UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION 1 1 - - 100 *

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The Honorable Richard S. Schweiker United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Schweiker:

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Your memorandum of April 11, 1980 forwarded for NRC consideration Mr. L.O. Dorfman's March 26, 1980 letter to you. Mr. Dorfman requested you inform him of the proper individual within the NRC to send his recommendations concerning improvements in nuclear power plants.

Dr. Roger J. Mattson, Director of the Division of Safety Technology within the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation, would be happy to receive Mr. Dorfman's comments and recommendations. He is responsible for assuring that the Commission's basic safety and environmental policies, grals and requirements are satisfied by the regulatory process including the setting of regulatory priorities for reactor safety research and for reactor safety standards development.

We will be pleased to consider any comments and recommendations Mr. Dorfman may have on improvements in nuclear power plants.

Sincerely,

(Signed) T. A. Rehm

William J. Dircks Acting Executive Director for Operations

Enclosures: Letter from R. Schweiker dated 4/11/80 Letter from L. Dorfman dated 3/26/80

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