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MEMORANDUM FOR: Patricia Norry, Director, Office of Administration  
Michael Springer, Deputy Director, Office of Administration

FROM: William O. Miller, Chief, License Fee Management Branch, ADM

SUBJECT: INSPECTION EFFORT

You may recall that James O'Reilly, Region II, protested the proposed use of professional staff hours in computing inspection fees for power reactors. He argues that we should use a fixed fee because: (1) the effort is roughly the same for all plants, and (2) it would be an administrative burden to capture the information.

With respect to the first point, the attached IE report for FY 1982 shows the actual "on-site" inspection time (routine and reactive) for all operating plants. The time ranges from a low of about 1200 actual on-site hours to a high of about 4500 hours (these hours do not include preparation time, report writing time, follow-up, etc.). Secondly, contrary to his argument, IE says the information is "readily available."

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Enclosure:  
Report of Inspection Effort  
4/24/83 G. Greiner to J. Blum

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