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**Date:** Thu, Mar 11, 2004 2:37 PM  
**Subject:** "Unplug Salem" confirms that Whistleblower to speak at 3/28UNPLUG Salem Protest

FYI.

As we previous said, we will coordinate with OEDO to conduct a TA brief or some other sort of high level briefing just before the event.

Note that a number of well-known activists are also speaking.

regards,  
randy

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Attached as Word and text files is a newly updated press release on our 3/28 protest at the Salem Nukes. The PSEG whistleblower has confirmed that he will indeed appear on 3/28 and be the main speaker at our rally. Please come out on 3/28 and listen to and support the person who had the courage to demand that PSEG run their nukes safely, instead of for maximum short term profits.

Help us send the message to the NRC and PSEG - NO TMI ON THE DELAWARE - UNPLUG SALEM NOW!

See you all on 3/28.

norm

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