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Dear Miss Moore:

Thank you for sending us the Summary of the July 29 meeting of the SGOG (and distribution list of 133 persons.)

In the covering memorandum signed by Robert E. Martin he lists NUREGs 0909, 0916, 0651 and 0886 as well as an upcoming meeting between the Staff and the SGOG. Are the NUREGs available to send us, or any minutes from more meetings than the one of July 29? That is the sort of material we wanted when we asked for any other matters relevant to new Board Question 2.2.1.

Evidently the PDR in Washington is far more complete than that in White Plains. Our witness, Walter Fleisher, is interested in the steam generator problem as relates to corrosion and water quality. We are today filing a request for a delay in delivering testimony on question 2.2.1 so he can try to obtain information already available to other parties, i.e. Staff and Licensees.

Mr. Henry McGurran's letter to Mr. Steven Sholly of 17 December, under #4, lists NUREG-0850 as "being withheld as privileged" whereas Mr. Sholly, in his reply to interrogatories of 2 December, advises the Licensees, on page 10, that NUREG-0850 is available in the Public Document Room.

We cannot help but find it remarkable that information is easily accessible to some parties and not at all to others. It does not make for an orderly proceeding nor does it afford opportunity to all to contribute to the record. Since cross examination is not permitted for discovery purposes, and only those who offer testimony may cross examine, and we cannot afford to come to Washington to hire a reporter and take depositions, we are distinctly at a disadvantage and only can rely on your kindness.

We wish you a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,
Z. S. Fleisher
Secretary

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