEPTEMBER 24, 1979, TO SEPTEMBER 28, 1979. EMERGENCY PLANNING FOR THREE MILE ISLAND, UNIT 1 (TMI-1)

DATE/TIME:

Monday, September 24, 1979, to Friday, September 28, 1979 10:00 A.M. each day

PLACE:

Three Mile Island Site, Middletown, Pennsylvania

PURPOSE:

See

To discuss emergency planning for TMI-1 in accordance with the NRC Action Plan for Upgrading Emergency Planning at

Licensed Facilities

PARTICIPANTS:

Met Ed/GPU

NRC .

A. Tsaggeris, et al

J. Roe, et al

When the PUBLIC ATTENDANCE; melin

Individuals or group. interested in attending this meeting should so indicate their desire by notifying Jack Roe or Leon Engle, NRC, 301/492-7846 or 301/492-8349, respectively, no later than September 20, 1979

Leon Engle, Project Manager DPM/B&O Task Force/TMI Task Force

