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Richard A. Meserve, Chairman
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Dear Chairman Meserve:

We are writing as state representatives from the town of Plymouth, Massachusetts, where the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Plant is located on the town waterfront. The Town of Plymouth has always been concerned about safety and security at the plant, and we have been pleased with the way that Entergy, the new owner of the Pilgrim Nuclear Power Plant, has upgraded the facilities and the security at the plant, providing a much higher level of comfort for the people of Plymouth and the surrounding communities.

However, in the aftermath of the attacks of September 11, we have new concerns about the reliance on contracted security companies for security at nuclear power plants. We therefore respectfully request that the NRC federalize all security systems in nuclear power plants. The cost of this federalization of security can be absorbed by a partnership between the federal government and the companies that operate these plants.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any questions regarding our request. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Vinny deMacedo in cursive.

Vinny deMacedo
State Representative
1st Plymouth District

Handwritten signature of Thomas J. O'Brien in cursive.

Thomas J. O'Brien
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