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Ms. Susan Shetrom, Project Director
Three Mile Island Public Interest
Resource Center
1037 Maclay Street
Harrisburg, PA 17103

Dear Ms. Shetrom:

I have been asked to respond to your letter of March 26, 1981 in which you requested Chairman Hendrie to direct the TMI-1 Restart Licensing Board to hold several evening sessions to receive limited appearance statements. It is my understanding that you made such a limited appearance statement at the April 5 evening session scheduled for that purpose.

Following that meeting the Board announced that members of the public who were not heard on April 5 could make limited appearance statements by contacting the Board. Those statements would be given during the course of the daily hearing sessions at the mutual convenience of the Board and the requester. The Board has indicated that statements may be given in the late afternoon so that citizens will not be required to take time off from work. This approach has apparently been quite satisfactory as numerous individuals have contacted the Board and appearances for each requester has either been scheduled or is in the process of being scheduled. This indicates that there apparently is no need to schedule additional evening sessions.

If members of the community contact you and express a desire to make a limited appearance I would suggest that you urge them to contact the Board directly so that I may schedule a time for the limited appearance.

Sincerely,

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