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RE: Docket 50-142, UCLA Research Reactor Renewal BRANCH

Judge John H. Frye, III Chairman Atomic Safety and Licensing Board U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Jashington, D.C. 20555

Dear Judge Frye:

We tried several times uncuccessfully over the last few days to reach you by phone, eventually leaving a message with your law clerk. As we told her, and as you can see from the enclosed pleading, our pleading was delayed by a breakdown of our typewriter and difficulties in finding a replacement in time. (The "e" key, the cause of the unfortunat marks in the first twenty pages or so, eventually just broke off.) We unsuccessfully tried to request an extension due to the problem, and unable to reach you, informed your clerk that we would be sending the pleading out Express so that people would get it at the same time they would have had we been able to get it out last Friday regular mail. (I have not yet received the Staff pleading to have been filed Friday, so it should end up passing in the mail.)

I apologize for the typewriter difficulty and the problems in reading it may create.

list Cordially.

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