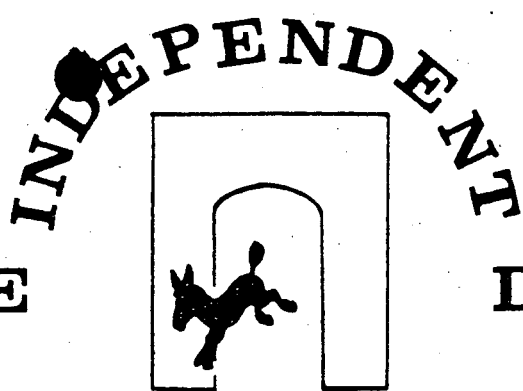


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DEMOCRATS

December 10, 1979

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

Dear Commissioner,

The Village Independent Democrats has long been involved in the fight against the proliferation of nuclear reactor plants and the transportation of hazardous materials and their waste products in and through densely populated areas; in addition, we are concerned about the total lack of safe storage facilities for radioactive waste material.

We, therefore, urge the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to act favorably upon, with all due haste, the Union of Concerned Scientist's petition calling for the "decommissioning of Indian Point Unit 1 and suspension of operation of Units 2 and 3" until questions of the health and safety of the populace have been analyzed and safety requirements mandated.

Please inform us in writing as to the steps you will take concerning our request.

Sincerely,

Anthony Hoffman,
President

cc: Joseph M. Hendrie, Commissioner
Victor Gilinsky, Commissioner
Richard T. Kennedy, Commissioner
Peter A. Bradford, Commissioner

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