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Dr. Bernard J. Snyder, Director
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Dear Dr. Snyder:

In view of the length and intricacy of your Draft-Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement on Three Mile Island Nuclear Station, Unit 2 (NUREG-0683, we believe it would be wise from both official and public viewpoints to extend the time allotted for independent scientists and the public to study the evidence and weigh the procedures suggested therein and make their comments.

Since any contemplated cleanup will take a very long time at best, it can only be wise to err on the side of security and health precautions when making such momentous choices.

We suggest that the public study and comment period be at least doubled.

In peace,

Melva L. Mueller
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