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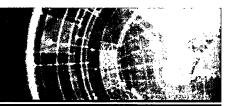
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Gregory B. Jaczko Chairman of the Commission U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555-0001

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Dear Chairman Jaczko:

The nuclear disaster that occurred in Japan could happen in the United States. One power plant which should be carefully examined is the Indian Point Energy Center in Buchanan, New York. This plant is being considered for relicensing, as its original 40 year license is nearly finished. The federal relicensing of Indian Point is an undoubtedly bad idea.

The magnitude 9.0 earthquake in Fukushima, Japan killed thousands of citizens and left roughly 80,000 people homeless. Complete decontamination of the area around the nuclear reactor is expected to take decades. Two earthquake fault lines cross slightly north of Indian Point, making this a terrible location for a nuclear power plant. Indian Point declared they could handle up to 6.1 magnitude earthquake, but Columbia University stated that a 7.0 earthquake is "quite possible". In the event of an earthquake of this degree, the evacuation plan for Indian Point is appalling. While the U.S. Regulatory Commission (NRC) has told Americans living fifty miles from Fukushima to evacuate, the Indian Point plan only covers people living within ten miles from the plant. Twenty million Americans in three different states live within fifty miles of Indian Point. Their lives could be at risk and it is your job to keep them safe.

Although I understand the benefit of nuclear power in these times when we are striving to find alternative energy sources, Indian Point is simply too dangerous to keep open. Indian Point only represents 12.5% of the electricity generating capacity in downstate New York, which is a miniscule number considering the ridiculous number of Americans living nearby who could be endangered. I urge you to seriously consider these blatantly dreadful facts before making your decision concerning the relicensing of the Indian Point nuclear power plant.

Sincerely,

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