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SUBJECT: Your Letter of May 11, 1994, Regarding Copyright Restrictions

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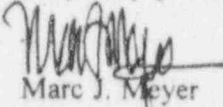
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