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Program (45 FR 41555)

Secretary of the Commission U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555

Attn: Docketing and Service Branch

Re: Procedures to Implement the Part-time Career Act

of 1978

Dear Secretary:

The Office of Coordination and Review, within the Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice, has as one of its functions the coordination of efforts by executive branch departments and agencies to eliminate sex discrimination in and by the federal government, in accordance with a Presidential Memorandum of August 26, 1977. Our primary contact persons at the NRC have been Ruth J. Anderson and Sybil Kari.

In conjunction with our responsibilities, we took note of the above-referenced proposal as published at 45 Fed. Reg. 41555 (June 19, 1980). We feel it appropriate to bring to your attention the disproportionate impact which part-time em loyment has upon women, many of whom could not hold full-time positions because of family or other responsibilities. We are pleased to note your agency's attention to this issue, and we are particularly pleased that the criteria for determining goals and timetables for conversion of positions to part-time status include affirmative action. We trust that you will indeed bear in mind the noted impact on women as decisions on conversion of positions are made.

Very truly yours,

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Civil Rights Division

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