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Gentlemen:

By letter dated April 17, 1973, the law firm of LeBoeuf, Lamb, Leiby & MacRae submitted Amendment No. 11 to the Preliminary Safety Analysis of your application for Nine Mile Point Unit 2. It was requested that a portion of the amendment, relating to the details of the location and concentration of gadolinia anticipated for the initial core of Unit 2, be withheld from public disclosure. Release of the information to the public would give the General Electric Company's fuel design to competitors, and thus handicap General Electric's competitive position in fuel technology.

We have determined that disclosure of the above-mentioned information is not required in the public interest nor by the Atomic Energy Commission regulation 10 CFR Part 9. Accordingly, we are withholding the subject information from public inspection pursuant to Section 2.799(b) of 10 CFR Part 2. Withholding of this information from public inspection shall not, however, affect the right of persons properly and directly concerned to inspect this document.

Sincerely,

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