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## General Comment

Dear NRC,

I live 6 miles north of Vermont Yankee. I am concerned that with SAFSTOR, the cleanup will be deferred for decades. That puts our environment at risk of more contamination over time. Radioactive material has recently been found to be leaking into ground water.

I object to the NRC allowing Energy to use the decommissioning trust fund for paying property taxes and lobbying.

Why is the NEPA not involved in this anymore? There is no meaningful oversight. We, the people who live in this region are only allowed one public meeting, so we cannot adequately voice our opinions.

I would be more in favor of the PDSR (Planned Decommissioning and Site Remediation), which would limit duration of SAFSTOR to 20 years max, based on safety, not money; would include state and community involvement, and would retain 50% of the current workforce.

It is not fair that the NRC has the authority to regulate pollution. States should have resources and authority to regulate pollution within their borders and the use of decommissioning funds.

The NRC inspectors have left VT Yankee. Who is enforcing even the weak NRC rules? Where is the accountability? Unannounced inspections plus liaison to Community Advisory Board should be mandatory.