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Gentlemen:

The review of the Lynchburg Research Center pursuant to IE Bulletin 77-08 is complete. The review revealed that all doors provided with electrically operated locks will provide unimpeded emergency egress in the event of power failure.

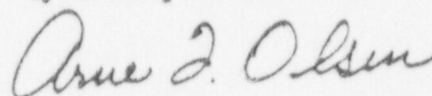
Prompt emergency ingress is assured by the key control system providing selected management personnel with a master key for use during normal working hours and the NNFD guard force with keys for use after hours.

At present our emergency procedures do not address this subject. However they will be revised by October 6, 1978. This revision will instruct the Emergency Officer to provide keys for prompt emergency ingress during normal working hours and the NNFD guard force to provide the same after normal working hours.

If you need additional information please contact me.

Very truly yours,

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