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Mr. Carlton C. Kammerer  
Director  
Office of Congressional Affairs  
Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D. C. 20555

Dear Mr. Kammerer:

This letter is to confirm in writing the official request made verbally on my behalf by my Subcommittee Staff Director, Dr. Ian Marceau, to Mr. Steve Kent, of NRC, for all Engineering and Design Coordination Reports prepared in connection with the Shoreham, Long Island, nuclear power plant presently under construction.

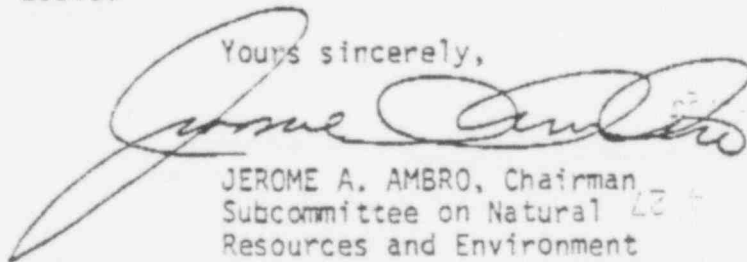
It is my information that some 1,000 of these reports were recently found in the Southold, Long Island, town dump, and that there may be, according to the serial numbers on those found, 17,000 - 18,000 in total.

My purpose in seeking these reports is to ascertain whether the design changes recorded therein pose a threat of environmental contamination during operation of the reactor.

I make this request through my authority as Chairman of the Subcommittee on Natural Resources and Environment, the jurisdiction of which includes "...environmental, health, safety, life sciences and biomedical activities of the Department of Energy...".

Please arrange for delivery of these reports by July 31, 1979, to the Subcommittee office at 2319 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, D. C. 20515.

Yours sincerely,

  
JEROME A. AMBRO, Chairman  
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