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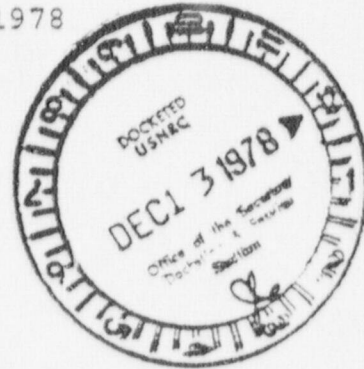
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Samuel J. Chilk, Secretary
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

RE: 43 Federal Register 48621 (Oct. 19, 1978), amendment
to 10 C.F.R. Part 21.

Dear Mr. Chilk:

In preparation for filing comments on the proposed amendment referenced above, we filed a Freedom of Information Act request (FOIA #78-294) for background material. Although we received a partial response dated November 15, we have not yet received a final response. Because of this, we will be unable to file our comments by December 18, the date cited in the Federal Register notice. Therefore, we request that we be allowed to file comments one week later, by December 26, and that these comments be accepted as if filed by December 18.

Thank you for your kind attention to this request.

Sincerely,

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