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Mr. John F. Ahearne  
Chairman Commissioner  
US Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
1717 H Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20555

Subject: Docket 50-289SP  
TMI - Unit 1  
Middleton, PA

Dear Commissioner Ahearne:

I am writing you this letter in the hopes that you will show some concern for an energy problem which this country faces, which can be partially alleviated by granting permission to operate Three Mile Island Nuclear Plant-Unit 1.

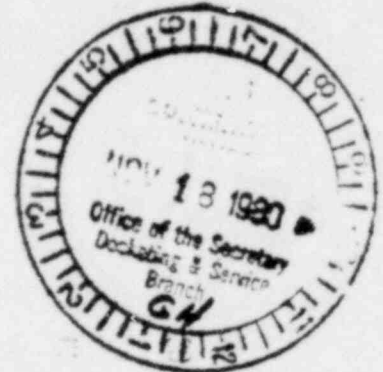
I am concerned that we are facing much greater dangers and hazards by not operating a perfectly safe and workable generating station. If Unit 1 were located 1000 miles from its Sister Unit 2, there is no question that permission would be granted to utilize that facility.

I urge you to use your office in any way you can to see to it that authorization is granted to start up Three Mile Island-Unit 1.

Yours very truly,

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