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MEMORANDUM FOR: Joseph D. LaFleur, Jr., IP

FROM:

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SUBJECT:

COMMENTS AND INFORMATION ON PAPER BY E. J. STERNGLASS

In response to your route slip of 2/11/80 to R. B. Minogue requesting comments and other information on the paper by E. J. Sternglass entitled, "Infant Mortality Changes Following the Three Mile Island Accident", I am enclosing the following documents:

- 2/29/80 Merro 1. Analysis of Sternglass' paper by R. Gotchy
- 2. Copy of letter to Senator Thad Cochran addressing allegations concerning increased infant mortality related to TMI accident /2/17/79 / 1
- 3. Copy of Harrisburg newspaper clipping 11/2/79 of 11/6/79
- Copy of letter to Dr. Steven A. Book regarding his independent analysis of the Sternglass paper 2/21/20 1tr of 6 mes
- 5. Copy of letter to Dr. Bo Lindell from EPA 2/7/80 /5
 - 6. Copy of letter to Congressman Christopher J. Dodd from EPA \$/9/78/ tr
- 7. Copy of EPA response to questions raised by Congressman Dodd regarding Sternglass' report on Strontium-90 levels in the milk and diet near Connecticut nuclear power plants
- 8. Copy of letter from Dr. Marvin Golinan regarding radioactivity and health statistics around nuclear facilities in Connecticut

9. Copy of memorandum from Dr. Marvin Rosenstein, FDA, containing results of milk analyses. 6/27/79 Memo

I hope that this information is sufficient. If I may be of further assistance, feel free to call me at any time.

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