



UNITED STATES  
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION  
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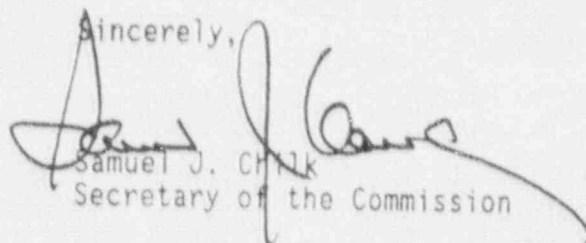
Mr. Charles Young  
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Dear Mr. Young:

On April 18, 1988 you filed a petition for rulemaking (PRM-50-50) requesting that the Commission rescind its regulation 10 CFR 50.54 paragraphs (x) and (y) which authorizes nuclear power operators to deviate from technical specifications during an emergency. Notice of the receipt of the petition and request for public comment was published in the Federal Register on August 26, 1988 [53 FR 32624]. On October 20, 1988 the original notice of receipt of PRM-50-50 was corrected in response to your letter of September 3, 1988 to provide additional information in support of your intent by revising two sentences in the Grounds for the Petition. The correction had the effect of increasing the number of plants included in the basis for the petition [53 FR 40432]. Public comments were received in response to the notices in the Federal Register of August 26 and October 17, 1988.

For the reasons set forth in the enclosed notice, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission has denied your petition for rulemaking.

Sincerely,



Samuel J. Chalk  
Secretary of the Commission

Enclosure:  
Notice of Denial of Petition  
for Rulemaking