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To:

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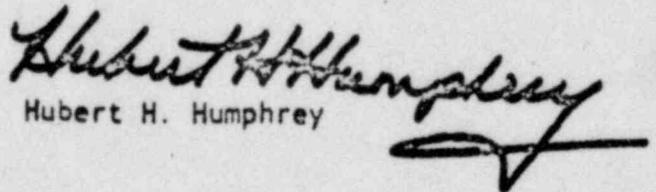
Re:

Refusal to allow testimony

I forward the attached for your consideration.

Your report in duplicate along with the return of the enclosure
will be appreciated.

Sincerely,


Hubert H. Humphrey

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April 22, 1971

The Honorable Hubert H. Humphrey
Senator
Washington, D. C.

Re: AEC Refusal to allow the testimony of Minnesota
Pollution Control Agency member and engineer
Steve J. Gadler of St. Paul, Minnesota

Dear Senator Humphrey: *Hubert*

I represent Mr. Gadler in his attempt to give testimony opposing the construction of the Midland, Michigan nuclear plant, which matter is presently before the Atomic Energy Commission Safety and Licensing Board.

As the enclosed letter to the chairman of the AEC indicates, Mr. Gadler made a timely request for a limited appearance, the agency erred in overlooking his request, and the agency to date has been intransigent in refusing to correct their error by allowing Mr. Gadler to testify.

Mr. Gadler's experience and expertise in these matters, his willingness to dedicate his time as a volunteer in defense of the environment, and his extensive expertise from serving as a member of the Minnesota Pollution Control Agency make his testimony in this matter especially desirable.

Appreciating your concern for the environment, and interest in the dedication and work of men like Mr. Gadler who have served the state well, I urge you to lend whatever assistance you can to persuade the AEC to allow Mr. Gadler to testify as requested. I look forward to hearing from you at your earliest opportunity. Best wishes.

Very truly yours,

STEPHENSON AND CASTNER

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