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Dear Commissioners,

Pacific Gas and Electric is the same company that covered up the information about the Hosgri Fault being 2 miles from it's Diablo Canyon site. Yet, in spite of this they went ahead and built a nuclear power plant there regardless of the safety concerns.

Pacific Gas and Electric is the same company that mistakenly reversed the blueprints for the 2 containments vessels that lead to an enormous cost escalation in making the corrections. Yet, they have continually passed this cost on to the public as part of it operating rates.

Pacific Gas and Electric is the same company that reaps all the economic benefits of the Diablo Canyon plant while at the same time does not take full responsibility for the worst potential accident that could occur there. Instead, they hide behind the Price Anderson Act which limits the amount of liability they have.

Pacific Gas and Electric is the same company that has transferred most of it's assets to it's parent company outside the State of California, and then, in turn, has filed for bankruptcy.

Pacific Gas and Electric is the same company that now wants permission to store 10 times as much radioactive waste as it was originally designed to hold. They want you and I to trust them to store a waste product that will be toxic for 250,000 years, and has the total radioactivity of more than 44,000 Hiroshima bombs.

Given Pacific Gas and Electric's history, I would hope your decision would be to refuse P.G. & E.'s request for more storage at the Diablo Canyon site. This would also give some credibility to your title as the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, as opposed to being known as the Nuclear Rubberstamp Commission.

Sincerely,



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NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC CO.)	Docket No. 72-26-ISFSI
DIABLO CANYON POWER PLANT)	
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(Independent Spent Fuel Storage)	
Installation))	

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