

RAS E-187

Docket, Hearing

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Sent: Sunday, September 09, 2012 11:17 AM
To: Docket, Hearing
Subject: Close Indian Point!

To Whom It May Concern,

As a resident of Brooklyn, NY, I am utterly opposed to the relicensing of Indian Point. This is an outdated and dangerous facility in extreme need of repair, and any accident no matter how minor threatens millions and millions of people. Was Fukushima not enough warning?

More than 1,500 tons of radioactive waste are stored in unfortified containers on the banks of the Hudson River at Indian Point. If the two nuclear reactors operate for another 20 years, Entergy would add another 1,000 tons of nuclear waste to containers New York State has described as "vulnerable to attack." What's more, carcinogenic radioisotopes from the plants have been leaking into the Hudson River since at least the early 1990s.

More than 1 billion dead fish and other organisms are killed by Indian Point's cooling water intakes every year. Indian Point uses more than 2.5 billion gallons of water per day, sucking river life in with the water. Clean water laws require the use of the best available technology to reduce the environmental damage, but Indian Point's owners have refused - for decades - to upgrade to modern technology. The slaughter helps explain why 10 of 13 signature Hudson River species are in decline.

Please do not relicense Indian Point.

Thank you,

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