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MEMORANDUM FOR: D. J. Donoghue, Director Office of Administration

FROM:

H. R. Denton, Director

Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

SUBJECT:

PROCUREMENT OF OFFICE SPACE IN MIDDLETOWN, PENNSYLVANIA

Since the accident at Three Mile Island in late March of this year, NRC has utilized construction trailers for office space. These trailers are located on-site, and their accessibility by the general public is severely restricted. In discussions I have had with Lee Gossick, Chairman Hendrie and Governors Thornburg of Pennsylvania, we all agree that NRC should establish and maintain offices in Middletown, Pennsylvania, which are easily accessible to the public, and which will be the local repository of NRC records and documents related to TMI.

Accordingly, I urgently request that office space in Middletown, Pennsylvania, be acquired. The offices should include a reception area, one single office for the Director of Operations, and room for 4 or 5 professionals. They should be suitably furnished with telephone hookups similar to that we have at present. The construction trailers will continue to be used, as NRC presence on-site will still be required. I also request that these facilities be reviewed to assure that they can be used throughout the winter.

We would like to occupy the new office space as soon aspossible. Please let me or Herb Berkow (x28037) know what additional information or support is necessary from NRR. I would appreciate your personal attention to this matter.

> Original Signed by H. R. Denton

H. R. Denton, Director Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

cc: L. Gossick V. Stello

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September 18, 1979

NOTE TO: R. Vollmer, Director, TMI Support

FROM: J. T. Collins, Deputy Director, TMI Support

SUBJECT: ITEMS REQUIRING FOLLOW UP-ACTION

- 1) I would appreciate it if you would request DOR A/Ds, Branch Chiefs, Project Managers, and secretarys to include my name on the distribution list for all material pertaining to TMI Units 1 and 2. Note the memo from R. Reid to Dora Hargett dated August 24.
- 2) Bob Fitzpatrick was scheduled to work at TMI this week. In talking to Al Ignatonis, he is not coming up this week. If he is unavailable, thus I would like a replacement for the rest of the week.
- 3) As per our discussion last week, please make necessary arrangements to have Stu Bland come up to TMI and help with the investigation on the over exposures. This should be done ASAP.
- 4) I would like some technical assistance money to contract ORNL to perform an evaluation of the containment sump sample analysis.
- 5) Follow up with Steve Eilphrin the availability of Bill Travers to work on the responses to the letter from the City of Lancaster, Re. EPICOR-II EIA. Also contact J. Miller about the availability of R. Emch and D. Muller about the availability of F. Cardile. I would propose that we work all of them up here on a Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. This way it will have the minimum impact on there present assignments.
- 6) We must do something about the mail service between TMI and Bethesda. Note the attached memo from H. Denton to D. Donoghue. It was mailed to me on 9/11 and received in my office at TMT on 9/17 (6 days). There must be a better way.
- 7) The last time we met with Harold, he indicated that he would have Herb Berkow/R. Brady prepare a job description to cover my position at TMI. I have not heard or seen anything on this since that time.
- 8) As soon as possible, we have to get moving on fixing up the trailer for the winter and securing an office in Middletown.

J. T. Collins, Deputy Director

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