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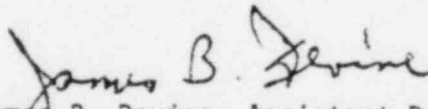
Mr. G. F. Helfrich, Director
Office of Program Implementation
Bureau of Oceans and International
Environmental and Scientific Affairs
U.S. Department of State
Washington, D.C. 20520

Dear Mr. Helfrich:

Enclosed please find three applications from Combustion Engineering, Inc., for licenses to export two power reactors, initial cores, and three reloads each to Taiwan for Taiwan Power Company Nuclear Units 7 and 8.

Before taking action on these license applications, we would appreciate your views, in accordance with established procedures and from the overall perspective of the Executive Branch, as to whether the proposed exports meet the applicable criteria in the Atomic Energy Act as amended by the Nuclear Non-proliferation Act of 1978.

Sincerely,


James B. Devine, Assistant Director
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Enclosure:
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