

# El Paso Natural Gas Company

El Paso, Texas 79909

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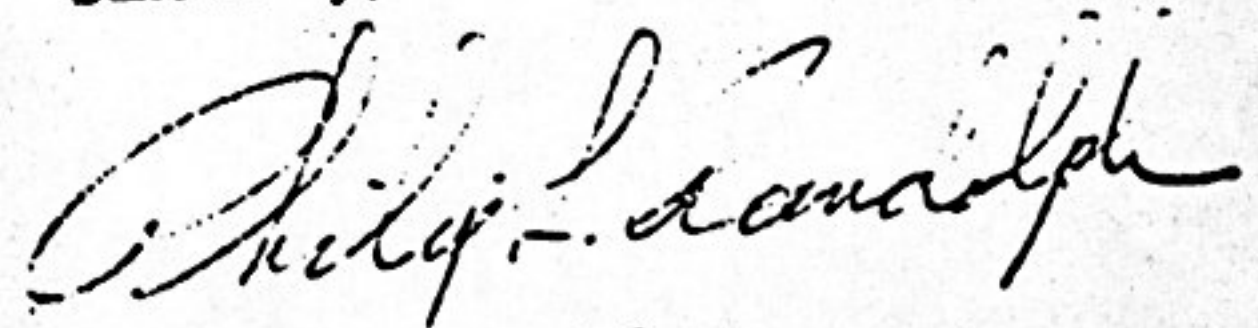
Dear Mrs. Steele:

Dr. Gerald W. Johnson, Director, Division of Applied Technology, U. S. AEC, recently provided me with copies of your letter to AEC personnel dated July 1, 1972, April 11, 1972 and April 3, 1972 as well as AEC responses to those letters dated July 21, 1972 and May 1, 1972. This was the first time I had ever seen any of this correspondence.

My observations during the Wagon Wheel Information Committee meeting on June 24, 1972 were based upon having read the letter from Mrs. Sally Mackey to Dr. James Schlesinger dated March 29, 1972. Interaction between El Paso and the Committee would be more constructive for all parties if the Committee provided copies of relevant correspondence to the Company.

El Paso again solicits cooperative consideration of factual information regarding nuclear stimulation with the Wagon Wheel Information Committee. Such interaction with Committee members could take place individually or collectively. Hopefully, you and other Committee members will agree that this course of action is preferable to the confusion which has existed regarding Committee comments on the Environmental Statement.

Sincerely,



Philip L. Randolph  
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cc: See attached list.

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**CC:** Mrs. Sally Mackey  
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