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Dear Mr. Silberg:

This letter is in response to your September 24, 1992, letter to the Secretary of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

As you noted the NRC was requested by The Greater Cleveland Environmental Coalition to hold a public meeting regarding the low-level radioactive waste processing and interim storage facility at the Perry Nuclear Power Plant. Although it is not a normal practice for NRC to conduct a public meeting for issues which are evaluated under the provisions of 10 CFR 50.59, given the extent of local public interest, we decided to proceed with such a meeting in this case. The meeting was conducted on Thursday, October 1, 1992, at the Lakeland Community College auditorium in Mentor, Ohio. I understand that you were in attendance at the meeting.

Purpose of the Meeting

We conducted this meeting to provide members of the public an opportunity to ask questions and receive answers related to the NRC's regulatory activities for the facility. This included:

- NRC's involvement in Perry's low-level radioactive waste processing and interim waste storage facility.
- The NRC's regulations governing this facility.
- The NRC's review of Perry's 10 CFR 50.59 safety evaluation regarding its low-level radioactive waste processing and interim storage facility.

Following short presentations by NRC regional and headquarters staff members, some of the approximately 100 attendees asked questions or made statements. The meeting lasted for approximately two and one half hours. Due to the

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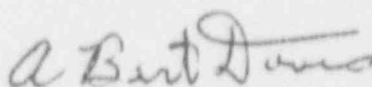
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expressed public interest, I believe that it was worthwhile to conduct this meeting.

Sincerely



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