

May 19, 1971

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I think this case should receive a high priority.

Original signed by:
L. D. Low

Lawrence D. Low

cc: A. Giambusso
R. W. Smith, CO:V, w/copy 5/14/71 memo to Price
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MEMO ROUTE SLIP

Form AEC-93 (Rev. May 14, 1947)

See me about this.

For concurrence.

For action.

Note and return.

For signature.

For information.

TO (Name and unit)

INITIALS

REMARKS

L D Low
Compliance

DATE

See Hrb's note below.

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TO (Name and unit)

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File in official

File

TO (Name and unit)

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Keep this in official file -
Let me know your suggestions
on plan to keep HLP informed

FROM (Name and unit)

REMARKS

Hrb

Done

memo - Low to RHE dated 5/21/71

PHONE NO.

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Regional office - to be forwarded to HLP

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