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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, DC 20555  
Attention: Rulemaking and Adjudications Staff

OFFICE OF SECRETARY  
RULEMAKINGS AND  
ADJUDICATIONS STAFF

Dear Sir/Madam:

I am opposed to the NRC proposed rulemaking as described in The Federal Register, April 16, 2001, Vol. 66 to change the licensing hearing process for nuclear power reactors. The public is entitled to full and meaningful participation in an on-the-record hearing process for the licensing of new reactors, the relicensing of aging reactors and industry amendments to operating license safety requirements.

The current administration's penchant for closed-door negotiations with industry representatives is disturbing. Add to that the Bush/Cheney position on reducing regulations of the nuclear industry, speeding the permit process, and cutting funds for inspections, and you have a recipe for disaster.

Please represent the citizens of this country instead of the profit motives of the nuclear industry.

Thank you,  
Barbara McCampbell

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