

Docket, Hearing

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Sent: Friday, September 14, 2012 3:47 AM
To: Docket, Hearing; Siarnacki, Anne
Subject: Objections to new Indian Point licenses/Relicensing

Dear NRC and Ms. Anne Siarnacki,

I would like to express my deep concerns about new Indian Point licenses/Relicensing.

As numerous medical professionals and specialists point out, there is no safe dose of radiation.

Although I understand your passion and determination to keep providing us with enough electricity, I do not appreciate your current effort since what you are doing is jeopardizing healthy life of your own employees, our neighbors, and our future generations. Without a shadow of doubt, we must learn and educate ourselves how to reduce energy consumption while you try to shift your energy source from nuclear to natural/renewable/clean energy such as solar and wind.

As you know, what is going on in Fukushima can happen here. If not Tsunami, it could be earthquakes, tornados, Hurricanes, or terrorist attacks that cause an instant disaster with much bigger damage: Having Metropolitan New York area so close, this nation will lose significant number of both lives and businesses. Are you ready to compensate lives of 17 million people and the vast majority of this nation's business? Is it worth keeping such a risky operation for you?

Not only planned ones, thanks to one of your own employees, I learned at the latest NRC hearing that there were unplanned leaks and spills. It is undeniable fact that these leaks triggered environmental and health damages especially for women, children and elderly people. If you can deny the leaks and spills, please eat fish from the Hudson River in front of us at the next NRC hearing.

We also know that unmanageable nuclear wastes go through an extreme make over and become depleted uranium weapons. Bosnia, Iraq, and where else now? How many innocent civilians were killed by our nuclear wastes? Even our own soldiers come back with severe symptoms due to the weapons and tanks that they use in war zones. I cannot be happy if my regular, peaceful life is based on tears, pains, and blood of so many people.

Please understand that we are not asking you to stop your business. We are asking you to shift from nuclear to solar, wind, and that sort of nature, which will not undermine the job security of you or your employees. When I think of our lives and environment, that includes you and your own employees. I hope we are included in your vision, too.

Together with you, we can shut down the Indian Point and start something new, safe, and renewable for our better future.

Thank you and warmest regards,

 Rachel Clark

Concerned citizen
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