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Dear Mr. Wilson,

I was present at the public meeting today on the draft ESP for SERI in Port Gibson, MS.

Unfortunately, the meeting was too long for a mother of two small children to stay until the end. I did have some comments that I wished to share. I'll begin with the meeting itself.

- \* Please have meetings start at 6 p.m. if at all possible. Especially if they are going to run so long. Most people from the country are in bed at 9 p.m.
- \* Allow Claiborne County citizens to voice comments directly after the NRC presentation. We should not have been subjected to the ramblings (even though some of the comments were good) of watchdog groups, minority issue groups, and SERI employees. Most of those people were paid to be there. I understand that this meeting was for the public. But the people of Claiborne County should have been given the opportunity to speak first because this decision affects us the most.
- \* The meeting location, basically was the pits. It was hot, crowded and the slide presentation was basically useless because few people could see it. Also, the lighting was so poor that the hard copy slides were impossible to read. I don't know if it is allowable for a government agency to utilize churches, but that would have been the obvious choice of meeting places. Any of the churches on Church Street would have gladly opened their doors to such a cause. The only requirement would have probably been a benediction by the pastor at the beginning and end of the meeting. I personally think that would have been a great thing to have.
- \* The various NRC speakers and their advanced educational degrees were quite impressive, but, a little intimidating to the average Joe. I'm not illiterate, but would feel much more relaxed voicing concerns to people like us. I believe that a less formal meeting, without cameras and microphones, would have provided a better atmosphere. I feel the people of Claiborne County would benefit greatly from such a meeting.

Now on to my ESP comments. I have lived in Claiborne County for 14 years. I worked at Grand Gulf for 13 years in the Nuclear Safety and Regulatory Affairs Department. I left my post to pursue a higher calling as a stay-at-home mom. That was 5 years ago. In general, I feel that Grand Gulf has been an asset to my life.

#### Comments on ESP

- \* How much of the information in the ESP was provided by SERI?
- \* I would have liked to have seen a survey on the increase cancer cases since operation of GGNS began. A comparison to counties that are not in close proximity of a nuclear power plant to Claiborne County. If this information was included in the ESP, I did not see it. (Although, my research was limited to the library hard copy of the draft NUREG. My

computer has a virus that makes internet access impossible. And, the meeting lasted so long I was unable to secure a cd of the information before I left at 9:30.)

- \* What is skyshine from Nitrogen 16?
- \* I would like to see an educational program set up in the school system of Claiborne County to encourage children to study math and science. I would much rather see the majority of the workforce for another unit to come from Claiborne County.

I have to go now due to more pressing matters (breakfast). I do hope that the NRC continues to work for the health and safety of the public as my Claiborne County family of 4 is most definitely the affected public in this matter.

Thank you,

Terry Carter



P.S. If possible, I would like a hard copy and cd of the draft NUREG. I would also like a cd copy of the Safety Evaluation. I do not wish to be put on the mailing list for all information regarding this matter. Please send information to Terry Carter, 6098 Hwy 547, Port Gibson, MS 39150.