

HATBORO, PA.

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MR. ROBERT E. MARTIN, PROJECT MANAGER,
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Dear Mr. Martin:-

Mr. Charles Martin of Philadelphia Electric Company gave me copy of NUREG 0974, as it relates to the new Limrick Reactor in Pennsylvania. Am thankful for the good report.

We have in our vicinity a subversive organization named Delaware, which has been very active in its opposition to Limrick. It has spread false rumors among the people of the area, and seeks to create an unfavorable sentiment for the avowed purpose of destroying the project. For example, one of the rumors is that if Limrick towers start operations, there will be no more snow, since the heat generated will raise the temperature in winter to the point that snow will be impossible.

This same organization spread the false rumor regarding the new pumping station at Pt. Pleasant, Pa., that if the pumping station is completed, there will be no more fish in the Delaware river, and that three quarters of the water of the river will be diverted, thus ruining the scenic and ecological aspects of the area. These false and ridiculous statements are actually believed by many, perhaps most of the people. Though they are rebutted by good scientific authorities, these hot-headed, subversive activists, keep right on putting them out.

They have gone to the governor, the PUC, the Environmental Department in Washington, and in fact to all eschelons of government, and have intimidated our officials in this area, until they have done some very ridiculous things. They are having a "gate closing ceremony" for the pumping station, for instance, on the 5th. in spite of the fact that on July 11th, a judge is going to rule on the legality of such a closing. It is such unreasonable things, together with the patent misuse of the funds saved to complete this project, that has caused the citizenry of this area much concern, and much loss of time and money. We are happy to hear of any favorable action on Limrick and the new nuclear reactors at the Philadelphia Electric Plant.

Sincerely,

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