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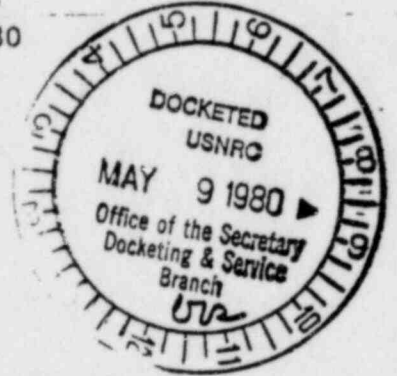
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April 8, 1980

Mr. Herbert Grossman  
Chairman  
Atomic Safety & Licensing Board  
US NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
Washington DC 20555



Dear Mr. Grossman:

Concerning your order requesting views concerning the prehearing conference transcript.

Question 1: The quality of the transcript was very poor. The statements that I did recall were not accurately reflected in the transcript. It was surprisingly deficient.

Question 2: See if a better transcript can be created from the existing transcriptions. Request that the service retranscribe the hearing if that will improve matters (probably run a test on some section). If it will not improve matters and the basic transcription is defective then ask parties to submit revisions. What to do if the revisions are rechallenged? Hold another prehearing conference.

Question 3: If the transcript cannot be satisfactorily improved then the only alternative is for the Board (a) to hold a hearing which covers all contentions of the intervenors, admitting all intervenors; or (b) to hold another prehearing conference. This would mean that the Board would totally ignore the prehearing of March 12 - 13. However, parties might work more informally at a second prehearing conference using the first as a basis and thus conclude matters more quickly.

Sincerely,

Richard L. Robbins  
Executive Director

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