



*New York State Archives*

**New York State Office of Disaster Preparedness Scrapbook  
of Newspaper Clippings B2600**

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## Overview of the Records

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<b>Repository:</b>	New York State Archives
<b>Summary:</b>	This series consists of scrapbooks of original newsprint and photocopies of articles pertaining to the Three Mile Island nuclear disaster and nuclear evacuation plans of New York State municipalities.
<b>Creator:</b>	New York (State). Office of Disaster Preparedness
<b>Title:</b>	Scrapbook of newspaper clippings
<b>Quantity:</b>	3 cubic feet
<b>Quantity:</b>	3 volumes
<b>Inclusive Date:</b>	1976-1982
<b>Series:</b>	B2600

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## Arrangement

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Chronological.

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## Scope and Content Note

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This series consists of three scrapbooks of original newsprint and photocopies of articles. The first two scrapbooks contain clippings focusing on the Three Mile Island disaster and are primarily derived from the two main Harrisburg, Pennsylvania newspapers, *The Daily Patriot* and *The Evening News*. There are also articles from periodicals across the country reporting the disaster, including the *New York Times*, the *Boston Globe*, the *Washington Post*, and the *Miami Herald*.

The third scrapbook is a mix of newspaper clippings from 1976 to 1982 that primarily highlight the nuclear evacuation plans of New York State municipalities, as well as preparatory exercises and plans to host refugees from other localities struck by nuclear disaster. The articles are

derived from periodicals statewide, including the *Buffalo Courier-Express* and the *New York Times*, but the majority are from Plattsburgh's *Press-Republican*.

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## Related Information

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### Related Material

B2402Series B2402, New York State Civil Defense Commission Training and Publicity Films and Recordings, contains related records.

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## Use of Records

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### Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions regarding access to or use of the material.

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## Administrative Information

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### Custodial History

Originally collected by the New York State Museum from the New York State Emergency Management Office (SEMO).

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## Access Terms

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- Three Mile Island Nuclear Power Plant (Pa.)
- Pennsylvania
- Nuclear power plants
- New York (State)
- Clippings files

- Nuclear energy--Government policy--New York (State)
- Nuclear accidents
- Newspaper clippings
- Civil defense
- Emergency management--New York (State)
- Nuclear energy
- New York (State). Department of Transportation
- New York (State). Division of Military and Naval Affairs
- New York State Emergency Management Office