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Local #66

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To: Mr. Randy DeVault From: SPFPA Local #66

Subject: 7-26&27-1994 X-326 incident

Falsification of records in a Investigation of a DOE injury

Accident

Note: Connected to the DOL Part "E' EEOICPA program and subject of 50% causation in relation to

Portsmouth Facility

## Mr. DeVault:

On two previous occasions the above information has been brought to your attention. One of those (2) previous occasions was in my presence. Criminal activity has been perpetrated at the Portsmouth Uranium Enrichment Facility. This criminal activity affects members of the bargaining unit (SPFPA Local #66). DOE has supported monetarily companies that have acted feloniously in civil matters as well as worker compensation. The Dept. of Energy being the regulator has the responsibility of solving the reported felonious acts.

The Dept. of Energy has not responded in a way that anyone would call timely. The DOE has a responsibility to regulate. Given the gravity of what has happened here, and the ramifications of those actions, certainly there should be a criminal investigation. The investigation should be done in a defined timeline. We (Local #66 along with our International attorneys) know that an investigation was done by DOE-IG but in recent conversations with the IG (Patricia Warren), I was notified that the IG never conducted a criminal investigation at any time. These acts are criminal, we are asking for a criminal investigation—now!

Mr. DeVault, what seems like a random set of circumstances are anything but that. We have extensive evidence that tells us that unlawful activity has occurred and that criminal acts are still being perpetrated at the Portsmouth Facility.

The DOE has access to more informational documents than we could possibly have and ours is extensive. Therefore, I'm left asking myself "why isn't the DOE doing something, anything about this matter of criminality?" I know that if I were to make an honest mistake while in the performance of my duties the DOE would be all over the incident. Yet, here we are with an abundant amount of evidence indicating criminal activity, even naming the criminals involved, and nothing is being done!

I lay this at your feet because we have personal access to you. Mr. DeVault you and DOE have a duty to do what is necessary to bring this criminal activity out in the open. Not only in the case of a Mr. Joe Defenbaugh but also those who have perpetrated acts of felony at this plant.

The Local appreciates your response in this matter but at the same time I expect action to be taken within the month and to also be apprised of yours and the DOE's progress. I would like to be courtesy copied on all communications dealing with this matter.



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between the Department of Energy and their subcontractors will answer the question as to why. All in all, the Department of Energy knew of the wrongdoing and did nothing. The Department of Labor knows of the wrongdoing and is doing nothing. NIOSH (National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health) has had a meeting with us and stated that the acts done in the dosimetry department were criminal, but their answer is to do another site profile.

The DOE botched the benefits program set up by the Senate. Now the Departments of Energy and Labor are denying benefits to the tune of a 90% refusal rate at the Piketon Facility. In my estimation this is criminal and again I ask for your assistance. We will make all records pertaining to this situation open for investigation.

I want to thank you for your time and if you have any questions I will be at your convenience.

Sincerely,

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