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Chairwoman Dicus
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Dear Chairwoman Dicus,

I write to you in opposition to the continuing operation of Millstone Nuclear Power Plant in Waterford, Connecticut I hope you will use your considerable power as the NRC Chair to help shut down this dangerous plant

I am disturbed to learn that Northeast Utilities, the parent company of Millstone, is requesting permission to double the fuel racks for storing spent fuel rods. Increasing the amount of spent fuel rods stored in this heavily populated area is wrongheaded—these pools are not contained, and there is greater risk of dangerous radioactive releases. I don't want to live with more threat of danger from this nuclear power plant—one that is poorly run, damages our coastal waters, and fails to benefit us in any way.

Please pressure the NRC to block the request by Northeast Utilities to increase the amount of spent fuel stored at the Millstone Nuclear Power plant. The hearing regarding this request is on December 13th in New London. Let them know that the voters in Long Island oppose the operation of this plant!

I DO NOT WANT MORE SPENT FUEL STORED at Millstone. I think it is wrong to increase the risk of radioactive leakage or nuclear accident. There is no evacuation plan in place for the towns of the East End We must rely on you to protect our interests Please do so

Sincerely,

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