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Re: Cleveland Electric Illuminating Co. (Perry Nuclear Power  
Plant, Units 1 and 2), Docket Nos. 50-440 and 50-441

Gentlemen:

Ohio Citizens for Responsible Energy ("OCRE") has enclosed for your information a meeting summary dated January 17, 1986 concerning the December 18, 1985 meeting between the NRC and the Hydrogen Control Owners Group. This meeting concerned emergency procedure guidelines for operating the hydrogen igniters and associated systems, including containment sprays and containment venting. Operating procedures and containment venting were addressed in LBP-85-35, slip op. at 27-28.

OCRE notes that material in the meeting summary tends to contradict the testimony of Applicants' witnesses at the hearing on containment venting (to be done regardless of offsite radioactivity release rate (step PC/H-6), contrary to Tr. 3443 (Richardson)) and containment spray operation (to be operated irrespective of whether adequate core cooling is assured (step PC/H-7), contrary to Tr. 3449-3450 (Buzzelli)).

OCRE suggests that this information demonstrates the truth of the ASLB's own wording of Issue #8, i.e., that the Perry hydrogen control system is inadequate to prevent release of substantial quantities of radioactivity to the environment, and that its dismissal of this issue on the basis of incomplete evidence was indeed erroneous.

Sincerely,

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