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Dr. Akira Matsui, Chairman
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Dear Dr. Matsui:

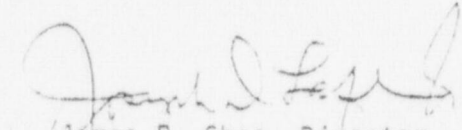
Thank you for your letter of October 2, 1978, addressed to NRC Chairman Joseph Hendrie. He has asked my office to respond to your request.

NRC will be pleased to host the proposed visit on Tuesday afternoon, November 14, at 2:00 p.m. Staff representatives will be present to discuss safety and safeguards issues concerning fuel reprocessing, waste disposal, and plutonium control problems of nuclear fuel cycles. These are the same topics on which NRC is providing advice as part of the U.S. participation in INFCE.

The meeting will be in Room H-1046 of our headquarters building located at 1717 H Street, NW, Washington, DC. The visitors should come to the 10th floor and sign in at the guard desk where they will be met and escorted to the conference room. Please let us know as soon as possible the names and affiliations of the individual team members, and whether they will be conversant in English or accompanied by an interpreter.

We look forward to seeing you on November 14. Chairman Hendrie sends his best wishes for the successful scheduling of the rest of your program.

Sincerely,


James R. Shea, Director
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