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Mr. James G. Keppler Region III U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission 799 Roosevelt Road Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

Dear Mr. Keppler:

With reference to the surveillance that McGean is performing at the McGean disposal site in Newburgh Heights, you probably know that Cleveland has had a very large amount of snow, which has rendered the dump site quite inaccessible. Because of the difficulty in making the twice-a-day inspections, and since it is quite clear from the lack of tracks in the snow that the dump is being ignored by neighbors and members of the public generally, we reduced the frequency of visits to one a day for a short period. Now that the snow conditions permit it, the twice-a-day schedule has been resumed.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Mr. R. S. Fries Chemetron Corporation