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FOI/PA REQUEST

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FOAI Request

Dear FOAI/LPDR Chief:

Pursuant to the federal Freedom of Information act, 5 U.S.C. §552, I request access to and copies of any and all birth defects within a 10 mile radius of the Three Mile Nuclear Plant the first five years after its reactor accident.

I agree to pay reasonable duplication fees for the processing of this request in an amount not to exceed \$15.00. However, please notify me before prior to your incurring any expenses in excess of that amount.

As a representative, (student at Troy State University), I am only required to pay for the direct cost of duplication after the first 100 pages. Through this request, I am gathering information on the birth defects that are of current interest to the public for a point paper as it relates to the birth defect rate surround nuclear plants. This information is sought on behalf of Troy State University, Administrative Law, Atlantic Region for dissemination to the general public.


If my request is denied in whole or part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the act. I will also expect you to release all segregable portions of otherwise exempt material. I, of course, reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information or to deny a waiver of fees.

Please provide expedited review of this request, which concerns a matter of urgency. As a student/journalist, I am primarily engaged in disseminating the information.

The public has an urgent need for information about the birth defects over a 10-mile area over the first five years post Three Mile Nuclear Plant accident.

I certify that my statements concerning the need for expedited review are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Thank you for your assistance,

Very truly yours,

Harley R. Perry