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OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN

NOTE TO: File

FROM:

Ed Baker

SUBJECT:

APRIL 19, 1994 MEETING BETWEEN THE CHAIRMAN AND MESSRS.

GEORGE ROUPE AND LARRY GIFFORD OF GENERAL ELECTRIC

At the invitation of the Chairman, representatives of GE met with him to discuss his recent visits with representatives of the Mexican utility industry and regulatory authority and his plant tour of Laguna Verde. The Chairman opened the meeting with a discussion of Mexico's plans for aggressive electrification of the country and his favorable impression of their nuclear regulatory program, in general, and the operation of Laguna Verde, in particular. From there the discussion moved to the possibility of future additional nuclear power plants in Mexico. The Chairman commented that in keeping with our international efforts to assure the safe operation of nuclear power plants, the NRC would consider expanding our support for the Mexican regulatory authority if additional power plants were built.

The meeting ended with a discussion of other Pacific rim countries that are interested in developing nuclear power plants, including Indonesia and Thailand.

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