

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20555

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Dear Bryon:

This is in response to your letter of June 25, 1979 in which you requested a copy of the preliminary evaluation of the TMI-2 event. Unfortunately the report has not yet been released for public review. When it is I will make sure you are included on the distribution.

As requested, I am enclosing a copy of the iodine removal paper that I presented in Moscow last month. Please recognize that this is a preliminary report and that we are still working on the final evaluation. When this has been completed I will see that a copy is sent to your attention.

You indicated in your letter that you (Ontario Hydre) would like to visit TMI to discuss the events surrounding the accident and asked if I could suggest an appropriate time for such a visit. During the month of August, any week would be acceptable. September is definitely out for me. I would suggest that you contact me at (717) 782-3950 and propose a date for your visit. Usually, Wednesdays and Thursdays are the best days in the week. Give my best regards to Tom Drolet and tell him I look forward to seeing him in September in Sun Valley, Idaho.

Sincerely,

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John T. Collins, Deputy Director TMI-2 Support Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation

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