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Dear Mr. Standerfer:

Subject: Protected Species in Pennsylvania

Your letter of March 17, 1987 provided a number of detailed comments on the NRC staff's Draft Supplement 2 to the Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement (PEIS) on the Three Mile Island 2 (TMI-2) Cleanup. Comment 21 refers to "other endangered species occurring in the TMI vicinity." Specifically mentioned in your letter was the Osprey, Pandion haliaetus, as possibly occurring in the vicinity of the site.

Enclosed is a listing of Federally protected species, obtained from the Office of Endangered Species, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, known to inhabit or frequent the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. I request that you determine if any of these species are known from the TMI site or environs, and if so, to evaluate the impact on the population for each alternative disposal method identified in your July 31, 1986 submittal.

I also request that you contact the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to determine if any organism on the Commonwealth's list of protected species occurs on the site or nearby, and if so determine if they might be impacted by any of the disposal methods identified in your March 17, 1987 letter.

The NRC staff is planning to issue the final version of Supplement 2 in June 1987. A more complete discussion of protected species will be included. This request has been discussed with your staff in advance of this letter.

Sincerely,
ORIGINAL SIGNED BY,
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FEDERALLY LISTED SPECIES IN PENNSYLVANIA

COMMON NAME	SCIENTIFIC NAME	GROUP	STATUS	STATES WHERE PROTECTED
American peregrine falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus anatum</i>	b	E	AK, CA, ID, NV, AZ, UT, CO, WY, MT, NM, TX, OK, ND, SD, NE, KS, IA, LA, MS, AR, MO, TN, KY, OH, IL, IN, PA, WV, VA, FL, GA, NC, SC, MD, DE, NJ, NY, CT, RI, MA, VT, NH, ME, AL, WA, OR, MN, WI, MI, DC, PR, VI
Arctic peregrine falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus tundrius</i>	b	T	AK, WA, OR, ID, CA, NV, MT, WY, UT, CO, AZ, NM, TX, OK, NE, SD, ND, MN, WI, IA, MI, IL, IN, OH, MO, KY, TN, AR, LA, AL, MS, FL, GA, SC, NC, VA, WV, MD, DE, NJ, PA, NY, CT, RI, MA, VT, NH, ME, KS, HI, DC, PR, VI, Canada
Bald eagle	<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	b	E	CA, ID, NV, AZ, UT, MT, CO, WY, NM, TX, OK, ND, SD, NE, IA, KS, LS, MS, AR, MO, TN, KY, OH, IL, IN, PA, WV, VA, FL, GA, NC, SC, MD, DE, NJ, NY, RI, CT, MA, NH, VT, ME, AL, LA
Peregrine falcon	<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	b	E(S/A)	AZ, NM, TX, NV, UT, CA, OR, WA, CO, ID, MT, ND, SD, KS, NE, OK, IA, MN, WI, MO, IL, IN, MI, AR, TN, KY, OH, MS, AL, LA, NC, SC, GA, FL, VA, WV, MA, NH, ME, RI, CT, NJ, NY, DE, PA, DC, VT, WY, MD
Piping plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	b	E	Great Lakes watershed (IL, IN, MI, MN, NY, OH, PA, WI, Canada-Ontario)
Piping plover	<i>Charadrius melodus</i>	b	T	MT, ND, SD, NE, KS, OK, TX, IA, MO, KY, TN, AR, LA, MS, AL, FL, GA, SC, NC, VA, DC, MD, DE, NJ, CT, RI, MA, NH, ME, PR, VI, areas other than Great Lakes in IL, IN, MI, NY, OH, PA, WI, MN, Canada, Mexico, Carrib
Orange-footed pearly mussel	<i>Plethobasus cooperianus</i>	g	E	AL, IN, IA, KY, OH, PA, TN
Pink mucket pearly mussel	<i>Lampsilis orbiculata</i>	g	E	AL, IN, IL, KY, MO, OH, PA, TN, WV
Indiana bat	<i>Myotis sodalis</i>	m	E	WI, MI, OH, IL, IN, MO, IA, KS, OK, AR, AL, MS, FL, GA, SC, NC, VA, KY, TN, WV, MD, PA, NY, NJ, CT, MA, VT, NH, NY
Small whorled pogonia	<i>Isotria medeoloides</i>	p	E	CT, IL, ME, MD, MA, MI, MO, NH, NJ, NY, NC, PA, RI, SC, VT, VA, Canada-Ontario

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