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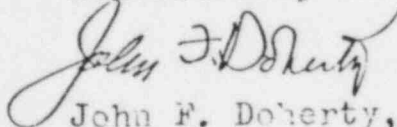
In the Matter of:
University of Lowell Docket No. 50-223
(Training & Research Reactor),

To the members of the Honorable Board:

In view of a recent (June 20, 1985) ruling by the Commission with regard to the continuation of the use of high enrichment fuel in domestic training and research reactors such as that the subject of the instant proceeding, this Petitioner hereby withdraws his Petition for leave to intervene of April 29, 1985.

The new Commission rule appears to Petitioner to make use of high enrichment uranium at U. of Lowell, unlikely but for a short period of time. The licensing of the use of high enrichment at U. Lowell, was at that time the chief concern of Petitioner since such material can be fashioned into a nuclear explosive device.

Respectfully submitted,



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