

UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20555-0001

September 10, 1993

The Honorable Gerry E. Studds Member, United States House of Representatives 1212 Hancock Street Quincy, Massachusetts 02169

Dear Congressman Studds:

In your letter of July 27, 1993, you asked us to address the issues raised in correspondence from your constituent Mary Elizabeth Lampert. With the exception of the issue of "loss of off-site power and fuel pool coolant," the issues have been addressed in various prior correspondence to you and other constituents of yours.

I am enclosing copies of the following issue-related correspondence:

 Issue: Water Level Measuring Device - Condensate Pot and Turbine Cracks

Related Correspondence: Letters of August 4, 1993, to Congressman Studds

and Senators Kennedy and Kerry

2. Issue: Motor-Operated Valves

Related Correspondence: Letter of March 26, 1993, to Ms. Lampert

Issue: Emergency Planning

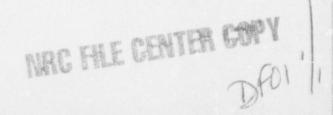
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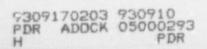
Federal Emergency Management Agency), to

Ms. Fleming

The issue of loss of offsite power and fuel pool cooling relates to concerns raised at the Susquehanna Steam Electric Station. Regarding the Susquehanna plants and the possible generic issue for the remaining boiling water reactors (BWRs), the staff conducted spent fuel pool design reviews for all BWRs before licensing and found them to be acceptable. The staff is currently reevaluating this issue to confirm its original findings. The staff has determined that there is no undue risk to the public while this review is taking place because the probability is low of the concurrent events required

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The Honorable Gerry E. Studds - 2 -

responsive to your needs.

for this postulated event. The staff will make its findings public when the reevaluation is completed. I hope the information we are providing is

Sincerely,

Original signed by James M. Taylor

James M. Taylor Executive Director for Operations

Enclosures:

1. Ltrs. dtd. 8/4/93 to Congressman Studds, and Senators Kennedy and Kerry

2. Ltr. dtd. 3/26/93 to Ms. Lampert

3. Ltr. dtd 8/11/93 to J. Fleming

*See previous concurrence

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Rep. Gerry E. Studds

TO:

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FOR SIGNATURE OF:

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CRC NO: 93-0763

Executive Director

DESC:

ROUTING:

ENCLOSES LETTER FROM MARY ELIZABETH LAMPERT. DUXBURY NUCLEAR ADVISORY COMMITTEE RE PROBLEMS AT PILGRIM

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DATE: 08/25/93

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LETTER DATE:

Jul 27 93 FILE CODE: IDR-5 PILGRIM

SUBJECT:

PROBLEMS AT PILGRIM NUC POWER STA: CONDENSATE POT; TURBINE CRACKS LOSS OF OFF-SITE POWER AND FUEL POOL

COOLANT; MOTOR OPERATED VALVES AND INADEQUATE

EMERGENCY PLANS

ACTION:

Direct Reply

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CONSTITUENT: MARY ELIZABETH

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