

Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, D.C.

July 12, 1984

Mr. Carlton Kammerer, Director
Office of Congressional Affairs
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
1717 H Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20555

Sir:

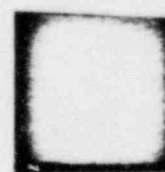
The attached communication
is sent for your consideration.
Please investigate the statements
contained therein and forward me
the necessary information for re-
ply, returning the enclosed corre-
spondence with your answer.

Yours truly,

Robert S. Walker M.C.

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- Douglass Township Board of Supervisors
- East Coventry Township Board of Supervisors
- East Pikeland Township Board of Supervisors
- Limerick Township Board of Supervisors
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Gentlemen:

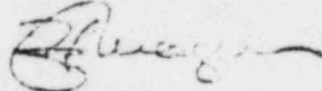
I am enclosing a recent article from the Pottstown MERCURY dated May 2, 1984. In response to that newspaper article about intentional releasing of radioactive material into the air in the Limerick area and into the Schuylkill River, I attached the within petition to the General Store in the tiny village of Birchrunville. Birchrunville probably does not have even 150 residents. Within a week's time 50 people signed this petition. I think that this is a clear mandate to our elected representatives to do something immediately about the possible intentional pollution of our air and water.

You will see by the copies of this letter that I am also sending it to various townships asking the Board of Supervisors to post them in prominent places or likewise, they may join in the petition and that they should also please forward it on to the same elected officials that I have.

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Likewise, I am requesting them to send me a copy of the signed petition with as many signatures as it contains so that I will have some idea of what kind of mandate you have in fact been given.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Hy Mayerson".

Hy Mayerson

HM:swf
enclosure

Limerick to release very small amounts of radioactivity

During normal operations, the Limerick nuclear power plant each year intentionally will release small amounts of radioactive materials into the air and Schuylkill River.

The radioactivity is measured in curies. Each year, the Limerick plant is expected to vent materials emitting 7,503 curies into the air and 12 curies into the river.

The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission says the level of radioactivity expected to be released by the Limerick plant is well within recognized safety limits.

According to the Atomic Industrial Forum, a nuclear industry trade association, an average person each year gets 35 times more

Krypton-89	410.0 curies
Xenon-131m	7.0 curies
Xenon-133	1,000.0 curies
Xenon-135	996.0 curies
Xenon-137	1,200.0 curies
Xenon-138	1,000.0 curies
Particulates	0.00023 curies
Chromium-51	0.00046 curies
Manganese-54	0.00097 curies
Iron-59	0.00011 curies
Cobalt-60	0.0011 curies
Zinc-65	0.0011 curies
Strontium-89	0.00096 curies
Strontium-90	0.00083 curies
Niobium-95	0.0011 curies
Zirconium-95	0.00032 curies

AIR RELEASES

Argon-41	15.0 curies
Krypton-85m	29.9 curies
Krypton-85	246.0 curies
Krypton-87	61.0 curies
Krypton-88	95.0 curies

RIVER RELEASES

Hydrogen-3 (Tritium)	92.0 curies
Carbon-14	8.5 curies
TOTAL: 12.7 CURIES	

Corrosion and activation products

Sodium-24	0.0079 curies
Phosphorus-32	0.0008 curies
Chromium-51	0.016 curies
Manganese-56	0.0047 curies
Iron-55	0.011 curies
Iron-59	0.0019 curies
Cobalt-58	0.0095 curies

Other

Iodine-131	0.11 curies
Iodine-133	1.3 curies

Former sheriff's lieutenant admits receiving commission

Redeem this MONEY SAVING COUPON



Cobalt-60	0.016 curies
Copper-64	0.022 curies
Nickel-63	0.00025 curies
Nickel-65	0.00025 curies
Zinc-65	0.00023 curies
Zinc-68m	0.0015 curies
Tungsten-187	0.0026 curies
Neptunium-239	0.0078 curies
Plutonium products	
Bromine-82	0.0012 curies
Bromine-84	0.00096 curies
Rubidium-88	0.00008 curies
Strontium-89	0.00022 curies
Strontium-90	0.00079 curies
Strontium-91	0.0025 curies
Yttrium-91	0.0021 curies
Strontium-92	0.0023 curies
Yttrium-92	0.0043 curies
Yttrium-93	0.0043 curies
Zirconium-95	0.0015 curies
Niobium-95	0.0018 curies
Niobium-96	0.0015 curies
Molybdenum-99	0.0026 curies
Technetium-99m	0.011 curies
Technetium-101	0.0007 curies
Ruthenium-103	0.0033 curies
Technetium-104	2.00018 curies
Ruthenium-105	0.0077 curies
Ruthenium-106	0.0036 curies
Silver-110m	0.0006 curies
Tellurium-129m	0.0004 curies
Tellurium-131m	0.0009 curies
Iodine-131	0.0058 curies
Iodine-132	0.011 curies
Iodine-133	0.042 curies
Iodine-134	0.0042 curies
Cesium-134	0.011 curies
Iodine-135	0.026 curies
Cesium-136	0.017 curies
Cesium-137	0.00086 curies
Cesium-138	0.014 curies
Barium-139	0.0090 curies
Barium-140	0.0013 curies
Barium-141	0.00020 curies
Cerium-141	0.0023 curies
Lanthanum-142	0.0001 curies
Cerium-143	0.00036 curies
Praseodymium-143	0.0004 curies
Cerium-144	0.0035 curies
Other	
Hydrogen-3 (Tritium)	12.0 curies

Are you willing to allow this to happen?

ES' MOIST NEW BAG. SAVE 50¢.

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FROM: Rep. Robert S. Walker	ACTION CONTROL	DATES	CONTROL NO.
	COMPL DEADLINE	7-30-84	14628
	INTERIM REPLY		DATE OF DOCUMENT
	FINAL REPLY	<i>for for</i>	7-12-84
TO: OCA	FILE LOCATION	<i>Dentory</i> 8/8/84	PREPARE FOR SIGNATURE OF:
			<input type="checkbox"/> CHAIRMAN <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OTHER

DESCRIPTION LETTER MCMC REPORT OTHER

Encl. letter fm Hy Mayerson re petition opposing the release of radioactive substances around the Limerick area

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS OR REMARKS

Return incoming with reply.

ASSIGNED TO	DATE	INFORMATION ROUTING
Murley, RI	7-16-84	Dentory Case
Eisenhuut	7/17/84	PPAS
<i>Schwartz/Martin</i>	<i>7/20/84</i>	

SECY 84-0730

NRC FORM 232 (6-80) EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR FOR OPERATIONS PRINCIPAL CORRESPONDENCE CONTROL

CORRESPONDENCE CONTROL TICKET Rep Robert Walker

NUMBER: 84-0730 LOSSING DATE: 7/13/84

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

ACTION OFFICE: EDO

AUTHOR: Rep Robert Walker, Const Ref

AFFILIATION: Hy Mayerson

LETTER DATE: 7/12/84 FILE CODE:

ADDRESSEE: OCA

SUBJECT: Petition opposing the release of radioactive substances around the Limerick area

ACTION: Direct Reply..Suspense: July 24

DISTRIBUTION: OCA to Ack

SPECIAL HANDLING: None

SIGNATURE DATE:

Rec'd Off. EDO
Date *7-16-84*
Time *2:30 p*