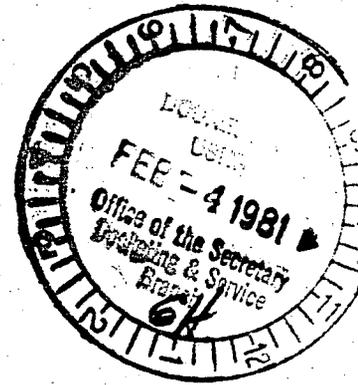




ALFRED B. DEL BELLO
County Executive



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Mr. John Ahearne
Chairman
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Ahearne:

County officials from Westchester, Putnam, Rockland and Orange counties have heard that there is a public perception that the Counties have signed off on the Emergency Radiological Response Plans prepared by consultants for Con Edison and PASNY.

I am writing to point out that this is not the case, that these plans are under review and have not been concurred in or signed off on by the four counties. County department heads responsible for implementing various phases of these plans are currently reviewing their responsibilities under these plans, and are not yet in a position to indicate their acceptance or rejection.

Further, I expect questions and some deficiencies regarding aspects of these plans to surface in various discussions and meetings that we are holding beginning this week. I can predict that we will need to have some changes made to these plans, and that you should be prepared to respond to our comments and concerns, and ultimately, to the concerns of other local officials and the public as well.

Sincerely,

Alfred B. DelBello
County Executive

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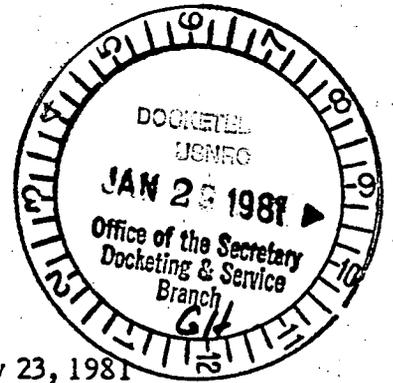


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Dr. John Ahearne, Chairman
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Dear Dr. Ahearne:

On Thursday, February 12, 1981, the Assembly Special Committee on Nuclear Power Safety and the Assembly Committee on Corporations, Authorities and Commissions will hold a joint public hearing on the October 1980 accident at Indian Point #2.

Testimony is by invitation only. We are writing to request that you speak at the hearing, which commences at 10 a.m. at the Chamber of Commerce, Great Hall, 65 Liberty Street in New York City. We consider your participation to be of special importance and hope to hear from you as soon as possible regarding your availability to testify.

The accident at Indian Point has raised serious questions with regard to safety, the costs of replacement power and the cost of repairs. The Committees' objective is not to duplicate the efforts of other investigations, but rather to analyze the accident with respect to possible changes in state law and regulatory policy.

The attached hearing notice outlines the scope of the inquiry. We request that you address your comments to the questions outlined in the hearing notice that are relevant or of concern to you. However, we hope that you will be prepared to discuss related issues raised by these questions. If you have any further questions, please contact Bob Kurtter at (518) 455-3621 or Jim Grossman at (212) 488-8085.

We look forward to your attendance at the hearing.

Sincerely,

Stanley Fink
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