April 15, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR: James M. Taylor

Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Samuel J. Chilk, Secretary /S/

SUBJECT: SECY-91-082 - PROPOSED MEMORANDUM OF

UNDERSTANDING WITH THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ON

THE EMERGENCY RESPONSE DATA SYSTEM

This is to advise you that the Commission (with all Commissioners agreeing) has approved publication of the proposed MOU for comment.

In view of this being the first such agreement dealing with access to the Emergency Response Data System (ERDS) and is likely to serve as a generic model for subsequent agreements, the staff should directly solicit comments from the 35 states that may potentially participate in the ERDS program. In requesting comments, the staff should make it clear that the NRC is not soliciting or recommending state participation.

cc: Chairman Carr

Commissioner Rogers Commissioner Curtiss Commissioner Remick

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SECY NOTE:

This SRM, the subject SECY paper and the vote sheets of Commissioners Rogers and Curtiss will be made publicly available 10 working days from the date of this SRM.