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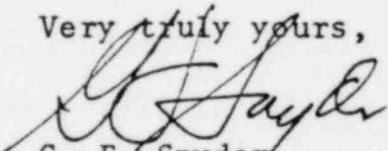
Dear Mr. Collins:

Having attended the public meeting at the Host Inn in Harrisburg, April 24, with Messrs. Clifford Jones, secretary of DER, Harold Denton, NRC and others relative to relieving the mass hysteria surrounding TMI, we want to emphasize the need to set a positive program in motion at TMI.

We are greatly concerned with the lack of progress on clean up of Unit #2.

Our Board of Directors approved the attached Resolution at our regular meeting, Monday, May 12, 1980.

Very truly yours,

  
G. F. Snyder  
Executive Secretary

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RESOLUTION RE: TMI

WHEREAS, South Central Pennsylvania (including York County) experienced a nuclear accident beginning March 28, 1979, and

WHEREAS, the area's people by their strong will and hard work have avoided the usual upheavals and economic difficulties which usually follow such disruptions, and

WHEREAS, the clean up of TMI Unit #2 is a requisite if we are to maintain the orderly growth of the area and protect the health of our people, and

WHEREAS, current delays in the clean up process have resulted from controversy over the proposed release of krypton gas in small amounts, and

WHEREAS, the NRC, DER, and the Governor's Commission Report of February 26, 1980, have all indicated that the release of such gas can be accomplished in a safe, controlled, fully monitored manner producing radiation well below normal levels experienced in everyday life,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Directors of the Manufacturers' Association of York, Pa., urges the Governor, the Secretary of DER, the NRC, and the EPA and other interested parties to proceed expeditiously with venting the krypton gas and proceed with the clean up so that we can avoid added threats to the health and welfare of our citizenry, which may result from extended delays in resolving a recognized problem.

Approved by the Board of Directors of the Manufacturers' Association of York, Pa., on May 12, 1980.