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Dear Mr. Longenecker:

SUBJECT: CLINCH RIVER BREEDER REACTOR PLANT, REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Pursuant to the information needs of the staff identified in Section 2.3.3 of Regulatory Guide 1.70.29, "Information for Safety Analysis Reports - Meteorology," we request transmittal via magnetic tape of onsite meteorological data for our evaluation of the radiological consequences of normal and accidental releases to the atmosphere. Please use the enclosed guidance on format and tape attributes (Enclosures 1 and 1A) and provide hour by hour data for the period of record (July 1, 1975-June 30, 1976) which you have used to construct the diffusion estimates reflected in the Tables in Section 2.3 of the PSAR. Also, please include documentation identifying the parameters measured, instrumentation, period of record and a dump of the first block of data on the tape as shown in Enclosure 2. We have assigned question number 451.1 to this request. Please provide this information by December 21, 1981.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures:

As stated

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KEYWORDS

	<u>IBM</u>	<u>CDC</u>
Code:	9-track, 1600 bpi, EBCDIC ¹	UNIT = TAPE9, DEN = 3
Internal Labels:	none ²	LABEL = (,NL)
Record Format:	fixed length/blocked	RECFM = FB
Record Length:	160 characters	LRECL = 160
Blocking:	3200 characters/block	PBSIZE = 3200
		RB = 20

19-track, 800 bpi, EBCDIC or
7-track, 800 or 556 bpi, BCD
are also acceptable

¹ IBM standard labels are also acceptable

DO NOT USE

Variable length or unformatted records or records that span tape blocks.

e.g. IPM's RECFM = U or VBS
e.g. CDC SCOPE standard tape data format (use the S parameter on the
REQUEST to avoid this)

OTHER SYSTEMS

For systems other than IBM or CDC the above information should be used as a guideline
to produce tapes with similar characteristics.

Enclosure 1A

Tape Acceptance

Enclosure 1

MAGNETIC TAPE
METEOROLOGICAL DATA

LOCATION:

DATE OF DATA RECORD:

I6 Identifier (can be anything)

I2 Year

I3 Julian Day

I4 Hour (on 24 hr clock)

ACCURACY

F5.1 Upper Measurements: Level = meters

F5.1 Wind Direction (degrees) _____

F5.1 Wind Speed (meter/sec) _____

F5.1 Sigma Theta (degrees) _____

F5.1 Ambient Temperature (°C) _____

F5.1 Moisture: _____

F5.1 Other: _____

F5.1 Intermediate Measurements: Level = meters

F5.1 Wind Direction (degrees) _____

F5.1 Wind Speed (meters/sec) _____

F5.1 Sigma Theta (degrees) _____

F5.1 Ambient Temperature (°C) _____

F5.1 Moisture: _____

F5.1 Other: _____

Enclosure 1

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<u>F5.1</u>	Lower Measurements: Level = meters	
<u>F5.1</u>	Wind Direction (degrees)	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Wind Speed (meters/sec)	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Sigma Theta (degrees)	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Ambient Temperature (°C)	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Moisture: _____	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Other: _____	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Temp Diff (Upper-Lower) (°C/100 meters)	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Temp Diff (Upper-Intermediate) (°C/100 meters)	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Temp Diff (Intermediate-Lower) (°C/100 meters)	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Precipitation (mm)	_____
<u>F5.2</u>	Solar Radiation (cal/cm ² /min)	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Visibility (km)	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Other: _____	_____
<u>F5.1</u>	Other: _____	_____

Enclosure 2

The first data record gives the following:	
Year:	1974
Day:	182
Time:	0100
Height:	45.7 meters
Wind Direction:	198 degrees
Wind Speed:	2.9 m/sec
Ambient Temperature:	21.5°C
Wind Direction Persistence:	7.11
Height:	10.0 meters
Wind Direction:	170 degrees
Wind Speed:	0.4 m/sec
Ambient Temperature:	21.8°C
Wind Direction Persistence:	0.1
Temperature Difference (Upper-Lower): 1.9°	