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Ivan W. Smith, Chairman Dr. Walter H. Jordan Dr. Linda W. Little Atomic Safety and Licensing Board Panel Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, D.C. 20555

Subject: TMI-1 Restart, Docket 50-289

Dear Members of the Board:

You set a June 1 deadline for replies to Comments on the Special Master's decision. Since no party other than UCS commented on the relationship between the Special Master's decision and the PID on plant design and procedures, we will file no reply. However, I do anticipate that other parties will use their filings today to address for the first time the questions UCS raised. If that is so, I would request a week for a reply.

Very truly yours, Ellyn R. Weiss

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