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March 15, 2017

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Attention: Mr. Richard Barkley Nuclear & Environmental Engineer

Mr. Barkley,

Thank you for responding to our recent conversation (Enclosure A) of March 13, 2017. So we both are assured you captured my remarks correctly during our phone call, here is my recollection of the several issues and comments we covered which I have listed below.

First I want to make it very clear to anyone who reads this letter that you, Mr. Barkley are a person I have respect for at the NRC because you in my opinion, have always, endeavored to get a response from the Nuclear Regulatory (NRC) Commission's higher ups concerning We The (WTP) People's nuclear safety concerns. I hope Mr. Barkley you will not become a scapegoat for the content of this misinformation contained in Mr. Bower's letter (Enclosure B) to me of March 3, 2017. Former NRC Executive Director, Victor Stello used fall guys during his Cover-ups at the NRC concerning Bogus Nuclear Parts when the finger starting pointing in Victor's direction for wrongdoing. This and other persons including Former Presidents Ronald Reagan and George Bush Senior, U.S Attorney Rudolph Giuliani and others who were involved in the cover-up of Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear Components. This is proven in WTP's Taperecordings along with and confirmed in my letter of July 4, 2014 (Enclosure C) with the enclosures I sent to Glenn T. Dentel, Chief of Division of Reactor Projects, Branch 3, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

#### Issues:

1. As you know Mr. Barkley, I became outraged after reading the letter to me of March 3, 2017 from Mr. Fred L. Bower 111, Chief of Projects Branch 3, Division of Reactor Projects King of Prussia. I am specifically referring to the whole 3<sup>rd</sup> paragraph of which Mr. Bower stated the following: "We noted that you are now willing to provide the names of informants on alleged counterfeit and substandard parts used in the nuclear industry, but will not do so until the NRC has a public hearing on Seabrook Evacuation issues in your hometown of Rowley, Massachusetts. Since the nature of this issue stems back to your interactions with senior agency officials many years ago, you may want to contact the NRC Office of Inspector General at their toll free hotline number (1-800-233-3497) to discuss this matter further."

As I expressed to you, Mr. Barkley during our conversation I consider what Mr. Bower stated to be of a <u>very serious matter</u> given his letter of March 3, 2017 has been in the ADAMS public file since he wrote it.

I do not know where Mr. Bower ever got the impression I am willing to give up We The People's names connected to the evidence of Counterfeit Substandard Parts in most if not all U.S. Nuclear Parts which I received from WTP's very brave and courageous whistleblowers at the NRC and the nuclear industry.

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I never told you, Mr. Bower or anyone else I am willing to give up the identities of WTP's informants. I never do <u>unless I have their permission</u> due to possible reprisals from their employers. Mr. Bower's letter and statement may have already caused a chilling effect from new whistleblowers who were thinking of coming to WTP with their nuclear safety concerns or Cover-Ups of unsafe conditions by the NRC and Nuclear Industries. You know as well as I do over the years many of WTP's adversaries including the media, politicians and NRC officials have done whatever they could to discredit We The People's work, our informants and me. My family has been intimidated and my life <u>(enclosure D)</u> has been threaten also. I hope this incident is not just another attempt to keep informants from coming to WTP?

In behalf of We The People, I want an official apology regarding this issue from the Nuclear Regulatory Commission's New Chairman, Kristine Svinicki. I also want a retraction by the NRC of the statement made by Mr. Bower in the third paragraph of his letter of March 3, 2017. Please notify me when Mr. Bower's letter of March 3, 2017 has been removed from any of the NRC Public Document Rooms. WTP also wants to know if and when the retraction and the NRC's official apology was placed in the ADAMS or any other of NRC's public document rooms.

I am not surprised this situation has occurred given over 30 years of my experience of dealing with the highest officials in the NRC agency who has never really fully investigated We The People's informant's safety concerns. Mr. Bower's letter to me of March 3, 2017 certainly confirms this charge of mine because if Mr. Bower had ever taken the time to read my letter (Enclosure E) of October 22, 2015 to David Williams, former & first NRC Inspector General or my July 4, 2014 with enclosures I sent to Glenn T. Dentel and many others, Mr. Bower would have known the last place I would turn over WTP's tapes wouldn't be to the U.S Department of Justice, Federal Bureau of Investigation or to the New NRC Inspector General, Hubert Bell who has never acted on any of WTP's safety concerns at Seabrook Station...

Under agreed circumstances I will let MA Attorney General, Maura Healey listen to of WTP's Tape Recordings. Given that MA Attorney General, Maura Healey has already had the boldness to take on the NRA and Exxon, I don't believe Maura Healey will be intimidated by the powerful NRC or the Nuclear Industries who both continue to play Russian roulette with the American People's Safety. WTP's tapes will prove Cover-ups of the Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear parts by NRC and Industries officials. I have approached some media with WTP's tapes but they don't seem to be interested in exposing wrongdoing by the NRC so I have approached some High School and College Media Classes who I will let listen to WTP's Tapes who I know will not be intimidated by the powerful Nuclear Industry and NRC. These courageous individuals who want to pursue a career in the media profession will be revealing their findings soon, as a result of listening to WTP's Tape Recordings. Their accounts will not be made up of FAKE NEWS either.

# Mr. Barkley, below are my comments and recollection of the rest of other issues you and I discussed during our conversation on March 13, 2017.

2. Your statement Mr. Barkley, "I understand that you have met with (or provided information to) Ms. Maura Healey (MA Attorney General) regarding your concerns with the adequacy of emergency preparedness at Seabrook. (Please note that Ms. Healey has not contacted this office regarding this matter as of this date);"

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Please review my letter (Enclosure F) of January 9, 2017 with enclosures I wrote to MA Attorney General, Maura Healey in preparation of our meeting of January 10, 2017. I was able to meet with her and here is a copy of the DVD video (Enclosure G) recording of our complete conversation.

# The following is some of the issues I covered during my presentation and afterwards when MA Attorney General, Maura Healey asked me to meet with her directly.

The NRC has failed to develop effective evacuation plans to protect vulnerable residents in New Hampshire, Massachusetts and throughout the U.S. This includes our elders, children who cannot be moved quickly in private or public schools like Triton Regional High School which lies within the 10 mile radius of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant.

These such plans in place now were prescribed by <u>former NRC Executive Director</u>, <u>Victor Stello</u> who in a letter to me assumed these valuable members of our communities are in fact <u>expendable</u> when he suggested to me in writing <u>(Enclosure H)</u> they be left behind in the event of Nuclear disaster at Seabrook Station. These American Citizens are to be administered Potassium Iodide (KI) to drink by the care givers in our family owned Extended Heath Care Facility in Rowley MA who would volunteer to stay in the wake of a nuclear disaster in order to reduce the harmful effects of radiation exposure. As the NRC well knows recent experiences from the Fukushuma Nuclear Disaster in Japan effecting a 50 mile evacuation confirms the danger posed by unsafe installations. I also spoke with MA AG, Maura Healey about the current <u>GAG Orders</u> in NH and MA placed on the MA State Police and the NH National Guard during the Dukakis and Sununu Administrations. This makes First Responders, like Special Needs People also <u>expendable</u> due to the fact there is no safe and timely evacuation possible during the summer months in the event of a Nuclear Disaster at Seabrook Station.

3. Paragraph 2 from your e-mail to me of 3-13-17 you stated the following: "You wanted to clarify that you knew two people who were willing to reveal their identity regarding the "Gag Order" you understand is allegedly in effect for emergency responders in New Hampshire, responders who indicated have concerns with the adequacy of offsite emergency preparedness of Seabrook Station. You indicated that you shared those names with MA State Senator Tarr's office some time ago. (I would note that this office corresponded with State senator Tarr in this matter back in May 2015, and have not received any additional information from his office since that time). Since you jumped between multiple topics during our last conversation, I must have mistakenly thought you were referring to people who has provided you information many years ago on alleged counterfeit and substandard parts as well; you were also not specific on the number of people who were willing to share their concerns in this matter at that time."

My response to your statement above. The two brave individuals who gave me permission to reveal their identities to MA Senate Majority Leader, Bruce Tarr's office was with the understanding their names would not be revealed except during their testimony at a NRC First Responders Hearing. I spelled this out in my April 4, 2016 letter (Enclosure I) to Senator Tarr's Chief of Staff, A.J. Paglia.

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I recall sending this letter to you, Mr. Barkley in an E-mail last year with the recommendation you contact and confirm with Senator Tarr's Chief of Staff, A. J. Paglia that he has the identities of these individuals associated with the GAG orders. This same letter of April 4, 2016 was also given to MA Attorney General, Maura Healey by me on January 10, 2017 along with other documents and DVDs.

Senator Tarr's Chief of Staff, A. J. Paglia sent a MEMO (Enclosure J) to MA A G, Maura Healey's office the same day I met with her January 10, 2017. I also gave MA AG, Maura Healey during my meeting with her January 10, 2017 these NRC informants' quotes (Enclosure K) from WTP's tapes.

For your knowledge and NRC's new Chairman, Kristine Svinicki, I have spoken with over 170 first responders within and outside the 10 mile radius of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant. They have all informed We The People, "there is no way we can evacuate people in a timely or safe way in the event of a Nuclear Disaster at Seabrook Station especially during the summer months."

4. <u>Paragraph 3 from the e-mail you sent me March 13, 2017 you stated the following:</u> "You wanted me to provide to our new Chairman the same information you provided to Chairman Burns (I believe as detailed in the attached letter from 2015 and placed in Adams in ML15323A003)."

<u>Stephen B. Comley's response to your statement above.</u> Yes I would like NRC Chairwomen, Svinicki to repond to the same information I sent to Stephen Burns who did not reply. In addition, We The People would like to make the following requests of the Chairwoman Kristine Svinicki.

- 1. We The People would like a retraction and an apology by the NRC and Chairwoman Svinicki of the statement made by Mr. Bower in the third paragraph of his letter of March 3, 2017.
- 2. Please notify We The People when Mr. Bower's letter of March 3, 2017 is or was removed from any of the NRC Public document Rooms.
- 3. Please let We The People know when and if the retraction and the official apology was placed in the public document rooms.
- 4. We The People would like to know if Chairwoman, Kristine Svinicki has ever read my letter July 4, 2014 and the enclosures I cited and sent to Glenn T. Dentel, Chief of Division of Reactor Projects, Branch 3, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania. If NRC Chairwoman Svinicki has not reviewed my letter of July 4, 2017, please ask her to confirm she will?
- 5. Mr. Barkley, I would like to have NRC Commission Chairwoman, Kristine Svinicki inform We The People whether she believes it is humane and not discriminatory to leave special needs individuals behind in the event of a nuclear disaster in the United States of America? Isn't part of the NRC mandate to represent and protect special needs citizens who seemingly cannot protect themselves?

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6. I ask that NRC Chairwoman Kristine Svinicki consider endorsing We The People's call for the NRC to hold a hearing for first responders who will then be given the opportunity to testify whether they believe the Seabrook Nuclear Evacuation Plan can be effectively implemented in the event of a Nuclear Disaster at Seabrook Station.

Lastly, I am hoping NRC's New Commission Chairwoman, Kristine Svinicki will find the same courage MA Senate Minority Leader, Bruce Tarr, MA Representative Assistant Minority Leader, Bradford Hill and Former Essex County Sherriff, Frank Cousins Jr has exhibited in challenging the NRC and the Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Industries' inhumane and immoral philosophies.

Thank you again, Mr. Barkley, for your continued attention and understanding in these very important issues effecting the citizens of America and beyond.

Sincerely,

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Founder of We The People a National Whistleblower Protection Non-Profit Organization

CC. MA Attorney General, Maura Healey, MA Senate Minority Leader, Bruce Tarr, MA House Assistant Minority Leader Representative, Bradford Hill, Former Essex County Sheriff, Frank G. Cousins, Jr., U.S. Congressman, Joe Kennedy 111, U.S. Senator Edward Markey, U.S. Senator Elizabeth Warren.

#### **Enclosures:**

- A. Copy of Mr. Barkley e-mail of March 13, 2017 to Stephen B. Comley Sr.
- B. Copy of letter of March 3, 2017 to Stephen B. Comley Sr's from Mr. Fred L. bower, Chief of Projects, Branch 3, Division of Reactor Projects King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.
- C. Copy of Stephen B. Comley Sr's letter of July 4, 2014 to Glenn T. Dentel, Chief of the Division of Reactor Projects, Branch 3, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.
- D. Copies of Police reports of incidents of intimidation on Stephen B. Comley Sr's family and treats on his life attempts to discredit the work of We The People a National Whistleblower Protect Non-Profit Organization Comley Sr., foundered in 1987.
- E. Copy of Stephen B. Comley Sr's letter of October 22, 2015 to David Williams, former and first NRC Inspector General.
- F. Copy of Stephen B. Comley Sr's letter of January 9, 2017 to MA Attorney General, Maura Healey
- G. Copy of DVD video of Stephen B. Comley Sr's meeting of January 10, 2017 with MA Attorney General, Maura Healey.
- H. Copy of letter to Stephen B. Comley from Former NRC Executive Director, Victor Stello.
- I. Copy of Stephen B. Comley Sr's letter of April 4, 2016 to MA Senate Minority Leader Bruce Tarr's Chief of Staff, A. J. Paglia.
- J. Copy of Senator Tarr's Chief of Staff, Mr. A. J. Paglia's MEMO to MA AG, Maura Healey.
- K. Copy of WTP's NRC informants quotes taken from WTP's tapes and given to MA AG, Maura Healey.

## RE: Re: As requested Steve



## Barkley, Richard < Richard. Barkley@nrc.gov>

Mon 3/13/2017 5:09 PM

Inbox

To:Stephen Comley <s.comley.sr@outlook.com>;

2 attachments (229 KB)

Comley letter - November 2015 Final .docx; Letter to State Senator Tarr - ML15141A200.pdf;

In the interest of ensuring I captured your remarks correctly, here are the 3 main subjects you raised to me today:

- 1) I understand that you have met with (or provided information to) Ms. Maura Healey (MA Attorney General) regarding your concerns with the adequacy of emergency preparedness at Seabrook. (Please note that Ms. Healey has not contacted this office regarding this matter as of this date);
- 2) You wanted to clarify that you knew two people who were willing to reveal their identity regarding the "Gag Order" you understand is allegedly in effect for emergency responders in New Hampshire, responders who you indicated have concerns with the adequacy of offsite emergency preparedness for Seabrook Station. You indicated that you shared those names with MA State Senator Tarr's office some time ago. (I would note that this office corresponded with State Senator Tarr in this matter back in May 2015, and have not received any additional information from his office since that time). Since you jumped between multiple topics during our last conversation, I must have mistakenly thought you were referring to people who had provided you information many years ago on alleged counterfeit and substandard parts as well; you were also not specific on the number of people who were willing to share their concerns in this matter at that time; and,
- 3) You wanted me to provide to our new Chairman the same information you provided to Chairman Burns (I believe as detailed in the attached letter from 2015 and placed in ADAMS in ML15323A003).

Please make sure I captured all your issues accurately to avoid any misunderstandings.

From: Stephen Comley [mailto:s.comley.sr@outlook.com]

Sent: Monday, March 13, 2017 4:32 PM

To: Barkley, Richard <Richard.Barkley@nrc.gov> Subject: [External\_Sender] Re: As requested Steve

Mr. Barkley, please confirm our conversation and the issues we discussed for correction and ones I want referred to new NRC Chairman, Svinicki for her responses since the previous Chairman Burns did not

reply to. Our call was at 3:22 PM and lasted 23 minutes.

Thank you.

Stephen B. Comley Sr.

Founder of We The People a national Whistleblower Protection Non-Profit Organization

From: Barkley, Richard < Richard.Barkley@nrc.gov>

Sent: Monday, March 13, 2017 1:28 PM

To: Stephen Comley

Subject: As requested Steve

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## UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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March 3, 2017

Mr. Stephen B. Comley, Sr. Founder – We The People, A National Whistleblower Organization P.O. Box 646 Rowley, MA 01969

Dear Mr. Comley:

I am responding to your January 17, 2017, call (ADAMS Accession No.: ML17030A074¹) and your recent e-mail correspondence (ML17041A281) with Mr. Richard Barkley of my staff. During your phone call, you noted a correction to my November 14, 2016, letter. Specifically, your previously expressed issue with the quality of welding on the new reactors being constructed in Region II was only focused on the Vogtle facility in Georgia and was not intended to include the VC Summer facility in South Carolina. You also requested that the documents referenced by web links be provided to you in hard copy. These documents are enclosed.

In response to the issues you raised in the above referenced call and email, we reviewed your prior submittals since December 2013, and your various calls and emails to Mr. Barkley over that time. Our review did not identify any relevant new technical issues that were not addressed in our prior correspondence with you. Thus, I plan no further action in these matters. We also noted that you requested a direct reply from the NRC Chairman relative to emergency preparedness concerns at Seabrook. We previously provided that request directly to Chairman Burns' office. However, since the Chairmanship of the NRC-changed recently, you may want to resubmit that request directly to Chairman Svinicki's office (Chairman.resource@nrc.gov).

We noted that you are now willing to provide the names of informants on alleged counterfeit and substandard parts used in the nuclear industry, but will not do so until the NRC has a public hearing on Seabrook evacuation issues in your hometown of Rowley, Massachusetts. Since this has been a contentious issue between you and this agency for over 25 years and given that the nature of this issue stems back to your interactions with senior agency officials many years ago, you may want to contact the NRC Office of Inspector General at their toll free hotline number (1-800-233-3497) to discuss this matter further.

I trust this is fully responsive to your issues.

Sincerely,

Fred L. Bower, III, Chief

Projects Branch 3

Division of Reactor Projects

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Designation in parentheses refers to an Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) accession number. Documents referenced in this letter are publicly-available using the accession number in ADAMS. For problems with ADAMS, please contact the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR) reference staff at 1-800-397-4209, 301-415-4737, or by e-mail to pdr.resource@nrc.gov.

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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Region I July 4, 2014
Glenn T. Dentel, Chief Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested
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Dear Mr. Dentel,

First I want to thank you for attempting to address my concerns it certainly has not been my experience always from many past officials including Commissioners of the Nuclear Regulatory (NRC) commission. I will say Richard Barkley so far has been very helpful endeavoring to address my questions and requests for information and documents.

I do have additional questions and concerns as they relate to your replies to my oral and written testimony I gave December 18, 2013 at the NRC hearing in Hampton New Hampshire. As you stated in you letter to me this meeting was held to discuss the concrete degradation experienced at Seabrook station as it relates to whether the NRC will approve an extension of Seabrook's operating license from 2030 to 2050.

In my letter to you I will be addressing my additional concerns and questions as they relate to your letter to me dated February 12, 2014 (enclosed) you numbered 1-11.

1. NRC (Wrongdoing) you provided a number of quotes allegedly raised to you suggesting wrongdoing by unnamed members of the NRC staff (e.g., claims that allegations are penciled away, that NRC engineers do not "rock the boat." And that an NRC staff member was demoted for talking about his boss, among others.) No names or specific incidents were provided.

## NRC Response:-

As your concerns do not provide specifics regarding who is involved, and alleged possible NRC staff wrongdoing, we have forwarded your concerns to our NRC Office of Inspector general in accordance with the NRC's internal policies. We urge you to contact the Office of Inspector General at (301) 415-5930 to discuss your concerns in further detail.

Stephen B. Comley Sr. Responses to NRC replies to quotes (enclosure A) he provided during the testimony he gave orally and written during the Seabrook Nuclear Plant hearing conducted by the NRC December 18, 2013. :

## Quote #1 "Seabrook is in the wrong location."

My Response:

This quote comes directly from NRC Staff I have spoken with – and including N.H and MA State Troopers and Chiefs of Police from the towns within the 10 mile radius...

## Page 2 of Stephen Comley's responses to NRC's letter of 2/12/14 to him.

Quote # 1 response continued: former Governor Dukakis, Former Attorney General Shannon of MA, U.S. Senator Edward Markey, Former U.S. Senators Edward Kennedy, John Kerry and hundreds of citizens I have met and talked with in NH and MA.

Quotes # 2 & 3 "If people let Seabrook open, it is their own fault" "But the NRC has not been playing a fair game." Whenever safety allegations come into the NRC, which may pose a threat to the further operation or licensing of a nuclear plant, those allegation are penciled away."

Stephen B. Comley Sr. response: There are many instances I have seen the NRC pencil away safety concerns including down grading the standards for nuclear parts built in U.S Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Plants including Seabrook. Another NRC penciling away safety concerns is making special needs citizens expendable when former NRC Executive Director Victor Stello suggested I leave a paralyzed resident behind in our family owned and run health care facility and give her Potassium Iodide (KI) to drink to be administered by our nursing staff who would be willing to stay behind in the event of an accident at Seabrook Nuclear Plant. This is a violation of U.S. Law which I will address further in this letter.

Quote 4. "Members of the NRC are mostly engineers so they do not rock the boat because the only place to go after working for the NRC is to work in the industry."

## Stephen B. Comley Sr. response.

I know if the NRC researched NRC employment records you would find many confirmations of this quote where former employees of the NRC or former Congressmen or their former staff members elected to become nuclear lobbyists like former Chief legal counsel to former Senator Kostmayer, John O'Donnell (Enclosure B) chose to do. :

Quote 5 "Over the years I have looked at how rotten our agency is in my view. How pro-industry it is. Hey look, if they play it straight and you get stuck with your plant, so be it. Does that make sense? You may not like it but that is the American way, the majority rules. But when I see a system that is designed to thwart the majority or keep the majority ignorant and then one day it happens and you wonder how it happened. That is not fair. That is what turned me off. It is a shame to make you think you are getting a voice. "

Stephen B. Comley Sr. response: This certainly applies to Seabrook when the NRC licensed Seabrook while making a mockery of our Democratic process in preventing the people from having a say in our government in locating a Nuclear Plant in ones backyard. Here again the NRC bowed to the Industry and even Former Governor Sununu a buddy of the Nuclear Industry and Victor Stello got into the act of penciling away safety concerns when John suggested the 10 mile radius be reduced to (Encloaure C) I mile. In addition while John Sununu was White House Chief of Staff under former President George Bush it was suggested in a leaked Department (DOE) of Energy Memo to have

## Page 3 of Stephen Comley's replies to NRC latter of 2/12/14 to him.

Comley Sr response Continued: John Sununu (Enclosure D with two parts) to pressure NRC Chairman Selin into supporting one-step licensing of nuclear power plants, a measure supported by nuclear plant advocates because it eliminates interventions by citizens' groups. Part of this DOE Memo stated, "Chairman Selin might more quickly fall in line for Governor Sununu than he would for Admiral Watkins. "Have Governor Sununu tell NRC Commission Chairman Selin to say nothing further to the Congress than support of S.1220 and its specific provisions. Ignore the past." This memo is interesting because it makes clear that Sununu is the person to go to if anyone wants something done for the benefit of the nuclear industry.

Without a doubt from reading this memo the DOE and the White House under the President George Bush's Administration conspired to topple democracy in America by pushing one-step licensing through the people's very courts system in getting Seabrook licensed while making a mockery of our democratic system of government in circumventing the very voice of the American people

**Quote 6.** When a member of the NRC staff was demoted he went to the present chairman and asked "why?" He was told "What do you expect when you talk about your boss."

Stephen B. Comley's response. Boss then was NRC Executive Director Victor Stello.

Quote 7 "The NRC protects the industry more than they protect the people."

Stephen B. Comley's response: If I listed all the people who have responded to me in this way it would include volumes. I will give you one though, see former Commissioner James Asselstine's response to his answer to my question 6 of the 14 (Enclosure E) responses I got during my interview with him August 19.1986. My question 6 to him was, "Do you feel that the NRC has represented the people as well as it has represented the nuclear industry?" Mr. Asselstine reply was, "I believe that in some cases, the NRC has acted more as the protector of the nuclear industry than the protector of the public."

Quote 8 "We will have a nuclear disaster in the U.S. worse than Chernobyl. It can happen any day because of the way our plants have been constructed and the way they are run."

Stephen B. Comley Sr. response" NRC Bulletin 88-05 dated May 6, 1988 confirmed existence of Counterfeit Substandard Parts in U.S. Nuclear plants across the country which WTP informants first brought to light when I first handed this very troubling information to former President Reagan October 26, 1987 (Enclosure F is my Chronology of Cover-ups by the NRC and the additional involvement by President Reagan and others in the Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear Parts Scandal) which President Reagan and his Administration ignored for almost a year.

## Page 4 of Stephen Comley's replies to the NRC letter to him of 2/12/14.

Comley Sr. continued response of #8: It wasn't until I sent two separate Certified Return Receipt letters in August of 1988 to then President Reagan and a separate one to Vice President Bush did the White House finally react. So for every everyday President Reagan ignored the concerns I outlined in the letter I wrote and handed him October 26, 1987 he was jeopardizing the safety of the American People. It should be noted, former Washington Associated Press Reporter, Chris Callahan who wrote a national article from one of the 700 press releases continuing the letter I sent out October 25, 1987 from WTP's office in the National Press Building. Mr. Callahan upon getting a phone call from me confirming I had been able to give my letter to President Reagan, contacted the White House about the content of my letter but not only did the White House Staff deny the President had received any letter but also said no exchange ever took place between President Reagan and me.

Because of WTP's contact with former U.S. Attorney Giuliani, Victor Stello was forced to come out with NRC Bulletin 88.05 and release on May 6, 1988 confirming there were 39 U.S. Plants built with Counterfeit Substandard Parts. WTP took the next step by sending my letter out of July 18, 1988 to then NRC Executive Director, Victor Stello. requesting when did the NRC first learn of the Counterfeit Substandard Parts being sold to U.S. Nuclear Plants by Piping Supplies of Folsom New Jersey. Instead of Mr. Stello replying to my letter he directed Thomas Murley to become the Oliver North or scapegoat by directing him to reply my letter. Mr. Murley stated in his letter to me the NRC first learned of the Counterfeit Substandard Parts being sold by Piping Supplies on January 18, 1988. This was a lie and cover-up due to the fact I knew of this information when I hand delivered it to Ronald Reagan October 26, 1987. Senator John Glenn and some of his staff also knew of these Substandard Nuclear Parts from me. In addition a 60 minutes representative who met with Senator Glenn and his Staff spoke of this troubling information which could cause a Nuclear Disaster.

In addition James Asselstine also alluded to a possible nuclear disaster in response to my question 13 to him during my interview with him (Enclosure E) August 19, 1986.

Since WTP first brought to light the existence of Counterfeit Substandard parts in most U.S. Nuclear Plants the NRC has been downgrading these bogus parts by justification of a Memorandum entitled, Differing Professional View concerning 10 CFR 50.69, "Risk informed Categorization (Enclosure G) and Treatment of structures, systems, and components." Just another example of the NRC penciling away of safety concerns.

## 2. NRC (Counterfeit/Substandard Parts)

You provided a number of historic references to concerns and allegations you raised, principally in the 1987 - 1990 timeframe, regarding alleged counterfeit and substandard parts used by the nuclear Industry at that time. These concerns were raised by individuals in the industry whose identity you were not willing to reveal. You further stated that your concerns were ignored by the NRC staff as well as by most of the commissioners serving at that time, and by senior representatives in the Department of Justice and the

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**2.** Continued NRC (Counterfeit Substandard Parts) Administration of Former President Regan. You also asked for the name of the staff member who was in charge of the NRC inspection program for parts vendors during that time period. No information on specific counterfeit or substandard parts, or licensees that might have installed such parts, was provided in the materials submitted at the December 18, 2013, meeting.

You also requested a list of counterfeit, and or substandard parts replaced or not replaced at Seabrook.

## NRC Response:

When fraudulent or counterfeit parts were believed to be supplied to NRC licensees, principally nuclear power plants, the NRC has taken action to notify the nuclear industry of these events and take corrective actions. For example, in April 2008, the NRC issued an information Notice to the industry regarding counterfeit parts, a copy is enclosed. In 1989, the NRC staff issued Generic Letter 68-02, "Actions to improve the Detection of Counterfeit and Fraudulently Marketed Products." In that Generic Letter, It also lists a number of communications made in preceding years regarding this issue. Furthermore 10 CFR Part 21 requires that suppliers or NRC licensees promptly report to the NRC component defects or noncompliances that could create a substantial safety hazard so that appropriate action can be taken.

We have reviewed the materials you provided, but noted that most of your concerns in this area seem to date to the 1987 – 1990 time period, or shortly thereafter. Absent any specific information in this matter, such as the parts involved, their suppliers or the licensee (s) which used such parts, and given the historic nature of your concerns. The staff cannot take any further action in this matter without more information from you. We recognize that this is a significant concern to you given your protracted and costly legal involvement with the agency and the Department of Justice in this matter in the early 1990s. However, we cannot take further action at this time without specific information.

As for the NRC vendor inspection program, those efforts are continuing and have expanded in recent years with the construction of four new nuclear reactors in Georgia and South Carolina. Those efforts are being conducted by the Division of Construction Inspection and Operational Programs in the NRC Office of New Reactors. Prior efforts in this area were the responsibility of the Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation. However, given significant changes in personnel and the NRC organization since the 1989-1990, few if any, staff form that organization remain with the agency.

Regarding your request for a list of counterfeit and/or substandard parts replaced or not replaced at Seabrook station, the NRC does not retain such a list. NextERA has a corrective action system to address the identification and correction of any such equipment. The NRC has unfettered access to this system for inspection and enforcement purposes, but does not develop lists of the type you describe.

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## Comley Sr. Responses to NRC's. 2) Counterfeit Substandard Parts.

Historic references are enclosed to concerns and allegations I raised, from 1987 - 1990 time frame, regarding Counterfeit and Substandard parts used by the nuclear industry at that time. My concerns were indeed ignored by the NRC staff including Victor Stello, former NRC Executive Director, all of the Commissioners serving at that time, by Senior representatives of the Department of Justice including Attorney General Thornburg, Former U.S. Attorney Rudolph Giuliana, Former Chief Legal Counsel, John O'Donnell to Senator Peter Kostmayer, Senator John Glenn and his Former Legal Counsel Stephen Ryan, Feral Bureau of Investigation, most members of Congress, most Governors of U.S. and the Administrations of President Reagan and President George Bush Senior.

I was informed by informants from NRC staff investigations of unsafe conditions at nuclear plants were to be kept a PUBLIC SECRET always controlled by Victor Stello inside the NRC and away from the public eye as much as possible. The Counterfeit Substandard Scandal was a prime example of this like what happened with the investigation of the Three Mile (TMI) Island accident in 1979 which Victor Stello had a hand into. Evidence of this TMI Cover –up I found when I read the Investigative interview conducted by Alan Rosenthal March 22, 1989 in behalf of the NRC of former NRC OI Deputy Director, Roger Fortuna, who stated on Pages 170 – 174 (Enclosure H) when Mr. Fortuna makes several references to the investigation he was directed to conduct with his team of allegations of masking the radiation count during the TMI disaster, Mr. Fortuna at that time worked for the DOJ and was in charge of conducting this investigation which to this day DOJ has yet to release to the public.

I am in hopes when President Obama elects to honors the many request to meet with which I outlined in the 3 letters I sent to our President and the two I mailed to Michelle Obama (which the White House signed for all) will assist me in getting a copy of this investigation the American People have a right to see. I say this because I recall when President Obama was on his Presidential Campaigns he stated, "I am going to make it a lot easier to obtain Freedom of Information Requests."

NRC Responses: In reference to your Statement, the NRC has taken actions to notify the nuclear industry of these events and take corrective actions. For example, in April 2008, you also note in 1989, the NRC staff issued Generic Letter 89-02. "Actions to improve the detection of counterfeit and fraudulently Marketed Products." In that Generic Letter, it also lists a number of communications made in preceding years regarding this issue. Furthermore, 10 CFR Part 21 requires that suppliers or NRC licensees promptly report to the NRC component defects or noncompliances that could create a substantial safety hazard so that appropriate action can be taken."

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## Stephen Comley's responses to NRC's.

I want to point out in the April 2008, NRC information Notice to the industry regarding counterfeit parts: it states, "PURPOSE the suggestions contained in this IN are not NRC requirements, therefore no specific action or written response is required."

Certainly anyone reading this could get the impression this "IN NOTICE" is like the old saying WE WON'T ASK IF YOU DON'T TELL. Or put it another way NRC WON'T REQUIRE U.S. NUCLEAR PLANT OWNERS TO REPLACE COUNTERFEIT SUBSTANDARD PARTS IF THEY CHOOSE NOT TO REPORT ANY.

I strongly recommend from now on that NRC IN notices like what was sent out in 2008 and 2011 (Enclosure I) be updated to the language used in NRC notices 1989 Generic Letter 89-02 and 10 CFR Part 21 which "requires that suppliers or NRC licensees promptly report to the NRC component defects or noncompliance's that could create a substantial safety hazard so that appropriate action can be taken."

Question: Why and who or what persons made the decision to not include the 10 CFR Part 21 in the IN Notices from the 1989 Generic Letter 89-02 to the language replaced from that time to what is used in the 2008 and current notices now being sent out to NRC licensees? I suspect very strongly Victor Stello had strong influence to incorporate this new language to accommodate the Nuclear Industry wishes.

I request once again, the name or names of who was made in charge of keeping track of when and what companies were supplying Counterfeit Substandard Parts to U.S. Nuclear Plants during Victor Stello was Executive Director of the NRC?

NRC Reponses: "We have reviewed the materials you provided, but noted that most of your concerns in this area seem to date to the 1987-1990 time period, or shortly thereafter."

Stephen B. Comley's Response:

This is not correct from March 15 — April 26, 2011 I was invited and testified before five of the Florida House and Senate Energy Committees regarding my concerns of substandard parts being built in all of Florida's Nuclear Plants which were listed in the GAO including Seabrook Nuclear Plant owned currently by Florida Power and Light. I request the NRC subpoena my testimony I gave in Florida for the record. I also was invited and appeared 3 times on NPR in Tallahassee and Jacksonville during which I debated the President of the Nuclear Institute in Washington. I hope you also request those tape recordings where the representative from the Institute in a bold impudence way stated, "Nuclear Power Plants are not located in America's neighborhoods without the approval of the people lining in the area of a plant."

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NRC Responses Page 2 Beginning of 3<sup>rd</sup> paragraph: "Regarding your request for a list of counterfeit and/or substandard pars replaced or not replaced at Seabrook station, the NRC does not retain such a list. NextERA has a corrective action system to address the identification and correction of any such equipment. The NRC has unfettered access to this system for inspection and enforcement purposes, but does not develop lists of the type you describe."

Stephen B. Comley's response: NRC does not retain such a list." Question: Why not? We are not talking about a donut shop here!

NRC Statement: The NRC has <u>unfettered access</u> to this system for inspection and enforcement purposes." I point to Satin industries and NRC Information (<u>Enclosure I)</u> Notice No.89-45, Supplement 2: Metal clad, Low-voltage Power circuit Breakers Refurbished with Substandard Parts.

Note again (Enclosure I) here Page 2 of 7 Paragraph 2, It is expected that recipients will review this information for applicability to their facilities and consider actions, if appropriate, to avoid similar problems. However, suggestions contained in this notice do not constitute NRC requirements; therefore, no specific action or written response is required."

Here again is just another example of the NRC penciling away safety concerns.

Note specifically Page 4 of 7 second paragraph, "The SA facility in Shelton, Connecticut, suffered major damage in a fire in July 1989. The resultant destruction of records may make it difficult or impossible for SA's customers to audit the company and obtain the information necessary to assure that previously purchased equipment was in full compliance with the applicable specifications and purchase order requirements."

Question: How did NextERA handle this in the case of Satin Industries when in this statement above destruction of records may make it difficult or impossible for SA's customers to audit the company? Should be noted U.S. Marshalls were scheduled to seize all of Satin's records but the company building burned to the ground the night before the U.S. Marshalls were scheduled to arrive.

Question: Was there an investigation into whether Satin was tipped off ahead of time of the pending U.S. Marshalls seizure of Satin American Companies records?

Also Note in May of 1993, the President and Vice President/manager of Satin American Corporation were sentenced (Enclosure I) in U.S. District Court (Conn) on criminal charges: specifically, Section 371 of Title 18 of the U.S. code (18 U.S.C. 371), "Conspiracy to Traffic in Goods Bearing Counterfeit Marks." They had pled guilty to participating in a conspiracy from 1985 to 1987 in which circuit breakers and related

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Comley Sr. responses concerning Satin American Corporation continued:

Equipment was refurbished at their Shelton, Connecticut, facility. This equipment was sold to various NRC licensees and others bearing counterfeit nameplates made to look like those from the original manufacturers. The Satin American President was sentenced to 4 years of imprisonment, which was suspended, and 3 years' probation. The conditions of probation were restitution, a \$250,000 fine, 400 hours of community service each year of probation, and barring of the President, Satin American Corporation, and any related or successor companies controlled by him from engaging in nuclear safety-related business for 5 years. The Satin American Vice president/manager was sentenced to 3 years of imprisonment, also suspended with 3 years' probation, 200 hours of community service each year of p-probation, a \$5,000 fine and barred from nuclear safety-related business for 3 years.

The above so called punishment will hardly be a deterrent to prevent these same individuals from trying it again. Satin recently was found in the possession of (Enclosure I) Substandard parts.

3) NRC responses (Emergency Planning – Potassium Iodide) "you asserted that laws governing the distribution of potassium iodide (II) tablets to citizens living up to 20 miles from nuclear power plant are not being implemented."

The Law to which you are referring is Section 127(f) of the Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness and Response Act of 2002 (the Act), which was signed into law by President Bush on June 12, 2002. However, as detailed in the enclosed January 22, 2008, memorandum form the Office of Science and Technology Policy \*OSTP) - Executive Office of the President, this provision of the Act was waived. This document provides the technical basis for this decision, and why there exists more effective preventive measures than KI for the population between 10-20 miles from a nuclear station. Since this waiver of the Act is permitted by law, and was promulgated by and individual delegated this authority by the President, the NRC is actin in accordance with the law as it currently stands.

If you have questions or comments on this decision, we suggest you direct your concern to OSTP at: Office of Science and Technology Policy – Executive Office of the President, Eisenhower Executive Office Building, 1650 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, DC 20504, Phone: 202-456-4444

## Stephen B. Comley's Response:

Yes you are correct. The laws specifically I believe President Obama, Governor Deval Patrick, Governor Maggie Hassan, the NRC and Seabrook owner, Florida Power and Light are in violation of all of the following which include the Potassium Iodide KI issue outlined in the next pages..

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## Comley Sr continued response to violations of U.S. Laws:

<u>Discrimination</u>: Federal Law prohibits discrimination against disabled persons. According to 29 U.S.C. 794, no person, solely by reason of their handicap, may be subjected to discrimination by any program or activity which receives federal funds. Since most of the entities involved in evacuating a population receive federal funds, it would be a contravention of federal law MA and NH to effectuate a plan that wholly ignores persons solely by reason of their handicapped status.

According to the emergency evacuation plan created by the owners of the Seabrook nuclear power plant in NH, the young, the old, and the physically and mentally disabled are left to fend for themselves in some bizarre Darwinian version of Survival of the fittest. People who are frail, ill, helpless, and people with special needs will be a larger part of any group which ends up being sheltered indefinitely rather than evacuated with the general population.

I raised this issue in 8/15/1986 during my interview with to James K. Asselstine, NRC Commissioner and to Lando Zech, NRC's Chair and the other 3 when (Enclosure E) I asked question #2, "Do you feel that some means should be provided for people who cannot be moved, other than merely being sheltered?"

On August 19, 1986, Mr. Asselstine replied, "I do not believe the commission has faced the situation in which evacuation is impossible for some individuals within the EPZ and the only alternative is sheltering within unprotected facilities."

Victor Stello, former Executive Director for operations, replying to the same question to me due to the fact Chairman Zech and the other 3 refused to reply individually to me. Mr. Stello wrote on October 1, 1986, "For the few individual patients where in the judgment of medical experts prompt evacuation is not advisable, we believe that shelter is an appropriate protective measure until they can be safely relocated. In some cases it may be appropriate to administer potassium iodide (KI)."

This statement revealed to me very early on these high officials at the NRC as well as other people including Presidents I have written were then and are now willing to make a certain segment of the American Population expendable which began my 27 year journey of investigating the NRC and the Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Industries.

In considering the KI option, the NRC must examine the issue of discrimination. Many people not immediately evacuated will be left behind because they are ill, frail and senior citizens or people with special needs. Using KI could endanger some of them. They deserve to have more protection against a radioactive plume than KI and their bedclothes.

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## Comley Sr. responses to Violation of U.S. Discrimination Law continued:

The Nuclear Industry is licensed by the Federal Government to generate electricity (and profits) with this potentially lethal technology. To prevent a situation which discriminates against those left behind, the federal government should make a criteria for licensing that the licensee provide comparable protection for those left behind. One possible means of preventing discrimination should be to build shelters similar to the bomb shelters built during the early years of the Cold War to protect against nuclear bomb attacks.

We The (WTP) People is bringing our awareness to these concerns and others by circulating our National "Petition To President Obama, Vice President Biden, Speaker Boehner and Members of Congress to create an Independent Commission to investigate the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (Enclosure J), (part of content is) "WHERE AS current emergency plans propose that senior citizens and other special needs persons who cannot immediately evacuate be left behind in the event of a nuclear accident be given potassium iodide which only protects the thyroid against radioactive iodine, leaving them susceptible to contamination by other dangerous radioactive products released during an accident or act of sabotage; and such plans assume these valuable members of our communities are expendable, a discriminatory policy which violates their civil rights."

WTP hope is State Senator Tarr, Rep. Hill, Governor Patrick, U. S Senator Edward Markey and others elected officials will follow the lead of former FL.Rep. <u>Julio Robaina</u> who was the <u>first</u> elected leader to sign WTP's National Petition. Citizens and I will be circulated the petition throughout the Town of Rowley MA when I return from South Korea and Japan where I have been invited to speak about my experiences with the NRC and the Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Plants.

3).Comley Sr. responses to NRC's Emergency Planning —Potassium Iodide)
Law Violation of Potassium (KI) Iodide: Partially taken from News and issues US
Government Info: The Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness and
Response Act of 2002 expanded the Potassium (KI) Iodide distribution radius to 20 miles
from 10 miles. President George W. bush signed the measure into law following the
terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001, amid concerns that enemies were planning
attacks on American nuclear facilities. Neither former President George W. Bush nor his
successor, President Obama, actually implemented the law mandating broader
distribution of the so-call "emergency Pills" containing potassium iodide, which reduce
the risk of thyroid cancer in people at risk for inhalation or ingestion of radioiodines."

Even when this law and in some cases this unacceptable drug KI is put into effect the area where KI is made an option must be more extensive than the 20-mile evacuation zone delineated by law as the area for which licensees must provide a detailed plan. A radioactive plume form a damaged nuclear power plant can extend a great distance,

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Comley Sr. responses to of law concerning KI continued: as was learned during the Chernobyl and Fukushima disasters when radiation fell heavily within those countries, and elevated radiation levels were even measured in the U.S. from both accidents including affecting the air in MA and Cows' milk in VT...

The use of KI can have serious side effects, a matter to address when making KI an emergency option. Some manufacturers and pharmacies state KI should not be administered without a physician's prescription. A manufacturer's caution about Potassium Iodide solution include: giving the preparation with a full glass of water to assure against gastrointestinal injury: to notify a physician if skin rash, fever, swelling of throat or signs of iodism (brassy taste, burning of mouth and throat, chronic sore gums and teeth, symptoms of head cold) occur; and the note that KI is contraindicated in cases of Addison's disease, acute or chronic renal disease, dehydration, tuberculosis, and in patients with sensitivity to iodides. The manufacturer cites several reports on nonspecific bowel lesions where surgery was required and deaths occurred, and says KI should be discontinued immediately if abdominal pain, distention, nausea, vomiting, or gastrointestinal bleeding occurs. In cases of over dosage, lethal levels can be reached in a few hours.

All emergency personnel including volunteers who are willing to stay behind in the event of a nuclear explosion to administer KI, including hospital and nursing home employees, police and fire departments must receive in-depth training in administering KI, its side effects, and antidotal measures. From many of the individuals I have spoken associated with the departments above have informed me they are not familiar or have been trained in this matter.

When stockpiling, it is necessary the stockpile not exceed its shelf life. For example, some of the liquid solutions have only a shelf life of six months. The tablet form may be longer lived, but some special needs people are unable to consume tablets and would have to have the liquid form available. It is difficult to believe during a nuclear disaster that anyone will have enough time to discern who should receive the correct tablet or the liquid KI.

A great deal of preparation and ongoing attention is involved in making KI one of the options in protecting the public, but none of these cautions should exclude KI as an option.

The entire population at risk of exposure to a radioactive plume should be educated about the benefits and side effects of KI so they are informed of their options. The Nuclear Management and resources Council (NUMARC), and organization of nuclear utility owners, recommend the NRC discourage use or stockpiling of KI because "Stockpiling or redistribution and the associated public education

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Comley Sr. Reponses to KI Law continued:

would result in a potentially significant negative public perception." In CNN's year and half investigation of WTP's work which aired on EARTH MATTERS entitled, INSIDE THE NRC: INTIMIDATION OR REGULATION (Enclosure K copy of DVD 2 segments: one of CNN investigation of WTP work and 2nd is more activities of WTP) touched on the NUMARC stated above. WTP recommended the NRC disregard the NUMARC position which I have been told has influenced the NRC's stand on KI for the last several years.

NUMARC's short term "potentially significant negative" image problems pale in the face of the public's right to be protected against life-threatening radiation in the event of a nuclear power plant accident.

Negative publicity does not last long; thyroid cancer has a much deeper, long-lasting, and more devastating consequence. This is again another example of the NRC bowing to the wishes of the Industry and penciling away once again safety concerns in favor of protecting the profits of the Nuclear Industry who's Lobbyists routinely fill many politicians' war chests.

Just before the NRC hearing I found out in NH and MA the availability of KI is very limited or nonexistent. In evidence I presented at the NRC hearing 12/18/13 I included statements (Enclosure L) attested to by managers of two CVS Pharmacies in Salisbury MA and Seabrook NH directly in front of the Seabrook Nuclear plant who stated, "We do not carry potassium Iodide for the past year or so. We cannot get it or normally carry potassium iodide."

I recall the U.S. government sending all of our KI was sent to Japan when the Fukushima explosion occurred which left us who live near the Seabrook Plant and other parts of the U.S. plum out of luck if Seabrook Station blew up.

3. Violation of Law and standards of NRC licensing U.S. Nuclear Plants.

As I stated in my oral and written (Enclosure M testimony) "This NRC panel should not even be having this hearing. It is a waste of tax payer's hard earned money because the NRC never should have licensed the Seabrook Nuclear Plant in the first place.

Anyone familiar with the Beach areas in MA and NN surrounding this plant knows you cannot possibly evacuate citizens safely in the event of a Seabrook Nuclear disaster.

Proof of this is when I attended the Ted Nugent concert August 11, 2013 this past summer at the Hampton Beach Casino when I noticed during the time before the concert I was having trouble crossing the street because of all the people at the Hampton Beach in NH that day. Due to this congestion I decided to individually ask 15 NH State troopers this question, "If the Seabrook Nuclear Power Plant blew up right now what would you do?"

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Comley Sr. Reponses to Violations Law and Standards of NRC licensing of U.S. Nuclear Plants continued: <u>Time and time again I received this answer</u>, "<u>There is noting we can do</u>, we would all be a goner because we cannot safely evacuate these people." Since August 11, 2013 I have talked with other State Troopers in NH and MA as well as other State Police officers and Chiefs and police in authority in the surrounding towns within the 10 miles radius of Seabrook Station and got the same replies.

Due to these troubling concerns I revealed at this hearing I requested the NRC Panel, "To arrange an investigative hearing before the State Troopers of MA, NH and the Police officers of the surrounding towns of within the 10 mile radius of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant whether it is in their opinion who have knowledge of how much traffic congestion is present on holidays and high beach days in MA and NH if people can be evacuated safely in the event of nuclear disaster at the Seabrook Nuclear Plant."

If in fact these traffic experts testify they are not able to safely evacuate citizens in MA and NH safely and I believe they will.it is obvious to me the NRC, President Obama, FEMA, both Governors of NH and MA are currently in violation of US Laws. <u>Under these circumstances</u>, <u>Seabrook Station's license to operate must be revoked and the Plant must be shut down immediately because it was built in the wrong location and has been violation of U.S. Law since the NRC licensed it....</u>

Since requesting this Investigative Committee Hearing during my oral testimony at the NRC hearing December 18, 2014 your reply to me in your letter was for me to contact FEMA. In all due respect to you Mr. Dentel, I believe this is your responsibly to contact FEMA just like if I gave your office additional information concerning falsification of welds at Seabrook Station which brave Informants from Seabrook brought to WTP in the past, you would have to act on them.

Unfortunately information I gave to the NRC IG concerning weld deceptions at Seabrook Nuclear Plant was never fully investigated.

<u>Please let me know when the NRC and FEMA will arrange and assembly this Investigative Hearing.</u>

<u>NRC response</u>: "U.S. Nuclear Power Plants must conform to safe evacuation procedures when approving the location of a Nuclear Plant."

Stephen B. Comley Sr. response to NRC's: It is pretty obvious to me and many others I know the NRC and FEMA in the event of a Nuclear disaster at Seabrook Nuclear Plant never ever really held legitimate tests on Routes 1 or US Federal Highway 95 in MA and NH established whether citizens can be evacuated safety during crowed beach days or

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Comley Sr. Responses to Violation of Law and Standards of NRC Licensing of U.S. Nuclear Plants continued: people traveling to Maine or Canada from MA and NH.

I have obtained a DVD (Enclosure N) which shows Traffic patterns during high traffic days in MA and NH on 95 as well as other roads in the proximity of Seabrook Nuclear Plant.

Those of us who watched the licensing of Seabrook knows what a mockery of our democratic process was made by former Governor Sununu, Victor Stello and NRC Administrative Licensing Law Judge, Ivan Smith in making sure evacuation plans would indeed be passed and established in the <u>unlikely event of a nuclear accident at</u>

<u>Seabrook instead of the likely occurrence of one happening.</u> This was done with the establishment of one step licensing which I explained more fully on page 3 with Enclosure D and contained in Media articles in enclosure N.

I have always wondered how Former NH Governor John Sununu then and now can ride around in his car with the NH license plate saying "Live Free or Die."

4) NRC remarks (Emergency Planning): "You questioned the ability of local authorities to implement the emergency preparedness program in the 10-mile emergency planning zone (EPZ), as well as the ability to protect the special needs population both inside and outside the 10-mile EPZ. You also asked that the NRC hold a meeting with the State Police in Massachusetts and New Hampshire to gain their insights on the ability of local officials to implement the emergency plan in the event of a radiological release at Seabrook station. You further asked why the NRC has not required emergency planning beyond 10 miles.

## **NRC** Response

Each reactor site in the US has onsite and offsite emergency plans to assure that adequate protective measures can be taken to protect the public in the event of a radiological emergency. Federal oversight of emergency preparedness for nuclear power plants in the US is shared by the NRC and Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). This sharing is facilitated through a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) that is responsive to the President's decision of December 7, 1979, that FEMA take the lead in overseeing offsite planning and response, and that NRC assist FEMA in carrying out this role. The NRC has statutory responsibility for the radiological health and safety of the public by overseeing onsite preparedness and has overall authority for bout onsite and offsite emergency preparedness.

The NRC must have reasonable assurance that adequate protective measures can and will be taken in the event of a radiological emergency. The NRC's decision of reasonable assurance is based on licensees complying with NRC regulations and guidance. In addition, licensees and area response organizations must demonstrate they can effectively implement emergency plans and procedures during periodic

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4) NRC responses continued for Emergency Planning: evaluated exercises. These plans include provisions for dealing with school children, as well as special needs populations, such as nursing home patients, imprisoned individuals, and other persons incapable of evacuating an area on their own. The options include providing assistance to relocate them or sheltering the, in place. Each plant owner is required to exercise its emergency plan with the NRC, FEMA, and offsite authorities at implementing their emergency plans. Licensees also self-test their emergency plans regularly by conducting drills. Each plant's performance in drills and exercises can be accessed through the NRC Web site; http://www.nrc.gov/NRR/OVERSIGHT/ASSESS/INDEX.html

FEMA takes the lead in initially reviewing and assessing the offsite planning and response, and in assisting State and local governments, while the NRC reviews and assesses the onsite planning and response. FEMA findings and determinations as to the adequacy and capability of implementing offsite plans are communicated to the NRC. The NRC reviews the FEMA finding and determinations as well as the onsite findings. The NRC then makes a determination on the overall state of emergency preparedness.

As for emergency planning activities beyond the 10 mile EPZ, FEMA does require that licensees have plans in-place out to 50 miles from a facility to address the possible ingestion of radioactive materials. The primary risk from a radiological release beyond 10 miles is not from the direct exposure of individuals to radiation from a release plume, but rather long-term exposure from residual contamination in surface water, on the ground, on food supplies or ingested by livestock. Protective actions for the 50-mile ingestion Pathway Zone include stopping the distribution of contaminated food and water, relocating livestock, and controlling access to the area.

The Seabrook Station offsite emergency preparedness plans meet current NRC and FEMA requirements were demonstrated during the last exercise conducted in late 2012, and will be evaluated again in an exercise in late 2014. In those exercises, the performance of the State Police in New Hampshire and Massachusetts, as well as the numerous local communities in both states, is evaluated by a team of FEMA employees and contractors. Since FEMA has offsite EP responsibility, we suggest you contact the FEMA Region I office that is responsible for Seabrook station's emergency plan to discuss your concerns. FEMA Region I, Attn: Steve Coirman, Regional Assistance Chair, 98 High St., Boston, MA 02110, 1-877-336-2734 (or 617-832-4731 for Steve's direct number).

### Stephen Comley Sr. responses to the NRC's to Emergency Planning.

The Seabrook Nuclear Plant does <u>NOT</u> have onsite and offsite emergency plans to assure adequate protective measures can be taken to protect the public in the event of a radiological emergency. You state Federal oversight of emergency preparedness for nuclear power plants in the US is shared by the NRC and Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). This sharing is facilitated through a Memorandum of

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## Comley Sr. continued Reponses to NRC's to Emergency Planning:

Understanding (MOU) (That certainly rings another bell in one of WTP's investigations of cover-ups within the NRC (see enclosure O, I will discuss further on page 19) that is responsive to the President's Carter decision of December 7, 1979, that FEMA take the lead in overseeing offsite planning and response and that NRC assist FEMA in carrying out this role. This all sounds good on paper but the fact remains neither the NRC, FEMA or the Seabrook owners have fulfilled their Statutory responsibility for the radiological health and safety of the public because their plans for onsite and offsite emergency preparedness have never been really tested in the likely event of an explosion at Seabrook Station but only from the standpoint of the unlikely result of a nuclear accident at Seabrook.

There are several reasons and facts that prove why I make this determination which I outlined in my previous responses to <u>3) (Emergency Planning)</u> which included current violations of U.S. Laws as they relate to Potassium Iodide, Discrimination and the Law and standards of NRC licensing U.S. Nuclear Plants.

In addition the NRC does not have reasonable assurance that adequate protective measures can and will be taken in the event of a radiological emergency. You state, "Each plant owner is required to exercise its emergency plan with the NRC, FEMA, and offsite authorities at implementing their emergency plans. Licensees also self-test their emergency plans regularly by conducting drills. You also state Seabrook Station offsite emergency preparedness plans meet current NRC and FEMA requirements and were demonstrated during the last exercise conducted in late 2012, and will be evaluated again in an exercise in late 2014. In all due respect who is the agency and persons that determined December would be the best time of year in this area to test offsite emergency preparedness plans for Seabrook Station?

Was this an the old idea that came from former Governor Sununu and Victor Stello, former Executive Director of the NRC: The only way to conduct a viable and true test of Seabrook Nuclear Plant's Emergency Preparedness Plans is to test them during summer and fall holidays when droves of citizens of MA, NH and Me are relaxing at the Hampton and Salisbury beaches not when it is snowing and no one is around.

NRC states, "As for emergency planning activities beyond the 10 mile EPZ, FEMA does require that licensees have plans in-place out to 50 miles from a facility to address the possible ingestion of radioactive materials. I have had citizens in Amesbury, Newburyport and Salisbury within the 10 mile radius of Seabrook Station state after they have read in the newspaper Seabrook Station had conducted a drill no sirens were heard by these individuals in their area.

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Comley Sr. continued responses to the NRC;s to Emergency Planning: Considering these circumstances and facts I have now reported to the NRC, will the NRC and FEMA instruct Seabrook Plant owners, Florida Power and Light to install for more sirens and other equipment needed for special needs people within the 20 mile radius of Seabrook Station?

I also believe where Former President Bush felt Potassium Iodide should be stockpiled within 20 miles it seems reasonable he would be in favor of installing more sirens within 20 miles instead of just 10 miles, so citizens within that radius will hear when to take the controversial drug KI. <u>Please comment.</u>

Hopefully President Obama will elect to change his present position not requiring Potassium Iodide to be stockpiled within 20 mile radius of U.S. Nuclear Plants. Can once again be signed into law and implemented.

NRC (Decommissioning Funding) you asked how much money is set aside for decommissioning Seabrook Station.

NRC Response: "As of the end of 2012, approximately \$450 million has been set aside in decommissioning funds for Seabrook Station. Per 10CFR 50.75(f) (1), licensees are required to provide that information to the NRC. The information as of March 2013 is available to the public in the NRC; s document management system under Accession Number M1, 13093A156: a copy of that report is attached.

Stephen B. Comley Response to the NRC's: who determines the adequacy of decommissioning funds and how it this determined? Does it include the dimensioned value of the U.S. dollar in figuring possible new determine increased costs to decommission Seabrook?

If indeed the amount is not currently enough to decommission Seabrook where and when would the NRC require Florida Power and Light to raise the necessary funds?

<u>6) NRC (CNN DVD)</u> You provided a DVD copy of a CNN report and urged it to be placed in the NRC library.

**NRC** Response: As this video is not an NRC production, was not required to be submitted to the NRC, and would require the copyright clearance of CNN, we cannot load such a video on the NRC website. However, CNN has loaded many such videos to YouTube. We suggest you contact CNN to determine if this video is public accessible.

#### Comley Sr.'s response concerning CNN video:

WTP has the copyright clearance for the NRC to store CNN's video on their Website.

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## Comley Sr. response continued to NRC's regarding CNN Video:

WTP has had no problem getting copyright clearance for CNN's video. I can't imagine why CNN would not offer the NRC the same privilege. If there some reason why you believe your agency would not ask for the right?

Due to a NRC MEMO of UNDERSTANDING (MOU) which gives the NRC authority to reveal identities to their employers of Nuclear Industry Plant workers who report safety violations to the NRC. Enclosure O contains several Media articles of NRC IG investigation brought about by WTP informants including the MOU see AP and Christion Science Monitor articles). Also in O include other article. Including one entifled, "US removes a gag from Seabrook critic." WTP's lawyer, Ernest Hadley was successful by getting former Dept. of Labor Secretary Robert B. Reich to rule, "This provision was contrary to public policy and unenforceable." This lead to hearings involving Joseph D. Wampler who was fired for raising safety concerns at the Seabrook Nuclear Plant Wampler and contended that 20 % of the 2,669 safetyrelated welds at Seabrook were either defective or improperly documented - X-rays used for backup were flawed and the safety of the welds could not be determined. This was the second case of falsification of welds at Seabrook which WTP brought to light. I was never asked to testify about what additional information I knew about these two separate cases. Former Seabrook workers and supervisors should have been be subpoenaed and put under oath which means they faced with having to tell the truth why weld records were falsified at Seabrook Station or go to jail.

It should be noted, when the NRC IG office was created they only were given authority to subpoena records not people, I know why. Due to this circumstances and others I believe it would be more appropriate and helpful to potential whistleblowers within the NRC and the Nuclear Industry to at least be made aware of our organization by the NRC agreeing to load the CNN video entitled, INSIDE THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISION: REGULATION OR INTIMIDATION on NRC's Website. I certainly do not object to your suggestion to place CNN investigation of WTP's work in exposing Cover-ups within the NRC and unsafe conditions at most U.S. Nuclear Plants to have to recommend CNN's video be placed on You Tube for the general public to view.

7) (NRC Seabrook Concrete) you asked which company supplied the concrete during the construction of Seabrook Units 1 and 2.

#### NRC's Response

Concrete is a composite of cement, aggregate (e.g., crushed rock & sand), water and, in some cases, small amounts of admixtures. The component of concern in the Alkali silica Reaction is the aggregate, which contains the reactive silica. As stated at the public meeting, the aggregate that was supplied to the constructor, United Engineers constructors, originated form four quarries in southern Maine (denoted in NextEra's slide presentation at the meeting & now available on the NRC website). While that aggregate was originally tested by a short duration test & found to be acceptable, the test performed was not adequate to identify that ASR would develop over a much longer time frame.

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8) (Seabrook Concrete) Can Seabrook's Unit 2 ever go on-line or would a second unit have to be constructed from scratch? If that is indeed the case why isn't the testing of the degradation of the cement being done on the Seabrook Nuclear plant on the old Unit 2?

NRC Response the NRC construction permit for Seabrook Unit 2 was cancelled in 1988. Moreover, since that time, a number of key plant components, namely the steam generators, were sold to other utilities for use, while the upper portions of the containment liner were torn down following the sale of the site to NextEra.

During the meeting on December 18, 2013, NextEra staff discussed with the NRC staff their large-specimen testing program underway at the University of Texas' Ferguson Structural Engineering Laboratory. The NRC has neither recommended not ordered NextEra to take this approach nor have we approved it. Neither has the NRC required the licensee to use concrete from the cancelled Seabrook Unit 2 structures. Should NextEra elect to use the results of this test program to resolve the ASR non-conforming condition, the testing methodology and results will be subject to NRC review pursuant to the applicable regulatory processes described in 10 CFR 50.59 and /or 50.90. Should NextEra decide to use another approach, the NRC will likewise implement these regulatory review processes.

## Stephen B. Comley response to NRC's

Thank you for this information. Please keep me informed if NextEra decides to use another approach and if and when the NRC approves and will implement any new regulatory review processes.

<u>9) NRC remarks: (Public Meeting Transcription)</u> You requested a copy of the video made during the public meeting on December 18, 2013, and asked why the agency changed its position regarding transcribing this meeting?

## **NRC Response**

NRC management decided before the meeting to have our sound contractor video record the meeting due to the high level of public interest in the issue. Management even pursued webcasting the meeting to the public, but ran into technical challenges at tat conference facility venue. The intention is to place it on the NRC website with the other Seabrook ASR information. We did not change our position regarding transcribing the meeting – it was not transcribed. As a rule, the NRC does not transcribe the roughly one thousand public meetings it conducts annually.

Members of the public are free to record such meeting if they so desire. On December 18, the meeting was recorded by three groups – the NRC sound contractor, a local cable access station, and by a friend of yours. The NRC video is scheduled to be posted on our

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9) NRC remarks continued (Public Meeting Transcription: own website in mid-February. The video will be unedited, with the exception of a remark that will be deleted. Specifically, someone at the microphone mentioned their name and home address, so for personal privacy and identity protection reasons, the NRC is obligated to withhold that information.

## Stephen B. Comley Sr. responses to NRC

First of all this meeting was inappropriately scheduled one week before Christmas one of busiest times of the year for most people. Why wasn't more consideration given by the NRC to hold this meeting so the citizens from MA and NH who live within the 10 mile radius of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant would have had a more convenient time to voice their concerns and objections to extending Seabrook Station license from 2030 to 2050?.

The NRC does not usually videotape meetings either do they? Why did the NRC decide to video tape this meeting? How many people would have to usually attend before the NRC would spend the money to video tape a meeting?

Mr. Dentel I believe some of the reasons why the NRC requested that a video be taken was because of the 3 consecutive phone calls I got from Richard Barkley as a result of letters I wrote published in several newspapers (Enclosure P) in NH and MA stating I would testify at the Hearing. I found out the questions he was asking me were really coming from the NRC General Council. She made allegations about me possible bringing signs with sticks attached and that I may injure people attending the Seabrook NRC hearing December 18, 2003. I was insulted by her remarks and requested an apology letter from her which I have not received to date. Please Reply.

10) (NRC Staff Notes) You requested the notes of Diane Screnci, Sr, Public Affairs Officer taken during conversations you had with her, information which she later summarized and passed on to the NRC's Office of the Inspector General.

#### **NRC** Response

As Ms. Screnci mentioned to you, the personal notes of NRC staff member are not releasable under the FOIA process. However, the subject matter you discussed with Ms. Screnci was captured by the many documents you submitted to the NRC, which as stated earlier are publicly available on the NRC's document management system ADAMS at ML. 14023A685. A copy of this letter is being provided to the NRC Office of Inspector General for information.

The same applies to Richard Barkley, whom you have spoken with and emailed on a number of occasions since early December 2013.

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#### Stephen B. Comley Sr. Responses to 10) NRC. Staff Notes:

I am sure Mr. Dental that you and many others in the NRC, the NRC IG and most elected officials in Washington know by now that I do not trust the NRC, NRC IG, FBI, DOJ, or Congress to thoroughly investigate cover-ups within the NRC or the unsafe conditions at the U.S. Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Plants. I have been left with only one other choice but to ask our Commander and Chief, President Barak Obama, to fully investigate these cover-ups by the NRC and the highest Officials in the U.S. Government which have been ignored now for many years.

I will be sending a letter soon to Leon Panetta who as you know has tried to help in the past to get the concerns fully investigated by the DOJ. I believe Mr. Panetta will honor my request for President Obama to meet with me once reads my letter and examines the statements and documents I have included with my letter and mailed to him at his foundation "Institute for Public Policy in California.

Ironically due to the many cover-ups WTP informants have brought to light which WTP reveals to Main Stream American could indeed cause the very demise of the Civilian Nuclear Industry and possibly put a dent in getting President Obama in taking the lead into disarming the U.S. Nuclear Industrial Amory so other countries will follow suit.

The notes taken by both Diane Screnci and Richard Barkley of my conversations with them were I believe to be of a very serious nature. Due to the fact I have never received a phone call from the NRC IG Mr. Bell certainly confirms to me once again the NRC, the FBI or the Department of Justice is obviously intimidated from investigating the call of former NRC IG David Williams and former White House Chief of Staff, Leon Panetta directive to investigate wrongdoing by Former Presidents Ronald Reagan, George Bush and others I know who had involvement in the cover-up of the Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear Parts Scandal.

Mr. Dental would please request Diane Screnci and Richard Barkley to reply back to me whether the notes they took from the conversations I had with them which you say they sent to NRC IG office should at least warranted some sort of reply or contact from the NRC IG office to me concerning what I believe to be a very serious matter the American people should have answers to?. I have also been made aware by the NRC OI who also stated to me sent information to NRC IG from notes taken from conversation I had with NRC OI but again like the notes sent by Diane Screnci and Richard Barkley I was never contacted by NRC IG, Mr. Bell or anyone form that office.. Obviously if in fact Diane Screnci, Richard Barkley and NRC OI notes were accurate of my conversations with them why I hasn't the NRC IG's office contacted me? Since I have no problem of making these notes public, just maybe a congressional investigative committee down the road will find it necessary to subpoena these so called private notes. Please respond.

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11) (Commission/EDO Response to Your Concerns) You stated at the meeting and in a subsequent email that you feel the public has a right to hear from each of the NRC Commissioners, the NRC Executive Director of Operations (EDO) and the five NRC panel members who attended the NRC public meeting given the significance of the NRC deciding whether to extended the Seabrook Nuclear Plant's operating license from 2030 to 2050. You believe it is important to note the NRC should also being taking in account the age of the material and parts from when the construction of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant first started, not form the time it was licensed.

## NRC Response:

The purpose of the public meeting of December 18, 2013, was to inform the public of the actions being taken by NextEra and the NRC to address the ASR issue, and for the NRC to answer question from the public. It was not a formal legal hearing. As the individuals most directly responsible for the oversight of the NRC inspection program for Seabrook station, my staff and I are the most appropriate to address you concerns and questions. Should you feel the need to express your question and concerns to the five members of the Commission of the EDO, you are always free to do so directly via phone, email, or in writing.

Regarding the monitoring of the condition of the material and parts at Seabrook Station during the period of extended operation, the NRC has imposed a large number of testing and surveillance requirement on the facility during the current license period. Those requirements will continue during the period of extended operation, and be supplemented by aging management programs implemented to monitor the condition of select material and components at Seabrook Station independent of their age. As with any industrial facility, many parts of the station will be replaced in the future, or have already been replaced, due to equipment obsolescence, corrosion, or in the case of components in continuous use (e.g., gaskets, select valves and valve packing, etc.) because the components have reached the end of their service life. This process will continue independent of the length of service of the facility.

## Comley Sr. Responses: to NRC responses.

Thank you for your suggestion and I will exercise my right to contact all of the NRC Commissioners, the NRC Executive Director of Operations (EDC) and the five panel members who attended the NRC Public meeting given the significance of the NRC deciding whether to extend that Seabrook Nuclear Plant's operating license from 2030 to 2050. This will include several matters which I have had and still have extreme passion about especially since I have gotten these replies.

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The NRC and some of our top elected officials in our government continue to establish a double standard for safety for the Nuclear Civilian and Weapon Industries.

My family certainly knows our Son's family owned and run Health Care extended Community Center would have his license to operate revoked immediately by the if he had inadequate evacuations plans or installed Counterfeit Substandard Fire Doors in his facility. I know if the MA Dept. of Safety and the Federal Life Safety Code found a Bogus fire door in my Son's Health Care Home they would not be in favor of lowering the standards so he could save money and time instead of replacing substandard door with a Fire door that is properly tested and labeled..

Your statement on page 6 in your last response to me state, "As the individuals most directly responsible for the oversight of the NRC inspection program for Seabrook Station, my staff and I are the most appropriate to address your concerns and questions." In all due respect to you and everyone else in the NRC who want me to believe the NRC is protecting the safety of the American people is like expecting me to recommend that the mafia be placed on the police force to enforce our laws.

In over the 27 years of WTP's informants and myself investigating and revealing the NRC's penciling away of inadequate evacuation plans and covering up unsafe conditions at US Nuclear Plants including the Counterfeit Substandard Scandal which the NRC IG office only did a Generic investigation of the NRC's cover –up of these bogus .parts – instead of a doing a specific investigation of the NRC which also included the involvement which I can prove of President Reagan, President Bush, Rudolph Giuliani, Senator John Glenn and his Legal Counsel Stephen Ryan, 60 minutes, Former Chairman of the Senate Arms Committee, Senator Sam Nunn, who conducted hearings during President Bush's Nomination of Victor Stello to become assistant Secretary of Energy, Former Senator Peter Kostmayer and his Legal counsel, John O'Donnell, Former Attorney General Thornburg and others.

The NRC's and other officials in our Government continues with their philosophy of allowing the Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Industries to play Russian Roulette in America's neighborhoods still continues to exist this day...

You mentioned in your letter to me on the bottom of page 1 and onto 2, "given your protracted and costly legal involvement with the agency and the department of Justice in this matter." Yes, it has been costly during the 6 years I spent in MA Fed Court with the charge of "Conspiring to Topple the NRC" and other experiences like the threats on my family and me. I believe it has been one of the best investments I will ever make. I found in this life there are some things we cannot ignore or walk away from. This ordeal has only strengthened my faith but brought me closer to Jesus. I carry many Bible passages in my head there of which have had a profound effect on me. They are Hebrews 11:1, "Being sure of what you hope for and being certain of what you cannot see.", Luke 18: 1-8, "The Parable of the persistent widow who kept going to a Judge who did not respect

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Comley Sr. response continued." man or God but because of her persistence the Judge finally said, give her justice because she is driving me crazy." and Genesis 50:20, "You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives."

I have no intention of allowing the NRC or anyone else in Washington to risk my family's safety." I fully intend to continue to take the advice of Albert Einstein after he spilt the atom when he stated, "To the village squire we must take the facts of Atomic Energy from there must come America's voice."

I will be traveling soon to South Korea and Japan where I have been invited to speak about my experiences with the NRC and the dangers associated with the Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Industries. Upon returning to my home town of Rowley I will be circulating along with others a National Petition to President Obama like Rowley citizens who believe STRONGLY IN DEMOCRACY will again rise up again like we did in 1986 when 80% of our Town of Rowley MA signed a petition to then President Reagan which he ignored. Hopefully President Obama will accept our invitation to visit our small Town of Rowley like he did others towns in America during his Presidential campaigns and address our concerns and not ignore us like others past Presidents have done.

In closing I know there are good and dedicated people within the NRC and at Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Plants who also have families that want to protect against a nuclear disaster from occurring in the American again. I also believe both you and Mr. Barkley and others I know who are present or and former employees of the NRC are pulling for WTP to continue to reveal truth to the American People when we discover wrongdoing at the NRC and unsafe conditions at U.S. Nuclear facilities.

If anyone in the NRC needs further clarification or comment please do not hesitate to contact me. I would like to reinstate my offer I made at the December 18, 2013 NRC hearing to be willing to work with any responsible NRC individuals who would like to meet with me privately in revealing any wrongdoing at the NRC. These individuals can contact me without revealing their identities or can meet with me privately in person.

I can be reached by my Cell # 904-206-314 or by e-mail scomlesse a saho.com . .

Founder of We the People a National Whistleblower Non-Profit Organization

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Enclosures listed on Pages 26 and 27.

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## Enclosures:

- <u>A.</u> Quotes provided by NRC informants and Nuclear Industries Whistleblowers and given to Stephen B. Comley Sr. that he presented orally and written at the NRC hearing 12/18/13 to whether Seabrook Station should be given an extension of their operating license from 2030 to 2050.
- B. Confirmation of Former Chief Legal Counsel to Former Senator Peter Kostmayer, John O'Donnell who went on to become a Lobbyist for the Nuclear Industry.
- C. Union Leader article entitled, "SUNUNU WOULD SUPPORT SMALLER SEABROOK ZONE."
- <u>D.</u> Leaked Department of Energy MEMO endorsing the use of manipulation and coercion to, "Have John Sununu to tell Chairman Selin to say northern further to the Congress than support of s. 1220 and its specific provisions. Ignore the past." Part of Enclosure D includes a decision made on 11/09/1989 by NRC Judge, Ivan Smith of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board approving the NH and MA Emergency Plans which licensed the Seabrook Nuclear Plant by implementing One Step Licensing.
- <u>E.</u> Former NRC Commissioner, James K. Asselstine discussion with Stephen B. Comley regarding Nuclear Safety and Emergency Planning and Former NRC Executive Director Victor Stello replies to the same questions posed to Mr. Asselstine by Comley Sr.
- **F.** Stephen B. Comley Sr. Chronology of Cover-ups by the NRC and the additional involvement by President Reagan and others in the Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear Parts Scandal which President Reagan and his Administration ignored for almost a year.
- G. Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation: Memorandum: "Risk informed Categorization and Treatment of Structures, systems, and Components."
- H. Contains Letters. Concerning Wrongdoing official at the NRC including Victor Stello to Stephen B. Comley Sr. from DOE, letter to Former Chairman of the Armed Services Committee, Sam Nunn from John D. Dingell, former Chairman of Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations and a copy of a NRC interview in the Matter of: INVESTIGATIVE INTERVIEW: ROGER ANTNONY FORTUNA incorporated pages 1-211 of which pages 170-174 refer to a Cover-up of the 1979 Three Mile Island Nuclear Disaster when President Carter was in office and Richard Thornburgh, who was governor of Pennsylvania then.

### <u>Page 27 Stephen B. Comley Sr. Replies to NRC letter sent to him 2/12/14.</u> Enclosures Continued.

- I. Copies of NRC INFORMATION NOTICE 2011-01 OF February 15, 2011 of COMMERCIAL-GRADE DEDICATION ISSUES IDENTIFIED DURING NRC INSTPECTIONS. Also part of (encl. I) NRC INFORMATIONAL NOTICE 2008-04 OF April 7, 2008 of COUNTERFEIT PARTS SUPPLIED TO NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS. Also included as part of Enclosure I is Information Notices 93-73 Criminal Prosecution of Nuclear Suppliers for Wrongdoing and 89-45, Supplement 2: Metalclad, Low-Voltage Power Circuit Breakers refurbished with Substandard Parts.
- J. Copy of We The People's National: "Petition to President Obama, Vice President Biden, Speaker Bochner and Members of congress to Create an Independent Commission to Investigate the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).
- <u>K</u> DVD e2 Segments: Copy of CNN's year and half investigation of We The People's work which aired on EARTH MATTERS entitled, "INSIDE THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION: INTIMIDATION OR REGULATION and second segment is more coverage of WTP.s activities.
- L. Copies of evidence I presented at the NRC Hearing of 12/18/13 of statements attested to by Managers of two CVS Pharmacies in Salisbury MA and Seabrook NH directly in front of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant who Stated, "We do not carry Potassium Iodide for the past year or so, we cannot get it or normally carry potassium iodide."
- M. Violations pf Laws and Standards of NRC licensing U.S. Nuclear Plants I presented in my oral and written testimony. Also part of Enclosure M is my letter to U.S. Senator Edward Markey's office who requested I send them my conclusions I outlined to Mr. Markey's office.2/14/14 which I am waiting a reply from.
- N. DVD Showing Traffic at a virtual standstill along Federal Highway 95, Route I and other roads in the proximity of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant during when travelers are heading to NH lakes, beaches in NH like Hampton and the Salisbury Beaches in MA together with other people traveling to and from MA, NH, Maine and Canada during their vacation times.
- O. Contains several Media articles of NRC IG investigations brought about by WTP informants including the MOU NRC scandal where NRC reveals identities of nuclear workers. See AP and Christion Science Monitor articles. Also in Enclosure O others articles of WTP work including one Entitled, "US removes a gag from Seabrook Critic."
- <u>P.</u> Copies of letters I received, & I wrote published in several newspapers in MA & NH stating I would testify at the 12/18/13 NRC Hearing about extending Seabrook's license.

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power activist against the removed." a request in federal court this week to have the lawsuit by a Rowley nuclear of Transportation moved The town of Rowley filed town and state Department from Essex Superior Court to federal court.

Selectmen, selectmen as evacuation plan. Comley also a Town Meeting vote calling ber, claiming the Board of filed a complaint in Essex Superior Court in late Octofailed to follow through on for a public hearing on the Stephen B. Comley Sr. individuals, and MassDOT

was not surprised, because had posted around Rowley he had not seen the filing but of the constitutional free-On Thursday, Comley said alleged selectmen ordered Pierce Davis & Perritano. speech issue involved. signs that he and others similar signs of a politibe taken down, while "other cal nature posted by other individuals ... were not so

In the U.S. District Court Comley's complaint "alleges his First Amendment rights" and "engaged in a civil conspiracy in violation of (Comthe town's law firm said that the petitioners violated filing in Boston this week, ley's) constitutional rights.

the filing by John J. Davis, of expressing political views, Twitter @RichardLodge\_DN. Seabrook nuclear plant's has jurisdiction, according to arises under the Constitu-"Because this civil action tion and laws of the United States," the federal court

political speech, criticism of governmental inaction and notice of public concern."

ment inaction and notice of public concern on public "began to disappear" after and alleged selectmen were behind an order to remove asked a Superior Court judge to order the town and Massfrom posting signs "relating to an election, expressing political views, political speech, criticism of govern-He claimed his signs the May 2015 Town Meeting the signs. The complaint DOT not to prevent Comley property." to ask the Nuclear Regulaa hearing on the Seabrook the May 4, 2015, Town Meeting unanimously backed his motion requiring selectmen tory Commission to hold Comley said in the complaint the board "failed, refused ber, Comley said voters at In his complaint in Octoplant's evacuation plan. and neglected to do so."

portnews.com. Follow him on reached at rlodge@newbury-He also said he and other on public property in Rowley residents had posted signs "relating to elections,

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## Kowley man files complaint against selectmen, MassDOT

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nuclear power activist filed a and Massachusetts Departcomplaint in Superior Court Rowley, Board of Selectmen ast week against the town of ment of Transportation, claimng selectmen failed to follow hrough on a Town Meeting ng on the Seabrook nuclear ote calling for a public hear. ROWLEY- A Local safety lant's evacuation plan.

omley Sr. also alleges selectur signs of political nature nen ordered signs he and othrs had posted around town be aken down, while "other simi-In the complaint, Stephen B.

posted by other individuals town employees or workers from MassDOT.

never officially requested the she had received a copy of the plaint that Rowley selectmen Nuclear Regulatory Commission hold a public hearing "to receive and discuss information regarding the effective-Comley said in the comness of the Seabrook Nuclear in an effort to publicize safety Power Plant evacuation plan

The complaint says voters at the annual Town Meeting on May 4, 2015, unanimously backed Comley's motion requiring selectmen ask the NRC to hold the hearing.

selectmen "failed, refused and Despite that Town Meeting ... were not so removed" by vote, Comley's complaint says neglected to do so."

The complaint says the

own Administrator Deborah Eagen said Wednesday complaint

she said, declining further May 2015 Town Meeting and "I sent it to the attorneys and they are reviewing it," comment

2015 Comley "and other citizens of the town" posted signs speech, criticism of govern-The complaint says that in on public property in Rowley "relating to elections, expressing political views, political mental inaction and notice of

tact the town departments to Eagen told Comley in a letter last Nov. 16 he should conloss to him.

ofaints about missing signs.

public concern,"

the private landowners," In the letter, she also said 2015, a meeting Comley did not attend, to address issues about the NRC Comley had the selectmen met on June 1, Eagen wrote, "customarily used by other individuals without restraint" relating to elections, expressing political views and highlighting issues of public Comley claims his signs "began to disappear" after the

"The Board of Selectmen an order to remove the signs. reminds you that they have already covered those issues" during the June 1 meeting, she wrote. that selectmen were behind He also claims the missing signs amounted to a \$3,000

asks the court to rule against In his complaint, Comley the town, the selectmen and ees" and any other relief the MassDOT, "plus costs and which he had directed com-

"With respect to your signs court decides. He also asks the signs were posted in areas that you placed on private court to order the town and property, you should contact MassDOT from "precluding or preventing (Comley) from posting signs relating to an election, expressing political views, political speech, criticism of government inaction and notice of public concern on public property.

He also asks the court to follow through on the 2015 Town Meeting vote askrequirements of the May ing the NRC to hold a public

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By KARL MUENCH Daily News staff

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his presidential nomination,

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Stello helped direct an inquiry into the relationship of tor of We The People Inc., an anti-nuclear group of his lead NRC investigator Roger Fortuna with Comley, direc-An upstate New York nuclear plant employee alleged own creation.

Fortuna did not pass the whistleblower's information Three congressional inquiries raised questions about through official channels and instead tipped off Comley.

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## COMLEY: Court rules NRC violated rights

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### Seabrook foe barred from banner flying

### Associated Press

WASHINGTON - The Rowley man who is a vocal opponent of New Hampshire's Seabrook nuclear plant is furlous over a federal ban on bannertoting airplanes flying over the nation's capital during the summit.

Stephen Comley, owner of Sea View Nursing Home in Rowley, said the ban "a restriction of freedom of speech

spokesman for the Federal Aviation Speech."

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zone described by Stafford as roughly seven miles in radius from the roughly seven miles in radius from the northern Virginia airport. The FAA also is pro-

hibiting photo-taking excursions over Washington during the summit, he

Stafford said the restriction would be lifted when the summit ends.

The ban infuriated Stephen Comley an anti-nuclear power activist who paid \$1,000 for a banner and plane to fly over Lincoln Park in a residential section of Capitol Hill on Monday afternoon.

"I don't think we're setting too good an example to the Russian people that



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THE BEST ASSET OR WEAPON WE HAVE IS FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION. THAT IS THE SYMBOL OF AMERICA.

### COMLEY: Infuriated by banner restriction

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Stafford denied Comley's assertion that the ben was to avoid potentially embarrassing agrial demonstrations while Soviet lender Mikhail Gorbachev was in town

"We're doing it for security reasons," he said, but declined to elaborate. Stafford said similar re-strictions have been imposed in the People Inc.," an anti-nuclear powpast during other major Washing. ton events. He could not cite av example.

Certain Washington airspace is always prohibited from flights, but the summit ban applies to unrestricted areas like Lincoln Park Commercial aircraft without banners are allowed in the traditionally unrestricted airspace during the summit, Stallord said

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Comley said he planned to fly a banner over the park, which is located between the Capitol and R.F.K. Memorial Stadium. The banner read: "Mr. Gorbachev, Help Us Stop Chernobyl Here — We The People," Comley said.

He has paid for other banners flown over Lincoln Park criticizing the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and warning about another Chemobyl accident in the United States

### Court says NRC critic wronged

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By James L. Franklin GLOBE STAFF

A federal judge has ruled that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission violated the First Amendment rights of Steve Comley, a Rowley businessman and longtime NRC critic, on several occasions when it barred or ejected him from NRC meetings.

The commission "prevented Comley from engaging in protected speech because they did not like his message," Judge John H. Pratt of the US District Court for the District of Columbia wrote in a decision filed Sept. 19.

The court held that Comley's display of posters and bumper stickers bearing the message, "Stop Chernobyl Here," at NRC hearings on the Seabrook and Pilgrim nuclear power plants "is protected speech under the First Amendment."

'It appears that NRC officials treated Comley differently from other meeting attendees, and that this difference in treatment was based on Comley's views ...'

JUDGE JOHN H. PRATT
US District Court

The NRC's rules against display of "visually disruptive" posters or signs at its public meetings are a reasonable restriction, but it failed to show that the actions against Comley were "viewpoint neutral," Pratt wrote,

The court said NRC officials singled Comley out, assigned security guards to monitor him at commission meetings, and at one point barred him from a meeting because he was carrying a small bag, although other members of the public were allowed into the room carrying briefcases, purses and similar items:

"It appears that NRC officials treated Comiey differently from other meeting attendees, and that this difference in treatment was based on Comley's views, which no doubt were irritating and annoying," the court said.

Ernest Hadley, Comley's attorney, jobserved: "The First Amendment is not based on what government officials find distressing. Mr. Comley's conduct was not disruptive, and no one complained."

Hadley said the decision bolsters arguments that the NRC treats its critics more harshly than industry representatives.

Robert A. Backus, a Manchester, N.H., attorney who has represented Seabrook opponents for more than a dozen years, said the decision showed the NRC has been less than evenhanded.

"I don't think anybody other than NRC staff or license applicants ever thought they got a fair hearing," he said, complaining of what he described as the agency's "barely disguised contempt for intervenors."

Joseph J. Fouchard, the NRC's director of public affairs, said the agency is reviewing the decision. "We don't permit signs or banners in NRC meetings, but we do not single out individuals," he said.

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### WE THE PEOPLE, INC. OF THE U.S. v. NRC

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WE THE PEOPLE, INC., OF THE UNITED STATES, et al., Plaintiffs,
v.
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION, et al., Defendants.

United States District Court, District of Columbia.
September 19, 1990.

Ernest C. Hadley, Wareham, Mass., for plaintiffs. Bradley Kelly, Asst. U.S. Atly., Washington, D.C., for defendants.

### MEMORANDUM OPINION

JOHN H. PRATT, District Judge.

I. INTRODUCTION

In this action, plaintiffs, We the People, Inc., of the United States ("We the People") and Stephen B. Comley, allege that defendants, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission ("NRC") and its chairman, have violated their first amendment right to free expression by banning their display of political posters and bumper stickers at public NRC meetings. Before the Court are the parties' cross-motions for summary judgment.

### II. BACKGROUND

We the People, a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of Massachusetts, monitors and investigates the operation of domestic nuclear power plants and the activities of the NRC. It provides the public with information concerning "the construction and operation of nuclear power plants," and apprises the NRC and other federal and state agencies of "possible safety violations in the nuclear power industry." Articles of Organization, Ex. 1, Pls. Mot. Comley, We the People's executive

The essential facts are not in dispute. On September 8, 1988, the NRC held a public meeting at its Rockville, Maryland, offices. At this meeting, the NRC considered and voted on a proposed change to its emergency planning regulations. Comiey attended the meeting, and sat in full view of the NRC's five Commissioners. At the direction of Victor Stello, former executive director for NRC operations, two security guards kept Comiey under surveillance.<sup>1</sup>

Once the meeting began, Comley displayed a poster bearing the words "Stop Chernobyl Here" and urging observers to join We the People "in order to form a more perfect Union." The poster measured 18 inches wide and 25 inches long. In displaying it, Comley did not speak.

One of the security guards promptly banned the display. In so doing, he informed Comley that display of posters at public meetings violated a 1940s regulation. Comley was permitted to return to the meeting without displaying the poster. After resuming his seat, he displayed a large reproduction of the Constitution. The reproduction measured 13.5 inches wide and 15.5 inches long. NRC officials allowed Comley to display this reproduction for the rest of the meeting.

On October 14, 1988, Comley attended another public meeting at the NRC's Rockville offices. The subject of the meeting was the proposed restart of Pilgrim Station at Plymouth, Massachusetts. Once the meeting convened, Comley displayed the "Stop Chernobyl Here" poster, as well as "Stop Chernobyl Here" bumper stickers. In displaying these items, Comley did not speak. Security guards promptly ejected Comley from the meeting and did not permit him to return.

Comley, through counsel, protested this ejection in a letter dated November 7, 1988 to the NRC's chairman. Comley requested that the NRC identify the legal authority on which it relied to eject individuals displaying posters from its public meetings. In a letter dated November 28, 1988, NRC General Counsel William Parler, on behalf of the chairman, responded: "[i]t is the Commission's responsibility to conduct its meetings in an orderly fashion. The displaying of signs and posters in the meeting room is disruptive not only to the Commissioners but to the other meeting participants." Letter from William C. Parler to Ernest C. Hadley (Nov. 28, 1988) at 1 [hereinafter Parler Letter], Ex. 5, Pls. Mot.

Parler explained that the General Services Administration ("GSA") had promulgated regulations governing the use of public buildings and grounds. The following regulation, he alleged, prohibited Comley from "holding up signs:"

Any loitering, disorderly conduct, or other conduct on property which creates loud or unusual noise or a nulsance; which unreasonably obstructs the usual use of entrances, foyers, lobbies, corridors, offices, elevators, stairways, or parking lots; which otherwise impedes or disrupts the performance of official duties by Government employees; or which prevents the general public from obtaining the administrative services provided on the property in a timely manner, is prohibited.

41 C.F.R. § 101-20.305 (1989); see Parler Letter at 1, Ex. 5, Pls. Mot. 3

Several weeks after receiving this letter, on or about December 21, 1988, Comley attended a third public NRC meeting in Rockville. The meeting concerned evacuation planning for Pilgrim Station. This time, security guards required Comley to relinquish his "Stop Chernobyl Here" posters and bumper stickers before allowing him to enter the meeting room. After the meeting began, Comley, having taken a seat at the front of the room, removed his sport jacket, shirt, and tie. Underneath he wore a to remain in the meeting room while wearing this tee-shirt.

On or about March 29, 1989, Comley attended a public meeting of the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board ("ASLB"), a division of the NRC, in Boston, Massachusetts, The meeting concerned emergency evacuation planning for Seabrook Station in Seebrook, New Hampshire, Comley carried a small bag with him when he entered the meeting room. During a recess, a security officer named McGee approached him. McGee stated that he knew who Comley was and that he was acting on the direction of ASLB Judge Ivan Smith. McGee told Comley that he could not re-enter the meeting room with the small bag. Cornley objected to the prohibition, since other members of the public had been allowed to enter the meeting room with briefcases, purses, and other such items. He also invited McGee to inspect the contents of the bag, and Comley ultimately re-entered the meeting room without his bag.

The NRC's "A Guide to Open Meetings" ("Guide") states that, pursuant to the Government in the Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552b(b) (1988), Commission meetings are generally open to the public. See NRC Guide, Ex. 7, Pls. Mot. The Guide also sets out the following standard "for behavior in the Commission meeting room":

Commission meetings are open for the public to observe. Members of the public are not allowed to participate in Commission deliberations unless specifically requested to participate by the Commission.... [D]isorderly conduct or other conduct, including the display of signs and posters, which creates loud or unusual noise or a nuisance, impedes or disrupts the performance of official duties by the Commission or its staff or interferes with the orderly conduct of the scheduled presentations may result in expulsion from the meeting room.

Id. (citing 41 C.F.R. § 101-20.305). On several occasions, Comley, in his capacity as executive director of We the People, has requested permission to participate in NRC meetings. The NRC has denied all of his requests.

### III. THE CROSS-MOTIONS FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT

This is a close case, the facts of which are not in dispute. Plaintiffs contend that the NRC's ban on the peaceful display of posters bearing political messages constitutes an unlawful restraint on freedom of speech. Plaintiffs do not mount a facial attack on 41 C.F.R. § 101-20.305, the GSA regulation on which defendants rely. Instead, they argue that the regulation is unconstitutional as applied by defendants. Defendants have cross-moved for a ruling that their conduct comports with the first amendment.

### A. STANDARDS APPLICABLE TO SUMMARY JUDGMENT

We begin our discussion with a review of the standards governing entry of summary judgment. Rule 56(c), Fed.R.Civ.P., "mandates the entry of summary judgment, after adequate time for discovery ..., against a party who fails to make a showing sufficient to establish the existence of an element essential to [his] case, and on which [he] will bear the burden of proof at trial." Celotex Corp. v. Catrett, 477 U.S. 317, 322, 106 S.Ct. 2548, 2552, 91 L.Ed.2d 265 (1986). To survive a motion for summary judgment, the opposing party must demonstrate that a "genuine issue" exists as to each such element. See Anderson v. Liberty Lobby, Inc., 477 U.S. 242, 247-48, 106 S.Ct. 2505, 2509-10, 91 L.Ed.2d 202 (1986).

An issue is not "genuine" unless a rational trier of fact, taking the record as a whole, could resolve it in favor of either side. See id, at 250, 106 S.Ct. at 2511; Matsushita Electric Industrial Co. v. Zenith Radio Corp., 475 U.S. 574, 587, 106 S.Ct. 1348, 1356, 89 L.Ed.2d 538 (1986) (citation omitted). If evidence favoring the opposing party "is merely colorable, or is not significantly probative, summary judgment may be granted." Liberty Lobby, 477 U.S. at 249-50, 106 S.Ct. at 2511 (citations omitted). An opposing party may not rely on "mere allegations or denials ..., but ... must set forth specific facts showing that there is a genuine issue for trial." Fed.R.Civ.P. 56(e); see Liberty Lobby, 477 U.S. at 248, 106 S.Ct. at 2510 (citation omitted).

### B. FIRST AMENDMENT ANALYSIS

Turning now to the underlying controversy, we first must decide whether Comley's display of "Stop Chemobyl Here" posters and bumper stickers at public NRC meetings is speech normally protected by the first amendment. Comelius v. NAACP Legal Defense & Educational Fund, 473 U.S. 788, 797, 105 S.Ct. 3439, 3446, 87 L.Ed.2d 557 (1985). Plaintiffs bear the burden of proof on this issue, Clark v. Community for Creative Non-Violence, 468 U.S. 288, 293 n. 5, 104 S.Ct. 3065, 3069 n. 5, 82 L.Ed.2d 221 (1984), and they clearly have met it. "[S]igns or displays critical of" government action fall squarely within the realm of "classically political speech." See Boos v. Barry, 485 U.S. 312, 318, 319, 108 S.Ct. 1157, 1162, 1162-63, 99 L.Ed.2d 333 (1988). In displaying, or attempting to display, "Stop Chernobyl Here" posters at open NRC meetings concerning emergency planning regulations (September 8, 1988), the restart of Pilgrim Station nuclear power plant (October 14, 1988), and evacuation planning for Pilgrim Station (December 21, 1988), Comley obviously was communicating, or attempting to communicate, a message on an Issue of public concern." Defendants, in fact, concede

that Comiey's activity constitutes protected speech, See Local Rule 108(h),

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Having decided this threshold issue does not answer the problem. We next "must identify the nature of the forum, because the extent to which the Government may limit access depends on whether the forum is public or nonpublic." Comelius, 473 U.S. at 797, 105 S.Ct. at 3446. The government may exclude speakers from a public forum only when the exclusion is both "necessary to serve a compelling state interest" and "narrowly drawn to achieve that interest." Id. at 800, 105 S.Ct. at 3448 (citing Perry Education Association v. Perry Local Educators' Association, 460 U.S. 37, 45, 103 S.Ct. 948, 954-55, 74 L.Ed.2d 794 (1983)). The government may restrict access to a nonpublic forum, however, provided "the restrictions are "reasonable and [are] not an effort to suppress expression merely because public officials oppose the speaker's view." Id. 473 U.S. at 800, 105 S.Ct. at 3448 (quoting Perry, 460 U.S. at 46, 103 S.Ct. at 955-56).

We have no difficulty in concluding that Comley sought access to a nonpublic forum. Obviously, the NRC meeting room is not a "traditional public forum," a place "by long tradition or by government flat ... devoted to [public] assembly and debate." Comelius, 473 U.S. at 802, 105 S.Ct. at 3449 (quoting Perry, 460 U.S. at 45, 103 S.Ct. at 954). Although plaintiffs concede as much, they argue that the meeting room is a "public forum created by government designation." Id. This argument cannot withstand scrutiny.

"The government does not create a public forum by inaction or by permitting limited discourse, but only by intentionally opening a nontraditional forum for public discourse." Id. (citing Perry, 460 U.S. at 46, 103 S.Ct. at 955-56). Congress, when it passed the Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552b, manifested no such intention. To the contrary, it required only that federal agency meetings "be open to public observation." 5 U.S.C. § 552b(b) (emphasis added). The Act was designed to make available to the public, to the fullest extent practicable, "information regarding the decisionmaking processes of the Federal Government." H.R.Rep. No. 880, 94th Cong., 2d Sess., pt. 1, at 7 (1976), reprinted in 1976 U.S.Code Cong. & Admin.News (94 Stat.) 2183, 2188. Simply put, public discourse was not a goal. The NRC has construed the Act accordingly, and has not opened its meeting room to public debate. See 10 C.F.R. § 9.103 (1989) (Although meetings shall be open "for public observation," "[n]o additional right to participate ... is granted...."); see also NRC Guide, Ex. 7, Pls. Mot.

In the face of this evidence, we will not infer that either Congress or the NRC has designated the NRC meeting room as a public forum. See Cornelius, 473 U.S. at 803, 105 S.Ct. at 3449-50 (citations omitted). An examination of the nature of the NRC meeting room fortifies this conclusion. The meeting room "exists to accomplish the business of the" NRC. Id. at 805, 105 S.Ct. at 3451 (citation omitted); see NRC Guide, Ex. 7, Pls. Mot. It follows that the NRC may "exercise control over access to" its meeting room "in order to avoid interruptions to the performance of [its] duties...." Cornelius, 473 U.S. at 806, 105 S.Ct. at 3451 (citation omitted). Accordingly, we hold that the NRC meeting room is a nonpublic forum.

Having reached this conclusion, we now turn to the third and final inquiry in our analysis: Are the NRC's restrictions on plaintiffs' expressive activity both reasonable and viewpoint-neutral? See id. at 800, 105 S.Ct. at 3447-48 (citing Perry, 460 U.S. at 46, 103 S.Ct. at 955-56). On these issues, defendants bear the burden or proof. See, e.g., Philadelphia Newspepers, Inc. v. Hepps, 475 U.S. 767, 777, 106 S.Ct. 1558, 1564, 89 L.Ed.2d 783 (citations omitted), appeal dismissed, cert. denied, 475 U.S. 1134, 106 S.Ct. 1784, 90 L.Ed.2d 330 (1986).

"The reasonableness of the [NRC's] restriction ... must be assessed in the light of the purpose of the forum and all the surrounding circumstances." Comellus, 473 U.S. at 809, 105 S.Ct. at 3453. In their briefs, defendants contend that they prohibited Comley from displaying the "Stop Chernobyl Here" poster because the poster was "visually disruptive." Dfs.

Mem. at 10-11. In light of the purpose of public NRC meetings, we find this posited justification, if true, to be reasonable. The meetings are designed to allow the public to observe the decision-making processes of the NRC. If the display of a poster either impedes the public's observation, or disrupts the decision-making process of the Commission, the NRC may exclude that activity, with this important condition; the exclusion must be viewpoint-neutral. Comelius, 473 U.S. at 811, 105 S.Ct. at 3453-54; see 41 C.F.R. § 101-20.305 (prohibiting conduct that "impedes or disrupts the performance of official duties ... or prevents the general public from obtaining the administrative services provided on the property in a timely manner"); NRC Guide, Ex. 7, Pls. Mot. (prohibiting "conduct, including the display of signs and posters, which ... impedes or disrupts the performance of official duties by the Commission or its staff or interferes with the orderly conduct of the scheduled presentations").

However, a reasonable justification for excluding a particular type of activity "cannot save an exclusion that is in fact based on the desire to suppress a particular point of view." Cornelius, 473 U.S. at 812, 105 S.Ct. at 3454 (citation omitted). We underscore that defendants bear the burden of proving that their ban on plaintiffs' display was viewpoint-neutral. See, e.g., Philadelphia Newspapers, Inc. v. Hepps, 475 U.S. at 777, 105 S.Ct. at 1564 (citations omitted). Upon examination of the entire record, we hold that defendants have failed to demonstrate that a genuine Issue exists as to this fact. We find that defendants' acts in banning plaintiffs' display were not viewpoint-neutral. See Celotex Corp. v. Catrett, 477 U.S. at 322, 106 S.Ct. at 2552; Liberty Lobby, 477 U.S. at 250, 106 S.Ct. at 2551; Malsushite Electric, 475 U.S. at 587, 106 S.Ct. at 1356 (citation omitted). Accordingly, plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment must be granted, and defendants' cross-motion must be denied.

It is undisputed that at the September 8, 1988, meeting, NRC security guards prevented Comley from displaying an 18 by 25 inch "Stop Chemobyl Here" poster, yet allowed him to display a 13.5 by 15.5 inch reproduction of the Constitution. This difference in size forms the crux of defendants' argument. It is evidence, defendants maintain, that the "Stop Chemobyl Here" poster was banned not because of its message, but because of its size.

The discrepancy in size between the two posters is virtually the only evidence on which defendants rely. Although somewhat helpful to defendants, it is a thin reed on which to rely and is insufficient, in light of the record as a whole, to allow a trier of fact to return a verdict in their favor. Liberty Lobby, 477 U.S. at 249, 106 S.Ct. at 2510 (citation omitted); Matsushita Electric, 475 U.S. at 587, 106 S.Ct. at 1356 (citation omitted). As an initial matter, we note the complete absence of any additional evidence demonstrating that the "Stop Chemobyl Here" poster did, or would have, "visually disrupt[ed]" NRC meetings. No Commissioner, member of the NRC staff, or attendee has testified that the poster obstructed his view or distracted him from the business of the September 8, 1988, meeting. Nor has any witness testified that the reproduction of the Constitution was not "visually disruptive." Defendants may not avoid summary judgment simply by relying on "mere allegations or denials," instead, they "must set forth specific facts showing that there is a genuine issue for trial." Fed.R.Civ.P. 56(e) (emphasis added); see Liberty Lobby, 477 U.S. at 248, 106 S.Ct. at 2510 (citation omitted).

Moreover, too much evidence weighs against defendants for a rational trier of fact to return a verdict in their favor, Prìor

to filing their cross-motion, defendants never proclaimed a policy of banning posters based on size. To the contrary, when the security guard forbade Comley from displaying the "Stop Chemobyl Here" poster at the September 8, 1988, meeting, he told him, simply, "that display of posters at public meetings violated a [federal] regulation. ..." It. Stip. of Facts ¶ 15. Furthermore, NRC General Counsel Parler, in explaining the NRC's purported basis for ejecting Comley from the October 14, 1988, meeting, issued the following blanket statement: "The display of signs and posters ... is disruptive not only to the Commissioners but to the other meeting participants." Parler Letter at 1, Ex. 5, Pls. Mot.

In addition, it is undisputed that at the December 21, 1988, meeting, NRC security guards prohibited Comley from entering the meeting room with either "Stop Chernobyl Here" posters or bumper stickers. A bumper sticker is significantly smaller than the reproduction of the Constitution that Comley had been permitted to display at the September 8, 1988, meeting. If display of this reproduction was not "visually disruptive," then a forlior display of a bumper sticker would not be either. Defendants have offered no explanation for the December 21 incident. We emphasize once again that it is their burden to demonstrate viewpoint-neutrality. See, e.g., Philadelphia Newspapers, Inc. v. Hepps, 475 U.S. at 777, 106 S.Ct. at 1564 (citations omitted). Their silence on this point hardly fits the bill.

Finally, it appears that NRC officials treated Comley differently from other meeting attendees, and that this difference in treatment was based on Comley's views, which no doubt were irritating and annoying. At the March 29, 1989, ASLB meeting, security officer McGee, acting on the direction of ASLB Judge Ivan Smith, prevented Comley from taking a small bag with him into the meeting room. Both McGee and Smith were aware of who Comley was. It is undisputed that Comley was singled out; other attendees were permitted to carry briefcases, purses, and similar items into the meeting room. Despite the obvious implications of this incident, defendants once again have made no effort to explain it. The incident is further evidence that defendants prevented Comley from engaging in protected speech because they did not like his message.

In summary, the record as a whole supports only one conclusion — that defendants' conduct with respect to Comley was viewpoint-based, and thus unconstitutional under the first amendment. No rational trier of fact could find that defendants have proved otherwise. See Shields v. Eli Lilly & Co., 895 F.2d 1463, 1465 (D.C.Cir.1990). Defendants' argument based on the claim that plaintiffs' signs because of size were unusually disruptive is pure make weight. Accordingly, "there is no "genuine issue for trial," and plaintiffs are entitled to summary judgment. Malsushita Electric, 475 U.S. at 587, 106 S.Ct. at 1356 (citation omitted); see Celotex Corp. v. Calrett, 477 U.S. at 322, 106 S.Ct. at 2552; Liberty Lobby, 477 U.S. at 250, 106 S.Ct. at 2511.

IV. CONCLUSION

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Based on the foregoing, we hold that: plaintiffs' display of "Stop Chernobyl Here" posters and bumper stickers is protected speech under the first amendment; the NRC public meeting room in Rockville, Maryland, is a nonpublic forum; a prohibition on the display of visually disruptive posters or signs at public NRC meetings is a reasonable restriction on protected speech; and defendants, "after adequate time for discovery," have failed "to make a showing sufficient to establish" that their particular ban on the display of plaintiffs "Stop Chernobyl Here" posters and bumper stickers was "viewpoint-neutral." Celotex Corp. v. Catrett, 477 U.S. at 322, 106 S.Ct. at 2552; Comelius, 473 U.S. at 811, 105 S.Ct. at 3453-54. Since defendants bear the burden of proof on this issue, see, e.g., Philadelphia Newspapers, plaintiffs. Celotex Corp. v. Catrett, 477 U.S. at 322, 106 S.Ct. at 2552.

An Order consistent with the foregoing has been entered this day.

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### ORDER

Upon consideration of the parties' cross-motions for summary judgment, the oppositions thereto, and the entire record herein, and for the reasons stated in an accompanying Memorandum Opinion entered this day, it is by the Court this 18th day of September, 1990,

ORDERED that plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment is granted; it is

ORDERED that defendants' cross-motion for summary judgment is denied; and it is

FURTHER ORDERED that this case is dismissed with prejudice.

### **FOOTNOTES**

- 1. Combey had previously ealled for Stello's resignation. In addition, following an encounter with Stello at a February 1987 NRC meeting, Comley had lodged a written complaint against him with the NRC's chairman. At the September 8, 1988, meeting, Stello brought Comley's presence to the attention of the NRC's director of security, who in turn directed the guards to keep Comley under surveillance.
- 2. The poster provided the addresses and telephone numbers of three We the People offices, and identified the corporation as a tax deductible, non-profit organization.
- 3. Parier also relied on 41 C.F.R. § 101-20.304, which requires "[plersons in and on [federal] property" to "comply with official signs of a prohibitory, regulatory, or directory nature and with the lawful direction of Federal Protective Officers and other authorized individuals." Parier noted that the disorderly conduct regulation set out in the text above was posted at the entrance to the NRC's Rockville headquarters, and that Comiey had been informed by security officers on several occasions that he could not display signs or distribute literature during public NRC meetings. See Parier Letter at 1-2, Ex. 5, Pls. Mot.
- 4. The Court takes judicial notice of the recent nuclear reactor disaster at the U.S.S.R.'s Chemobyl plant.
- 5. They also point to the fact that Comley was permitted to wear a "Stop Chemobyl Here" tee-shirt throughout the December 21, 1988, meeting. This evidence is "[in] significantly probative" of whether the NRC applies its ban on the display of posters in a viewpoint-neutral manner. Liberty Lobby, 477 U.S. at 249-50, 106 S.Ct. at 2510-11; see infra; see also NRC Guide, Ex. 7, Pis. Mot. (devoid of any restrictions on mode of dress). The Supreme Court has held as a matter of law that the wearing of symbolic clothing is "nondisruptive speech." Board of Airport Comm'rs v. Jews for Jesus, Inc., 482 U.S. 569, 575, 576, 107 S.Ct. 2568, 2572, 2572-73, 96 L.Ed.2d 500 (1987). Thus, it cannot be banned, even in a nonpublic forum. Id.

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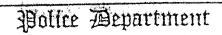
The Rowley Police Department has no record of ever issuing a permit to carry to Stephen B. Comley Sr., DOB 05/01/1944.

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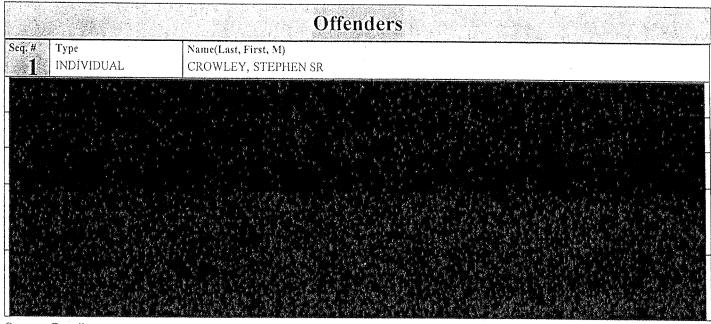
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### **Assisting Officers**

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### Notes/Narrative

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Criminal Trespass NH RSA 635:2

MO: Employees from Clear Channel Radio (Rock 101) called the police to report that they received a telephone call from a male subject wanting to get radio time on the station. Male subject arrived at the radio station parking lot and was verbally trespassed from 70 Foundry Street to include the Clear Channel property per the General Manager.

On 5/26/2016 at approximately 09:07hrs I (Ofc.B.Bernard) was dispatched to 70 Foundry Street (Clear Channel Radio) to speak with radio station employees in reference to a telephone call they received earlier this morning by a known male subject. On my arrival I began speaking with a male subject who identified himself to me as:

Reporting Party/Employee David Losh



Losh advised me that while he was working out back earlier this morning at 07:40hrs he received a telephone call from a male subject (Stephen Comley) who they had problems with about 8 months ago. Losh advised stated that he couldn't really talk with (Stephen) at the time as he was trying to be nice to him over the phone as he wouldn't stop talking to him on the phone. Losh advised me that he overheard (Stephen) make the comment over the phone "I'm going to make sure I get on the radio" as Losh then hung up the phone on him. Losh advised me that approximately 7 to 8 months ago (Stephen) had showed up at the radio station and began speaking with (Jack Heath) at the front door advising him that he is running for president and would like to get some radio time. Losh advised me that at the time Heath told (Stephen) to leave as he lifted his suit coat (Heath) observed a gun on his hip (never put his hand on it or mentioned it) to Heath as (Stephen) left the building and property without incident. Losh advised me that a police report was never done on the incident nor was the police even called about it after it occurred as nobody thought it was an issue. At this time I began going over several different options he could pursue to have (Stephen) stop calling and disrupting the radio station. Losh advised me that he would like for me to speak with (Jack Heath) once his radio show is over in a couple minutes. Losh identified the accused male subject to me as:

Offender Stephen Comley Sr.



At this time while I was speaking with Losh I was advised that Comley had just pulled into the parking and was walking up the front steps of the radio station. At this time I advised police dispatch to send me another patrol unit to my location, A short time later Ofc.Dunleavy and Sgt.Casio arrived at my location as we started speaking with Comley about why he was at the radio station. Comley began showing me several packets of paperwork as he also handed me several of his business cards advising me that he is running for President of the United States. Comley also began to advise me that there is "defective parts at the nuclear power plant". While speaking with Comley, Ofc.Dunleavy checked Comley's vehicle for any firearms in plain sight but he didn't have any on him. At this time both myself and Sgt.Casio walked back into the radio station and spoke with (Jack Heath) along with the General Manager (Joseph

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Graham) of Clear Channel Radio as they advised us that they would like Comley trespassed from all Clear Channel properties to include their (Portsmouth, NH) location. At this time I walked over and advised Comley that he is no longer wanted on the (clear channel) property to include the parking lot of 70 Foundry Street. I advised Comley that his name and information will be in our computer system so if he returns here he can be arrested for Criminal Trespass. Comley advised me that he understood what I was saying and that he would not return back. Comley left the area in his vehicle a light blue Lincoln Towncar (MASS REG 3GZC60). At this time both Portsmouth PD and Newcastle PD were notified about the incident earlier this morning as I asked them to show special attention to the Clear Channel address in thier town. NFI

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(100489) DUNLEAVY, JOHN

\*\*\*Evidence\*\*\*

On May 26, 2016 I was an on duty Manchester Police Officer assigned to patrol in sector 1-2 in a fully marked cruiser wearing the uniform of the day. I was on special attention at 70 Foundry Street for an apparent threat made against the radio by Stephen Comley who stated something to the affect that he was going to make sure he gets on the radio. There had been statements that Stephen had shown up to the station before with a gun.

I heard radio traffic from Officer Bernard who stated Stephen was at the station currently and requested another unit. I was at the north end of the parking lot and made contact with Stephen at the front door. I questioned if he had any business there and stated he was a private eye and was running for president. I identified this male to be the one in question. Officer Bernard exited the station and advised Stephen that the station did not want him there.

Stephen stated he had some information for us in his car and I advised him that I was going to check his vehicle quickly for weapons for my safety and he agreed to allow me. I did not locate any weapons in the vehicle. Stephen also stated he did not own or ever own guns.

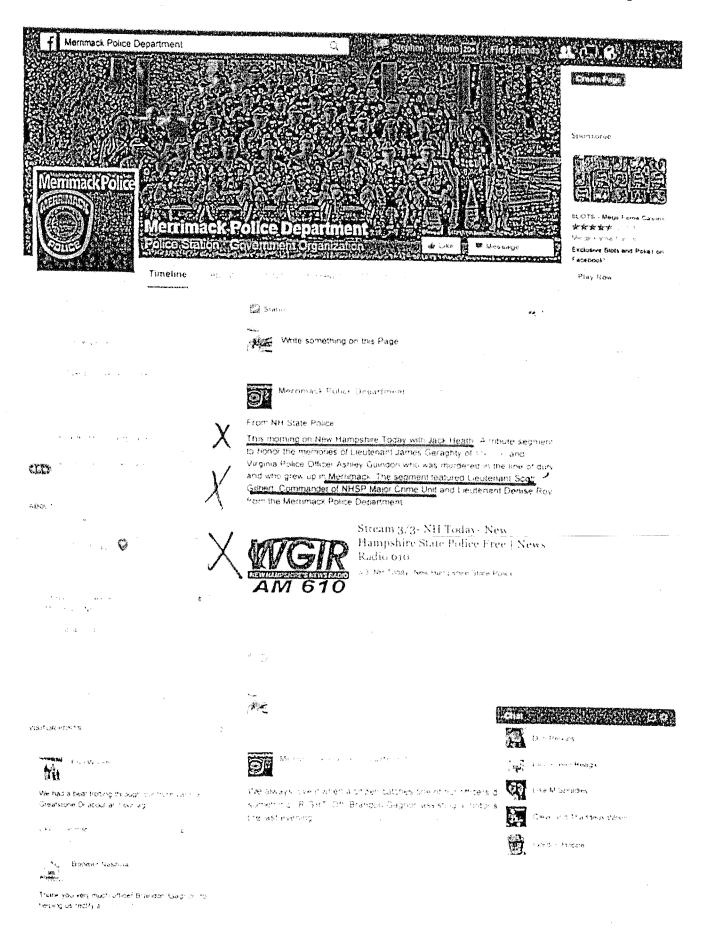
Stephen gave us packets of information he had written and copied in reference to government conspiracies and letters. I took the paperwork and entered them into evidence in case we have further contacts or an IEA is needed in the future. The paperwork was entered into evidence as:

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Stephen was advised he was to not enter Rock 101 or their location in Portsmouth, New Hampshire. Stephen stated he understood and did not want to come back.

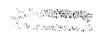
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Coming, the collapse of radio's iHeartMedia Industry giant is struggling under massive debt and losing gobs of money.

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By Court Stroud

This is one in a number of stories on radio in Media Life's ongoing series. The new face of radio in America," examining all the changes taking place in the medium. darrer stunes



iHeartMedia CEO Bob Pittman

At first glance, iHeartMedia looks like the model 21st century media conglomerate, truly a colossus with interests across media: owner of 858 radio stations; Clear Channel Outdoor, one of the world's largest outdoor companies; Premier Networks, the top U.S. radio network:

and iHeartRadio, among the nation's top digital music services.

The radio giant has a dynamic leader, Bob Pittman, the man who created MTV and widely regarded as one of the most charismatic men in media

And it has glam, lots of glam, Look no further than the iHeartRadio Music Festival and other live events that draw thousands upon thousands of celebrants and endless media excitement.

But for all that glam, iHeart is a deeply troubled company. In fact, iHeartMedia is teetering on collapse. It's not a question of whether it collapses but when, and it's likely to come sooner rather than later. It could be within months

What's going to sink iHeart is its huge debt, some \$21 billion. That's more than the entire radio industry generates in ad dollars in a given year, and it's a debt iHeart appears to have zero prospects of paying off.

As of June 3, 2015, its stock was valued at \$7.50; yesterday it closed at \$1.01.

iHeart's creditors are taking the company to court, irate over how it's managed, and at some point they're sure to succeed in forcing a change in management and perhaps pushing the company into bankruptcy. iHeart could well be broken up and sold off in pieces.

iHeart's woes go back to 2008 and a leveraged buyout valued at \$27 billion, one of the largest LBOs in history. The deal was put together by private equity titans (2) and a and  $rac{1}{28} r = 2018$  , once headed by former Republican presidential candidate 1.008

The LBO has proved a disaster, on a scale with the Time Warner-AOL merger of 2000.

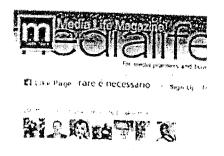
Consider these numbers. In 2007, the company, then called Clear Channel, reported a net income of \$939 million. In the years since the LBO, the company has reported losses of between \$220 million and \$4 billion per year. For 2015, it reported a loss of \$738 million

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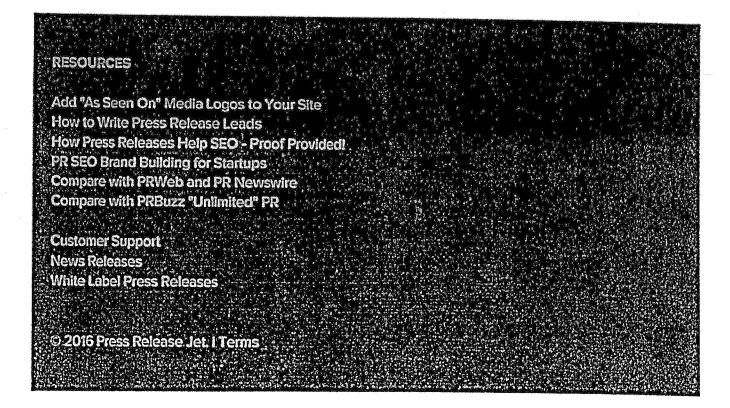
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### What went wrong?

The deal was done at the height of the market, and if the price was hefty, the belief was that iHeartRadio sales would soar, more than covering the cost of the debt. The company invested heavily in building out the network.

It was a bad gamble.

iHeartRadio has not seen anywhere near the hoped-for growth. As it turned out, for all the promise of digital media, it simply doesn't generate the volume of dollars of traditional media, be it radio or TV or print. Advertisers spend less, and sellers make less.

Saddled with that huge debt, the company has tightened purse strings on core properties.

Yet it spends lavishly elsewhere, as if the strategy had worked and the company is in the pink of financial health.

Operating from sexy new offices in midtown Manhattan, the company hands out big salaries to lure talent and entertains lavishly, renting out private clubs for posh parties, and flying in ad buyers for big events like NYC's Jingle Ball and the iHeartRadio Festival in Las Vegas, very much in the Pittman style.

In the meantime, the company has gone to great lengths to make its revenues look stronger than they were, according to one former top executive. One practice was to do quick-cash trade deals, swapping ad inventory for goods and services the company was then able to book as revenue within that quarter. The practice is perfectly legal but frowned upon as a sleight of hand that cheapens the value of inventory.

"They'll do anything to show revenue growth because they believe that solves the debt problem," says this former executive.

iHeart's ills could not come at a worse time for radio.

Cumulus, the No. 2 radio company, is struggling to work through its own debt problems and could itself slide into bankruptcy. And CBS Radio was just put on the block in what's seen as a major vote of no confidence in radio's future by CBS Chairman Les Moonves.

One could well imagine a scenario in which all three companies are broken up and their stations all put on the market at one time, in what would prove a major disruption for the industry.

### What happens next?

iHeart recently hired Moores & Co as a financial adviser with the apparent hope of redoing its debt and continuing as it has. But that would require approval of the current debt holders, which is unlikely.

Another possible scenario? The company remains intact but management is forced out and a new team is brought in to restructure to company.

A third scenario—and the most likely—is that the company is forced into bankruptcy and broken up.

A breakup makes sense because of the sheer value of

the many divisions under the iHeart umbrella. Troubled as it may be, iHeart enjoys a wealth of assets. Just what their actual value might be in a sell-off would depend on a lot of factors.

Here's a look at some of them:

•Premiere Networks: The top-ranked radio network in the country syndicates programs to over 5,000 affiliates, reaching over 190 million listeners each week. The talent contracts alone hold huge value.

•Total Traffic & Weather (TTWN): The leader in traffic transit and weather info, reaching more than 200 million monthly listeners in over 200 markets in the U.S., Canada and Mexico, TTWN kicks out cash

-Katz Media Group: With 15 regional offices, KMG is the top media rep firm, representing more than 4,000 radio and 500 TV stations. While Katz is closely tied to iHeartMedia, it could certainly fare well on its own in the event of a breakup.

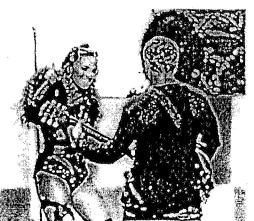
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-Clear Channel Outdoor: A huge money-making machine for iHeart, this division operations in 30 countries on four continents and ranks among the top three out-of-home companies in the U.S.



"HeartRadio: iHeartRadio transmits over 850 station websites and has a social footprint touching nearly 80 million people. While it hasn't produced the revenues the company had hoped, it's a major property with lots of value.



-iHeartMedia: With 858 stations, it enjoys a wealth of assets and talent, but how much it would fetch whole or broken up is a big question mark, with CBS Radio already on the block and the possibility of Cumulus being broken up.

But no matter what any of these assets might fetch, the breakup of iHeartMedia would be a good thing—good for radio, good for the employees and good for all the divisions.

The various business units would stand a strong chance of ending up in the hands of capable operators with the know-how and resources to maximize their true value.

Advertisers and media buyers would certainly benefit.

Perhaps the bigger question is this: Who will lose?

The answer is lots of people—from investors who put up their savings to employees whose lives were disrupted in the turmoil. But the full tally of losses may not be known for years. That's the way these things play out.

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- 1. "Seabrook is in the wrong location."
- 2. "If the people let Seabrook open, it is their own fault."

But the NRC has not been playing a fair game."

- I said "What do yu mean?"
- Whenever safety allegations come into the NRC, which may pose a threat to the further operation or licensing of a nuclear plant, those allegations are pencilled away."
- 4. "Members of the NRC are mostly engineers so they do not rock the boat because the only place to go after working for the NRC is to work in the industry."
- over the years I have looked at how rotten our agency is in my view. How pro-industry it is. Hey look, if they play it straight and you get stuck with your plant, so be it. Does that make sense? You may not like it but that is the American way, the majority rules. But when I see a system that is designed to thwart the majority or keep the majority ignorant and then one day it happens and you wonder how it happened. That is not fair. That is what turned me off. It is a shame to make you think you are getting a voice..."
- 6. When a member of the NRC staff was demoted he went to the present chairman and asked "Why?". He was told "What do you expect when you talk about your boss."
- 7. "The NRC protects the industry more than they protect the people."
- 8. "We will have a nuclear disaster in the U.S. worse than Chernobyl. It can happen any day because of the way our plants have been constructed and the way they are run." Confirmed by NRC Bulletin 88-05.

(NRC Bulletin 88-05 confirmed existance of counterfeit substandard parts in U.S. nuclear plants across the country.)

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January 25, 2016

Mr. Comley:

You were standing in my office while Senator Sanders was answering questions from reporters after he filed his declaration of candidacy and paid the filing fee. During some of that time I was standing next to you. Someone representing the Sanders campaign was concerned about your location right near the senator. I asked if you would speak with me when Sanders finished answering the questions. As we left the room there were two police officers waiting to speak with you. I politely said I could handle the situation and we stepped out into the hallway.

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From: William.Gardner@SOS.NH.GOV

To: s.comley.sr@outlook.com

Subject: RE: ACLU letter Re: incident at State House.

Date: Thu, 7 Jan 2016 19:46:12 +0000

Got it!

From: Stephen Comley [mailto;s.comley.sr@outlook.com]

Sent: Thursday, January 07, 2016 2:22 PM

To: William Gardner

Subject: RE: ACLU letter Re: incident at State House.

PLEASE CONFIRM YOU WERE ABEL TO OPEN ATTAC HMENT COMPLETELY

Thank you

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Subject: ACLU letter Re: incident at State House.

Date: Thu, 7 Jan 2016 11:53:25 -0500

January 7, 2016

Mr. William Gardner Secretary of State's Office State House, Room 204 Concord, NH 03301

Dear Sir,

I am requesting you to prepare a Statement about your recollection of what you recall November 5, 2015 during Mr. Bernie Sanders Press conference. During this event you stated to me a member or members of Mr. Sander's staff contacted State House Security and requested I be removed.

In parts of conversations you and I had then and since I recall you stating the following, "You asked Security why are you here. Security then Stated, We have been asked by Mr. Sanders staff to remove Mr. Comley. You stated to security" Mr. Comley has done nothing wrong and asked Security to leave. Then you were approached by someone from Mr. Sanders Staff who stated, . "We are going to hold you, Mr. Gardner responsible if this man does anything wrong."

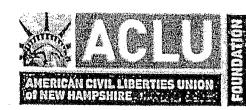
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Attached is recent letter from NH ACLU acknowledging the complaint I have filed with them.

I wish to thank you for your continued co-corporation in this important matter.

Stephen B. Comley Sr

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November 16, 2015

Mr. Stephen B. Comley Box 646 Rowley, MA 01969

Dear Mr. Comley,

Thank you very much for writing to the NH Civil Liberties Union. We will review your complaint carefully to determine if we can be of any assistance. I am enclosing with this letter an explanation of the criteria that the NH Civil Liberties uses in determining whether or not to accept a case, which is available on our website, <a href="https://www.nhclu.org">www.nhclu.org</a>. I hope that you will find that information helpful.

We will be in contact with you once we have had a chance to review your complaint. Please be aware that it may take several weeks for this to happen, but you will hear back from us.

Sincerely,

Sheila Pappas

Administrative Assistant

### FW: Sanders Staff violated Comley's rights

From: Stephen Comley (s.comley.sr@outlook.com)

Sent: Mon 11/09/15 9:24 AM

To: Garry Rayno (grayno@unionleader.com); Dan Tuohy (dtuohy@unionleader.com)

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I called Bernie Sanders Communications director 11/6/2015 at 9am insisting that Mr. Sanders apologizes for his staff inappropriate behavior. No one has gotten in-touch with me since. I just may have to get in-tough with the ACLU who have represented my in the past.

Summary of what occurred . . .

Bernie Sanders staff while I was standing in back of Mr. Sanders called State House security to have me removed from Sanders 11/5/15 Press conference. I am a Journalist & officially seeking the GOP Nomination for president of the U.S. and my name will be on the NH Ballot. Secretary of State, William M. Gardner who obviously is a man of integrity (603-271-3242 stepped in and said, "Why are you here?" Security said, "We have been asked to remove Mr. Comley." Mr. Gardner said, "Why, Mr. Comley has done nothing wrong he has every right to be here." Mr. Gardner then demanded that security leave the secretary's room. I later was told by Secretary Gardner that someone from Bernie Sanders Staff tried to intimidate Mr.. Gardner by stating "We are going to hold you Mr. Gardner responsible if this man does anything. wrong.

Why hasn't the media finding out how this all originated and why. Who on Mr. Sanders Staff called security and what was said for security to justify my removal? Part of Journalist's Creed: I believe that a journalist should write only what he holds in his heart to be true. I believe the suppression of the news, for any consideration other that the welfare of society, is indefensible."

So far the press in NH has done nothing about this. I have some of the biggest scandals that should be in front to the American people but the press will not do their job. This whole presidential race and the debates are fixed.

Before Sanders Press Conference I had spoken to his staff this included the following: Michael Briggs Communications director, 802-233-8653, Michael@berniesanders.com Shannon D. Jackson, National Advance Staff, 802-598-5328 Shannon@berniesanders.com James James on NH out of state Co-coordinator 503-851-5585 jamesjameson@berniesonders.com Paul Stovall paul@berniesanders.com 312-593-7366 this man seemed the most upset when Secretary of State, William Gardner refused to let security remove me. Mr. Paul Stovail was one of Mr. Sanders Staff

I met with outside. I gave him a packet of informaiton and mentioned I could give Mr. Sanders a boost in his campaigan if we could meet soon. M. Stovall seemed very interested and gave me his name, telephone # and e-mail. Due to the fact none of all the GOP condidates I had already contacted would address the unsafe conditions at Seabrook Station I saw nothing wrong with crossing parties to get someone to address these safety issues.

I still would like the opportunity to meet with Mr. Bernie Sanders about the unsafe conditions at the Seabrook Nuclear Plant and my experiences with cover-ups within the Nuclear Regulatory commission. These issues I previously had spoken about with members of Mr. Sanders staff before his press conference on November 5, 2015 in hopes od setting up a meeting.

This is not the first time someone has tried to discredit me and violated my constitutional rights as a American Citizens. See Attachments. Please look up my Web site <a href="www.stephencomleysr.com">www.stephencomleysr.com</a> will see both videos of Dr. Ben Carson at UNH 9/30/15 with me questioning him. Carson stated he would meet with me about my issue including unsafe conditions at Seabrook Nuclear Plant. He never got back to me Also on my web site is another video of Trump and I where trump said he would look into the unsafe conditions at Seabrook station and that was over 70 days ago. Press never followed up on any of these two videos

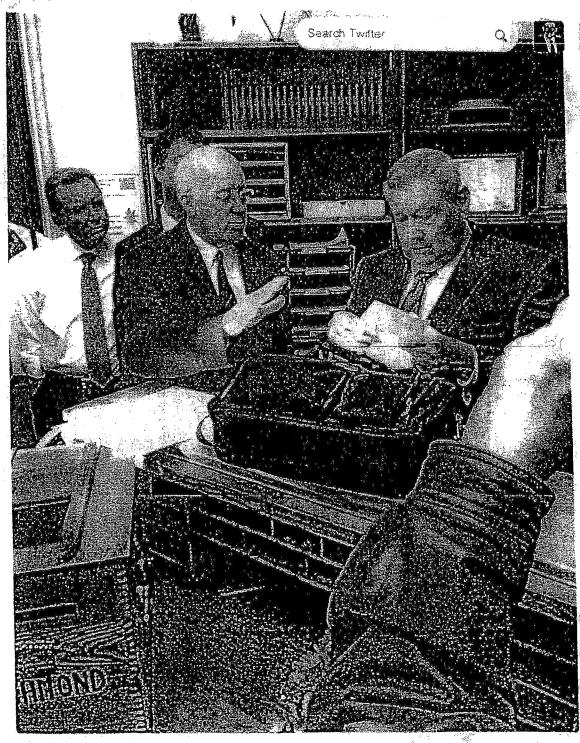
Heading back to the Concord State house to meet Hillary who I have met before.

Stephen B. Comley Sr. Founder of We The People a National Whistleblower Non-Profit Organzation





Stephen Comley "I want to do it right now," he says while fussing with Trump supporters. #fitn





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Wednesday, October 14, 2015

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Founder of:

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Democracy only works when people are involved

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Together we can bring about real

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Stephen Comley Sr. before our accidental

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October 22, 2015

David Williams
Inspector General
United States Postal Service
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Dear Mr. Williams.

I believe you will agree, after a long 6 year battle in MA Federal court, you and I had maintained a professional relationship. This included having the understanding and respect for the positions each one of us held. Yours as Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC IG) Inspector General and mine as protecting brave informants who come to We The People (WTP) about cover-ups within the NRC and or unsafe conditions at Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Plants.

We The People's and my legal battles with the NRC didn't just occur in MA Federal but also were heard in Washinton D. C.. Judge Platt for the District of Columbia found in a <u>summary judgment</u> that former NRC Executive Director, Victor Stello, NRC Chairman of the Commissioners, Lando Zech and a disgrace to our Justice system, NRC Administrative Law Judge, Ivan Smith were found guilty of violating my constitutional rights as a Ameridaan Citizen.

I am sure you recall the 5 NRC IG reports your office completed were some of the most revealing investigations of the NRC failure to protect the Safety of the Public. These NRC investigative reports included, "Falsification of welds crimes at Seabrook Station, NRC improper disclosure of allegers identities by the NRC's office of investigation to the Tennessee Valley Authority, NRC IG investigative report regarding review of NRC's process for regulating Counterfeit and Substandard Parts used in U.S. Nuclear Power Plants, NRC's IG report of NRC's compliance with notice of enforcement discretion policy and procedures and NRC IG's event inquiry of NRC failure to adequately regulate Millstone Unit 1."

NRC IG investigative audits stated, "Review was prompted by allegations from We The People."

Mr. Williams, you yourself stated to me in a <u>{Enclosure 1}</u> letter, "I have been requested by the White House to respond specifically to your concerns regarding the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission... My office maintains an ongoing relationship with you and other associates of your public interest group We The People, Inc. This ongoing relationship has been useful to my office and I hope that it meets your needs to have your concerns addressed, as well."

During this time you and I worked together to get the truth out about corruption within the NRC and the Nuclear industry. I grew to know you as a man of courage and integrity who could not be brought or would not be swayed to cover up the truth.

I am sorry to say I do not have the same association with Mr. Hubert Bell who took over your position at the NRC IG.

### Page 2 of Octobaer 22, 2015 letter to Mr. David Williams, Inspector General of the U.S. Postal Service.

There are many reasons for this, some of which I spelled out in my July 4, 2014 letter (Enclosure 2) together with the enclosures I referred to and sent to Mr. Glenn T. Dentel, NRC Chief of Division of Reactor Projects, Branch 3, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. Dentel sent my July 4, 2014 letter along with copies of the enclosures I cited in my letter to Mr. Bell. This included a chronology (see pages 2-9) of the cover-up of the Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear Parts. Scandal involving the highest officials in the United States Government including past and present Commander of Chiefs.

I believe it's very important for you to read the NRC's quote on the bottom of Page 5 of my July 4, 2014, "Regarding your request for a list of counterfeit and/or substandard parts replaced or not replaced at Seabrook Station, the NRC does not retain such a list. NextERA has a corrective action system to address the identification and correction of any such equipment. The NRC has unfettered access to this system for inspection and enforcement purposes, but does not develop lists of the type you describe."

<u>Please note</u> NextERA and or Florida Power and light did not own Seabrook Station when WTP first brought to light the presence of Counterfeit Substandard Parts built in most U.S. Nuclear Plants including Seabrook Station including all 4 of Florida Power and (FPL) Light Nuclear Plants in the State of Florida.

When I first confronted Public (PSNH) Service of NH (first owner of Seabrook Nuclear Plant) whether the plant was built with Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear Parts, they stated on television, "We have so such parts" It wasn't until the Government (GAO) Accounting Office Report surfaced entited, "Nuclear Safety and Health: Counterfeit and Substandard Prodicts are a Governmentwide Concern did PSNH have to finally admit to having bogus nuclear Parts in their plant. The GAO report specifclly listed Seabrook Station of having, "Nonconforming Fasteners. Pipe Fittings/Flanges and Fuses in Seabrook Station.".

I have been after the NRC for years to admit which they finally recently stated in their letter to me February 12, 2014 (Enclosure 3) which I again believe is the need to be quoted here in this letter to you and in my July 4, 2014 to Mr. Glenn T. Dental where he stated, "Regarding your request for a list of Counterfeit and/or Substandard parts replaced or not replaced at Seabrook Station, The NRC does not retain such a list." How do we know if and fact when or if PSNH ever replaced these non-confrorming Nuclear parts or not. For that matter what assurances do the American people have that any of these Bogus Nuclear Parts were ever replaced in the other 71 U.S. Nuclear Plants listed in the GAO investigation?

I also cited on Page 19 in my letter of July 4, 2014 there was and is still the need for the re-examination of the falsification of welds scandal at Seabrook Station.

Mr. Bell never contacted me and obviously has no intention of addressing or investigating any of these safety concerns and or wrongdoing by the NRC. In addition and unbelievable, NRC IG, Hubert Bell has not even attempted to get intouch with me ever

### Page 3 of October 22, 2015 letter to David Williams, Inspector General of the U.S. Postal Service.

since he was notified by the NRC lawyers (Enclosure 4) in King of Prussia January 23, 2015 to my confession of having the tape-recordings the Department of Justice attempted to acquire in behalf of the NRC from me during a 6 year protracted battle in MA Federal Court.

As you well know these tape-recordings are the same ones you wanted to seize upon your appointment by the Reagan/Bush Administration to become the first NRCIG.

During your tenure as NRC IG your Assistant NRC IG, Leo J. Norton, from documents I provided, elected to write a letter (Enclosure 5) to the Federal Bureau (FBI) Investigations which stated in part, "You alleged that in October 1987 you provided President Reagan with information regarding the use of counterfeit and substandard parts throughout the nuclear industry and that the former President subsequently of Investigation, Silver Spring, MD, on December 13, 1990,"

Unfortunately to my knowledge your NRC IG office request to the FBI was never honored and no investigation was ever performed.

I know for a fact I was never contacted by the FBI. I did ask one of your investigators why your office did not investigate my documentation of the charge against the Reagan/Bush administration and the answer I got was, "We are not used to investigating the President of the United States."

You should also be aware I requested on 2 different occasions that Mr. Bell renew the NRC IG office request to the FBI. To date I never have gotten a verbal or written confirmation from Mr. Bell or anyone else from his NRC IG office that this was done or followed through on. I believe Mr. Bell should resign.

Some have said the FBI and former White House Chief of Staff, Leon Panetta's letters to the Department (Endosure 6) of Justice are old. Well, so are the Counterfeit Substandard Parts still in most if not all of the U.S. Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Plants.

In the interest of protectcting the Safety of the American people, I believe it is indeed appropriate given your past position as NRC IG and involvement with these tape-recordings I am now confessing to you about to report this to the Department of Justice or whoever else you deem necessary to notify.

litave also confessed to having these tape-recordings to the following individuals and or committees:

Energy and Commerce Committee October 8 and 9, 2015. Talked with Julie and Jake who took notes of Our conversation. No reply to date from this committee.

Senate Judiciary Committee October 9, 8, 1 and July 29, 2015. Talked with staff members Jake and Pat. Reason I contacted Chairman Senator Chuck Grassley Committee is due to the fact President Obama's Adminstration's Inernal Revenue Servivice conducted an audit of We The People's 501 C-3 conservative approfit organization. It should be noted the audit was completed without a finding. No reply to date.

## Page 4 of October 22, 2014 letter to Mr. David Willims, Inspector General of the U.S. Postal Service.

I have aslo contacted all of the Presential Candidates who have poll numbers including the front runners. Dr. Ben Carson 9/30/2015 at UNH and Mr. Donald Trump (9/17/2015 In Rochester NH. Both of these confrontations can be viewed on You Tube or go to www.StephenComleySr.com Mr.Trump and Dr. Carson stated to me they would either get back to me about my issues or would meet with me. <u>Neither</u> one contacted me again.

Vice President Joe Biden in my letter (enclosure 7) to him of February 25, 2015 and signed for by the White House. No Reply.

Confessed to Senator John McCain October 27, 2014 (Enclosure 8) during a fundraiser for Scot Brown in Nashua NH. Sen. McCain's reply was, "I will have to report this Mr. Comley to the Department of Justice and will get back to you." No reply.

Confession of tapes in a certified letters of October 16 & 18, 2014 (enclosures 9) to Hillary and Bill Clinton. No reply.

Confession of tapes in certified letter to Leon Panetta (Enclosure 10) of July 14, 2014 No reply

Letters to First Lady, Michelle Obama (Enclosure 11) and my 3 letters written from 2008 - 2011to President Barack Obama. All of these letters to the First LadY and to the President were all signed for by White House. No replies.

Copies of other letters sent to Michelle Obama as well as others (Enclosures 12) involved in this matter. No Replies.

For every day this information was and continues to be ignored by these elected officials, committees and most of the media, they are jeopardizing the safety of the American people.

Mr. Williams, please notify me as soon as possible who you choose to notify of these serious Nuclear Safety concerns.

Sincerely,

Stephen B. Comley Sr.

Founder of We The People a National Whistleblower Non-Profit Organization

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Enclosures

Correspondence Director

### Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested

Office of William Jefferson Clinton & Hillary Rodham Clinton

October 18, 2014

55 West 125<sup>th</sup> Street New York, NY 10027

### Dear Correspondence Director:

The enclosed letter of October 16, 2014 with enclosures are extremely urgent and important so that Former President Clinton and former Secretary of State Hillary Clinton be made aware of. Being in the former high positions of Government, I believe they have a obligation to report I have notified them I have confessed to have the tape-recordings the Nuclear Regulatory (NRC) Commission through the Department of (DOJ) Justice has been trying to seize for over 20 years.

I had hope to contact President Clinton during his visit to Clark University at Atwood Hall with this information which was given to the Secret Service. Due to the importance of this information I am making sure President and Hillary Clinton will get this package.

October 6, 2014 I was recently again in contact with former Secretary of Defense, Leon Panetta at his Institute for Public Policy in Seaside California. In a letter (enclosed) delivered July 28, 2014, I also made him aware of my confession of having these tape-recordings.

In addition I also brought this to the attention of Attorney General, Martha Coakley and Governor Patrick (Enclosed recent e-mails and letters) but to date they have not to my knowledge reported it to any proper authorities.

My tape-recording prove the involvement of former President Reagan, George Bush Sr., Rudolph Giuliani, Senator John Glenn and his legal advisor Stephen Ryan who were part of a cover-up of Counterfeit and Substandard Parts still present at Nuclear Civilian and Weapons plants around the country.

President Clinton and I go back a long way. My name came up during CNN's Presidential (enclosed DVD) debate in New Hampshire when he was labeled the "Comeback Kid." Later, while President Clinton was on the campaign trail, Newsweek Photographer took a picture of us together.

During President Clinton's second term as President, Leon Panetta acting as his Chief of Staff, wrote two letters in my behalf to the DOJ. Due to the compelling evidence I provided concerning corruption at the NRC, Mr. Panetta urged the DOJ and the Federal Bureau of (FBI) investigation to contact me. However, none such requests were ever honored.

Former secretary of State, Hillary Clinton also has had contact with me when she and I first met during a fundraiser held for her in Virginia during the spring of 2008. During this time, we had the opportunity to speak together. Once Mrs. Clinton had time to look over the information and documents I left with her, she found them interesting enough to decide to send a letter thanking me for the material.

### Page 2 of 10/18/2014 letter to Correspondence Director of the office of Bill and Hillary Clinton.

I am a life member of the republican Inner Circle whatever that meant but I am a register Independent. One of We The People's and my goals are to prove an American Citizen outside the political beltway can bring together politicians form across party lines to protect the safety of our nation. If you need more background on We The People and me please google my name this way: Steve Comley Nuclear regulatory commission. There is about 7 pages in there on WTP's work.

I hope former President William Jefferson Clinton and former Secretary of State, Hillary Rodham Clinton will find time during their busy schedule to contact me as soon as possible about these pressing safety issues.

I am enclosing my business card for contact information.

Sincerely,

Stephen B. Comley Sr.

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### HILLARY RODHAM CLINTON

May 27, 2008

Mr. Bill Reeves 1882 Capital Circle NE, Suite 206 Tallahassee, FL 32308

Dear Bill:

Thank you so much for sharing this information with me. I'm so glad to see that you are joining the conversation about some of the most difficult issues facing our country today. Working together, I know that we can bring about change and restore the promise of our country.

With appreciation and best regards, I am.

Sincerely yours,

Hillary Rodham Clinton

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AFTER STEPHEN COMLEY SR. MET AND TALKED WITH SENATOR HILLARY CLINTON DURING HER FUNDRAISER IN VIRGINIA IT IS APPARENT UPON REVIEW OF THE DOCUMENTS LEFT WITH HER, SENATOR CLINTON OR HER STAFF MISTAKINGLY THOUGHT MR. COMLEY WAS ATTORNEY REEVES WHO IS NO LONGER WITH WE THE PEOPLE.



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DAVID G. WALCHAK CHIEF OF POLICE

# Lity of Concord, New Hampshire

### POLICE DEPARTMENT

35 GREEN STREET . 03301-4299 (603) 225-8600

June 9, 1988

Mr. Stephen Comley Masion Dr. Rowley, MA

The following information is taken from an investigative report on file at the Concord Police Department Headquarters:

YOUR FILE NUMBER:

DATE OF CRIME: Between 3/31 - 4/5/88

INSURED:

\$40.00 REPORTED VALUE STOLEN PROPERTY:

CRIME: Theft

BY WHOM: Stephen B. Comley.

Office of We the People

INVESTIGATED BY: G. Cassady #45

ADDRESS: 3 PleasantSt.

INCIDENT NUMBER: 88-008398

DATE REPORTED: 4/6/88 ITEMS REPORTED STOLEN:

Flag, white w/ "We the People" written across over the number "200" (yellow fringe across the

bottom)

Note: Poster was torn off the office door, it had the words "So that the people's voice can be heard," it was placed into evidence, for possible fingerprints.

Very truly yours,

Leo F. DéGreenia Jr.

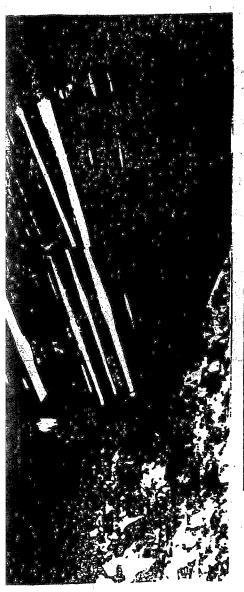
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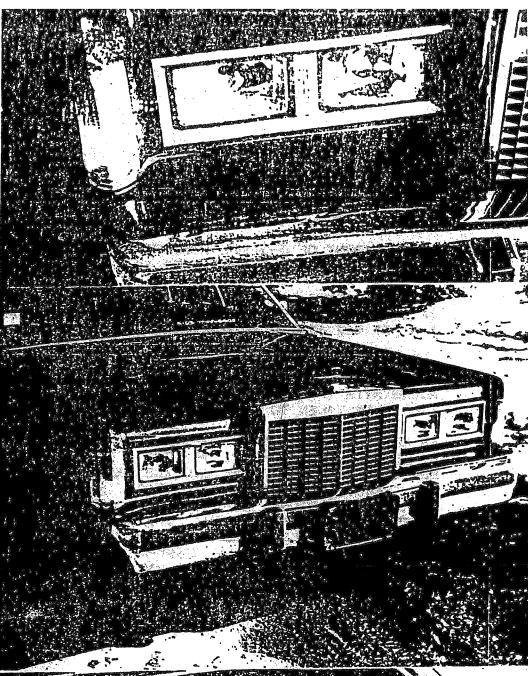
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# INCIDENT AT SHERATON GRAND POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS TO THE MISSING DOCUMENTS

- 1. SEE INCIDENT OF 8-21-86 INVOLVING THE SECRET SERVICE FROM THE WHITE HOUSE WHO CAME OVER TO THE SHERATON GRAND.
  - I WAS INFORMED BY THE CONCIERGE THAT NO ONE COULD GET INTO THAT STORAGE ROOM WITHOUT A KEY. IT DIDN'T APPEAR THAT IT WAS BROKEN INTO.
  - IT WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN HARD FOR THEM TO ENTER THIS ROOM WITHOUT ANYONE'S KNOWLEDGE. IT'S ALSO POSSIBLE THAT ALONG WITH THE DOCUMENTS THAT WERE TAKEN, THE CLOTHES WERE ALSO TAKEN TO MAKE IT LOOK LIKE A THEFT.
- 2. AS YOU CAN SEE, THE SHERATON GRAND LETTER REFERS TO THE DATES JANUARY 14 AND 15 OF 1987. THIS INVOLVES THE MEETINGS I HAD WITH THE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT IN WASHINGTON, D.C. ALSO, THE PRESENT INVESTIGATION THAT IS GOING ON WITH ROGER FORTUNA, DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF INVESTIGATIONS OF THE NRC. THE DOCUMENTS THAT WERE TAKEN FROM THE SHERATON GRAND WOULD HAVE BEEN SIGNIFICANT TO THIS MATTER. ONE OF THE PERSONS THAT WERE IN THE HOTEL WAS DOUGLAS ELLISON WHO ALSO KNEW THAT DOCUMENTS WERE STORED IN THAT STORAGE ROOM.



Kathleen Terrance Ray. General Manager The Sheraton Grand
on Capitol Hill
525 NEW HERSLY AVE. NW. AT CAPITOL PLACE WASH DC 20 ml 202 028 2100
The hospitality people of Thirti

May 15, 1987

Mr. Stephen B. Comley 280 Main Street, Route 3A Rowley, Massachusetts 01968

Dear. Mr. Comley:

As discussed by phone on Thursday, May 14th, this letter will confirm the facts of your missing items as the hotel has been able to verify them.

On or about October 15, 1986, three boxes and a suit bag were brought from your room to the storage room late in the evening after it was determined that you had actually vacated. In the suit bag were two shirts and one pair of slacks. Two boxes contained documents and one contained personal items, stationery, etc.

On January 13, 1987, you requested that these items be brought to your room. At that time, there was uncertainty over which boxes were yours since only two had labels on them. Rick Black, Concierge, opened several other boxes in the storage room until he located documents that appeared to be yours. It was in that process that several pieces of correspondence may have been left on a shelf of the storage room. Two boxes and the suit bag were returned to you.

On January 15, 1987, Saul Rosenberg, Rooms Division Manager, spoke with you regarding the missing box which contained the toiletries and stationery. At that time, he offered to reimburse you for the missing items which you refused.

On February 23, 1987, you spoke with Mr. Rosenberg again attempting to locate the missing box. It had not been found, and Mr. Rosenberg offered to have a loss report filed to which you replied negatively.

On April 7, 1987, your letter of April 2nd was received in my office requesting reimbursement in the amount of \$800. An insurance claim was filed on your behalf. The insurance carrier, on May 13th offered to settle for \$20 which you refused.

Mr. Stephen B. Comley May 15, 1987 Page Two

On May 14th, in conversation with me, you stated that you were not looking for reimbursement but only for acknowledgement that a box had been missing that had been stored with us.

Mr. Comley, I do hope that this matter is now behind us. As you indicated in our conversation, you are aware that the hotel can no longer accept storage of property for more than one day due to limitations of storage space. This should ensure that no one else experiences a problem such as yours.

Sincerely,

Cathleen Jerrance Kay

General Manager

KTR/cltm

# BECAUSE WE CARE ABOUT ROWLEY AND YOU

280 Main Street, Rte. 1A Rowley, Massachuseus 01969

Stephen B. Comley
Executive Director

MA: 617-948-7959 D.C.: 202-628-2100

April 2, 1987

Manager Sheraton Grand Hotel on Capitol Hill 525 New Jersey Avenue, N. W. Washington, D. C. 20001-1527

### Dear Manager:

On several occasions over the past year, I have stayed at your hotel while in Washington on business. Between stays, I stored various items at your hotel, including boxes of important documents and clothing.

During my last stay, January 14 & 15, it became apparent that many of the documents and some items of clothing were missing from the storage room. This was confirmed by three of your personnel. It is almost impossible to place a value on the documents that are missing, but I feel a fair estimate of approximately \$800 in clothing was removed from the storage room.

To date, I have yet to receive a satisfactory explanation from the hotel as to what happened to these items, or what, if anything, the hotel plans to do about it. I would appreciate your prompt response to both of these matters.

I hope that no further action on this unfortunate incident will be necessary.

Very truly yours,

Stephen B. Comley / Executive Director

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the operation and construction of nuclear power plants in the	United State	es of America;
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federal agencies with information regarding possible safety vi	olations in	the nuclear
power industry. As Executive Director, my responsibility is to	o achieve ar	d fulfill the
goals of the organization.		
At approximately 2 p.m., April 2, 1990, I, (Stephen B. Comley)	, was travel	ing on a
public road and approaching the Elementary School in Seabrook.	Upon reach	ing my
destination, I noticed 2 pick-up trucks following our vehicles	which inclu	ded my car
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THE NRC" and "DANGER-SEABROOK NUCLEAR ZONE-NO EVACUATION POSSI	BLE." (See	enclosed
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"Inside Edition", a national TV show.		
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by Mr. Kurt Ehrenberg who was a pas	ssenger in my vehicle at t	he time. (See statement
dated 4-26-90 and related articles,	, Packet 2).	
While recalling this incident, I re	emembered a previous confr	ontation which occurred
at approximately 1:00 p.m. that aft	ternoon, just opposite the	Seabrook nuclear plant
(south of the Hampton Bridge that	connects the beaches), we	were approached by a man,
who I would say was in his 60's.	This man was driving a car	with a New Hampshire
license plate, #631E. While follow	wing our vehicles, this pe	rson pulled along-side us
and motioned for us to pull over.	After parking his car, he	got out and said, "You can
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for me." I	replied by informing him t	hat the NRC licens	ed Seabrook even though the
Inspector Ge	neral as well as Congress	was conducting an	investigation into some of the
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profits than	protecting the safety of	the people on the	seacoast." His reply was,
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by saying, "	I am taking your plate num	ber and reporting	you." Conversation ended.
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I reported t	hese incidents by phone ar	nd personally went	to the Seabrook Police Station
at 14:12 on	4-2-90 to express my conce	erns. (See enclose	ed report, Packet 4). I also
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the necessar	y documents that I have for	illed out today.	
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As Executive Director of WTP as well as a citizen of these U	nited States, I request that	=
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# To whom it may concern =

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# Seabrook parent wants teacher fired for anti-nuclear activities

By CONNIE CARSON Daily News correspondent

SEABROOK - A father of three children, two of whom attend Seabrook Elementary School, said at last night's School Committee meeting that he will file a written complaint with the board about the activities of anti-nuclear activist and teacher Dianne Dunfey.

Ivan Eaton Jr. told board members he has been in contact with his attorney and was told that the first step is to file a written complaint.

Eaton said he wants to see Dunfey. Seabrook plant opponent and an enrichment teacher at the school, removed from her position because of what he termed "the bad example" she is setting for his and other children at the school.

He was supported by Tim Eaton. who said, "She has been breaking the law for a good many years."

Ivan Eaton said he was prompted to act when Dunfey recently held a news conference in front of the

school as buses were lined up and being loaded with students.

During the news conference, a truck pulled onto school grounds with a large billboard on back calling Seabrook a "Danger Zone," according to Eaton, and buses were unable to move because of it.

"She was bringing it to the doorstep of the school. That was the breaking point. If she wanted to be interviewed, she should be interviewed at her house," he said. "It's a poor influence on our children, and it's setting a bad example."

Dunfey said today that Eaton's information was inaccurate. She said an independent television show, Indide Edition, was filming a story on the Seabrook evacuation plan and was at the school to report the role of teachers in that plan.

Dunfey said she was not holding a press conference but was being interviewed because of her role as a professional teacher in the plan.

She said she commended any teacher who draws attention "to the fact that there is no chance to evacuate children" under the plan. "There is nothing of greater importance,"

she said.

Dunfey also said the sign truck was in the area coincidentally and had nothing to to with the show. It was cruising the town during the siren testing period, she said.

Eaton said his biggest concern was that Dunfey is representing herself as a teacher more than a citizen. and it was showing the children to use any means to express an opinion.

"But breaking the law is unacceptable," he said.

He also said he has requested that his children not be taught by Dun-

fey, and others have done the same. Tim Eaton said complaints have been made in the past, but the board has not done anything about them.

He asked members for their individual positions on the issue to see just where they stood, but Superintendent Norman Katner said certain laws governing the board should be adhered to first, and the first step indeed would be to submit a written complaint.

"It's harming our lifestyle in Seabrook and it's harming our kids." Tim Eaton said.

# REGION Wednesday, April 11, 1990



Nuke protest on wheels — Steve Comley, executive director of the anti-Seabrook Station group We The People, is having billboards towed on trailers asking for Congress' help to stop the plant. On the other side is a sign stating that no evacuation is possible in the event of an accident at the plant.

The truck and billboard cruised through downtown Amesbury April 4. Comley says he has been harassed and threatened in some of the communities he drove through, but there were no incidents in Amesbury.

(Photo by Tom Lane)

It has been reported by Chris Peters, Seabrook bosinessman and owner of the Hi Way Shop on Rt. I that some of the signs which he bought from We The People and altached to his building which say 'Congress Protect U.S. Democracy Investigate the NRC' have been stolen.

This recent incident has been reported to Seabrook Police Chief Cronin and the FBI will again be notified. Mr. Peters also leased an office to We The People where our Danger Seabrook Nuclear Zone' Sign stands on Rt. 95. For Further comment Mr. Peters Can be reached at 603-474-3897.





October 22, 2015

David Williams Inspector General United States Postal Service 1735 North Lynn Street Arlington, VA 22209-2020

Dear Mr. Williams,

I believe you will agree, after a long 6 year battle in MA Federal court, you and I had maintained a professional relationship. This included having the understanding and respect for the positions each one of us held. Yours as Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC IG) Inspector General and mine as protecting brave informants who come to We The People (WTP) about cover-ups within the NRC and or unsafe conditions at Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Plants.

We The People's and my legal battles with the NRC didn't just occur in MA Federal but also were heard in Washinton D. C.. Judge Platt for the District of Columbia found in a summary judgment that former NRC Executive Director, Victor Stello, NRC Chairman of the Commissioners, Lando Zech and a disgrace to our Justice system, NRC Administrative Law Judge, Ivan Smith were found guilty of violating my constitutional rights as a Ameridcan Citizen.

I am sure you recall the 5 NRC IG reports your office completed were some of the most revealing investigations of the NRC failure to protect the Safety of the Public. These NRC investigative reports included, "Falsification of welds crimes at Seabrook Station, NRC improper disclosure of allegers identities by the NRC's office of investigation to the Tennessee Valley Authority, NRC IG investigative report regarding review of NRC's process for regulating Counterfeit and Substandard Parts used in U.S. Nuclear Power Plants, NRC's IG report of NRC's compliance with notice of enforcement discretion policy and procedures and NRC IG's event inquiry of NRC failure to adequately regulate Millstone Unit 1."

NRC IG investigative audits stated, "Review was prompted by allegations from We The People."

Mr. Williams, you yourself stated to me in a (Enclosure 1) letter, "I have been requested by the White House to respond specifically to your concerns regarding the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission... My office maintains an ongoing relationship with you and other associates of your public interest group We The People, Inc. This ongoing relationship has been useful to my office and I hope that it meets your needs to have your concerns addressed, as well."

During this time you and I worked together to get the truth out about corruption within the NRC and the Nuclear industry. I grew to know you as a man of courage and integrity who could not be brought or would not be swayed to cover up the truth.

I am sorry to say I do not have the same association with Mr. Hubert Bell who took over your position at the NRC IG.

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There are many reasons for this, some of which I spelled out in my July 4, 2014 letter (Enclosure 2) together with the enclosures I referred to and sent to Mr. Glenn T. Dentel, NRC Chief of Division of Reactor Projects, Branch 3, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. Dentel sent my July 4, 2014 letter along with copies of the enclosures I cited in my letter to Mr. Bell. This included a chronology (see pages 2-9) of the cover-up of the Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear Parts Scandal involving the highest officials in the United States Government including past and present Commander of Chiefs.

I believe it's very important for you to read the NRC's quote on the bottom of Page 5 of my July 4, 2014, "Regarding your request for a list of counterfeit and/or substandard parts replaced or not replaced at Seabrook Station, the NRC does not retain such a list. NextERA has a corrective action system to address the identification and correction of any such equipment. The NRC has unfettered access to this system for inspection and enforcement purposes, but does not develop lists of the type you describe."

<u>Please note</u> NextERA and or Florida Power and light did not own Seabrook Station when WTP first brought to light the presence of Counterfeit Substandard Parts built in most U.S. Nuclear Plants including Seabrook Station including all 4 of Florida Power and (FPL) Light Nuclear Plants in the State of Florida...

When I first confronted Public (PSNH) Service of NH (first owner of Seabrook Nuclear Plant) whether the plant was built with Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear Parts, they stated on television, "We have so such parts" It wasn't until the Government (GAO) Accounting Office Report surfaced entited, "Nuclear Safety and Health: Counterfeit and Substandard Prodicts are a Governmentwide Concern did PSNH have to finally admit to having bogus nuclear Parts in their plant. The GAO report specficlly listed Seabrook Station of having, "Nonconforming Fasteners, Pipe Fittings/Flanges and Fuses in Seabrook Station."

I have been after the NRC for years to admit which they finally recently stated in their letter to me February 12, 2014 (Enclosure 3) which I again believe is the need to be quoted here in this letter to you and in my July 4, 2014 to Mr. Glenn T. Dental where he stated, "Regarding your request for a list of Counterfeit and/or Substandard parts replaced or not replaced at Seabrook Station, The NRC does not retain such a list." How do we know if and fact when or if PSNH ever replaced these non-confrorming Nuclear parts or not. For that matter what assurances do the American people have that any of these Bogus Nuclear Parts were ever replaced in the other 71 U.S. Nuclear Plants listed in the GAO investigation?

I also cited on Page 19 in my letter of July 4, 2014 there was and is still the need for the re-examination of the falsification of welds scandal at Seabrook Station.

Mr. Bell never contacted me and obviously has no intention of addressing or investigating any of these safety concerns and or wrongdoing by the NRC. In addition and unbelievable, NRC IG, Hubert Bell has not even attempted to get intouch with me ever

### Page 3 of October 22, 2015 letter to David Williams, Inspector General of the U.S. Postal Service.

since he was notified by the NRC lawyers (Enclosure 4) in King of Prussia January 23, 2015 to my confession of having the tape-recordings the Department of Justice attempted to acquire in behalf of the NRC from me during a 6 year protracted battle in MA Federal Court.

As you well know these tape-recordings are the same ones you wanted to seize upon your appointment by the Reagan/Bush Administration to become the first NRC IG.

During your tenure as NRC IG your Assistant NRC IG, Leo J. Norton, from documents I provided, elected to write a letter (Enclosure 5) to the Federal Bureau (FBI) Investigations which stated in part, "You alleged that in October 1987 you provided President Reagan with information regarding the use of counterfeit and substandard parts throughout the nuclear industry and that the former President subsequently refused to acknowledge receipt of that information. Your concerns were provided to the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Silver Spring, MD, on December 13, 1990."

Unfortunately to my knowledge your NRC IG office request to the FBI was never honored and no investigation was ever performed.

I know for a fact I was never contacted by the FBI. I did ask one of your investigators why your office did not investigate my documentation of the charge against the Reagan/Bush administration and the answer I got was, "We are not used to investigating the President of the United States."

You should also be aware I requested on 2 different occasions that Mr. Bell renew the NRC IG office request to the EBI. To date I never have gotten a verbal or written confirmation from Mr. Bell or anyone else from his NRC IG office that this was done or followed through on. I believe Mr. Bell should resign.

Some have said the FBI and former White House Chief of Staff, Leon Panetta's letters to the Department (Enclosure 6) of Justice are old. Well, so are the Counterfeit Substandard Parts still in most if not all of the U.S. Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Plants.

In the interest of protectcting the Safety of the American people, I believe it is indeed appropriate given your past position as NRC IG and involvement with these tape-recordings I am now confessing to you about, to report this to the Department of Justice or whoever else you deem necessary to notify.

I have also confessed to having these tape-recordings to the following individuals and or committees:

**Energy and Commerce Committee** October 8 and 9, 2015. Talked with Julie and Jake who took notes of our conversation. No reply to date from this committee.

Senate Judiciary Committee October 9, 8, 1 and July 29, 2015. Talked with staff members Jake and Pat. Reason I contacted Chairman Senator Chuck Grassley Committee is due to the fact President Obama's Adminstration's Inernal Revenue Servivice conducted an audit of We The People's 501 C-3 conservative n-profit organization. It should be noted the audit was completed without a finding. No reply to date.

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I have aslo contacted all of the Presential Candidates who have poll numbers including the front runners, <u>Dr. Ben Carson 9/30/2015 at UNH and Mr. Donald Trump (9/17/2015 in Rochester NH.</u> Both of these confrontations can be viewed on You Tube or go to <u>www.StephenComleySr.com</u> Mr.Trump and Dr. Carson stated to me they would either get back to me about my issues or would meet with me. <u>Neither</u> one contacted me again.

Vice President Joe Biden in my letter (enclosure 7) to him of February 25, 2015 and signed for by the White House. No Reply.

Confessed to Senator John McCain October 27, 2014 (Enclosure 8) during a fundraiser for Scot Brown in Nashua NH. Sen. McCain's reply was, "I will have to report this Mr. Comley to the Department of Justice and will get back to you." No reply.

Confession of tapes in a certified letters of October 16 & 18, 2014 (enclosures 9) to Hillary and Bill Clinton. No reply.

Confession of tapes in certified letter to Leon Panetta (Enclosure 10) of July 14, 2014 No reply

Letters to First Lady, Michelle Obāma (Enclosure 11) and my 3 letters written from 2008 – 2011to President Barack Obama. All of these letters to the First LadY and to the President were all signed for by White House. No replies.

Copies of other letters sent to Michelle Obama as well as others (Enclosures 12) involved in this matter. No Replies.

For every day this information was and continues to be ignored by these elected officials, committees and most of the media, they are jeopardizing the safety of the American people.

Mr. Williams, please notify me as soon as possible who you choose to notify of these serious Nuclear Safety concerns.

Sincerely,

tephen B. Comley Sr.

Founder of We The People a National Whistleblower Non-Profit Organization

Enclosures

EHC

January 9, 2017

The Honorable Maura Healey Attorney General of Massachusetts One Ashburton Place Boston, Massachusetts 02108

Dear Maura Healey,

My name is Stephen B. Comley Sr. I hope to have an opportunity to speak with you while joining other North Shore residents at your Town Hall event being held at Newburyport's City Hall Auditorium January 10, 2017 at 7 PM. I understand you plan to address citizen's anxiety which has occurred ever since President Elect Trump's won his bid to become the next president of the United States.

I am the founder of We The (WTP) People a National Whistleblower Protection Non-Profit Organization formed in 1987 to provide the public accurate information about nuclear safety issues. WTP believes you should not support the planned relicensing of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant now owned by NEXTERA ENERGY, formally owned by Florida Power & Light beyond the design or expansion of existing nuclear power plants in our state until we are certain there is an adequate regulatory safety net to guarantee their protection.

Complaints from nuclear industry & Nuclear Regulatory (NRC) Commission informants received by our organization, WTP, during the past three decades provide compelling evidence that industry oversight by the NRC does not offer the public sufficient safeguards against dire harm from nuclear accidents. The NRC has failed to develop effective evacuation plans to protect vulnerable residents in New Hampshire, Massachusetts & throughout the U.S., including our elders & children who cannot be moved quickly in private or public schools like Triton Regional High School. Some such plans in place now were prescribed by the Former NRC Executive Director, Victor Stello who in a letter to me assumed these valuable members (Enclosure A) of our communities are in fact expendable when he suggested they be left behind in the event of a nuclear disaster at Seabrook Station. These citizens are to be administered Potassium lodide (KI) to drink by the care givers in our family owned Extended Heath Care Facility in Rowley who would volunteer to stay in the wake of a nuclear disaster in order to reduce the harmful effects of radiation exposure. Recent experiences from the Fukushuma Nuclear disaster in Japan effecting a 50 mile evacuation confirms the danger posed by unsafe installations.

The NRC has also failed to fully investigate the presence of Counterfeit & or Substandard Nuclear Parts in most if not all U.S. Nuclear Plants including Seabrook Station. This information was first brought to light by WTP & 2 years later confirmed by the U.S. Government Accounting (GAO) Office in an October 1990 Report (Enclosure B) entitled, "Nuclear Safety and Health: Counterfeit Substandard Products are a Government Wide Concern." As far as we know, the NRC has only inspected 6 of the more than 70 plants named in the GAO Report. The remainder have been relinquished to the oversight of the plants themselves. More bogus parts have also been subject of recent NRC notices which did not require any inspections or other corrective actions by the Plant owners. Finally the NRC has failed to plan for the safe disposal of hazardous nuclear wastes & has recently agreed with industry demand to cut costs by reducing the standards for many nuclear plant components (Enclosure C) of new & existing plants.

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Because of this failed NRC oversight, WTP is continuing its efforts to educate the public about the serious risks associated with the construction of more Nuclear Power Plants by offering testimony at public meetings & circulating a Nation Wide Petition demanding that President Obama, President Elect Trump & Congress to investigate the NRC's track record, integrity & independence. The petition (Enclosure D) demands an investigation by a Bi-Partisan Commission, similar to the 911 Commission, regarding how effectively the NRC is doing its job, before we have a catastrophic nuclear disaster like Fukushuma, Chernobyl or Three Mile Island which was a cover-up by the highest officials in Washington.

WTP will continue to ask endorsements from elected leaders in towns within & outside the 10 mile radius of Seabrook Station. WTP has already received the endorsements from MA Minority Leader of the Senate, Bruce Tarr, MA Assistant Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, Bradford Hill & Essex County Sherriff, Frank G. Cousins, Jr. for the NRC to hold a hearing for all First Responders within & outside the radius of Seabrook Station. This hearing will give all first responders the opportunity to testify whether they believe the Seabrook Nuclear Plants Evacuation Plan can be effectively implemented in a safely & timely matter 365 days a year including the summer months.

We The People asks you & your Office of Public Integrity (PID) Division of the Attorney General's office again to review the packet of documents & other information WTP is providing you tonight. This includes three (Enclosures E # 1-3.) DVD Tapes. 1. CNN's year & half investigation of WTP's work shown on EARTH MATTERS entitled, "INSIDE THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION: INTIMIDATION OR REGULATION?" 2. Copy of the DVD sent by an informant to WTP about a CEO conference held for Nuclear Plant Control Room Operators entitled, "CONTROL ROOM." The discussions centered on how many accidents or near misses had occurred during operations at U.S. Nuclear Plants. 3. DVD showing traffic at a virtual standstill along Federal Highways 95, Rt. I, IA & other roads in the proximity of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant & MA/NH beaches.

I understand as Attorney General you have many offices under your control but the only office that can challenge a Federal Agency like the Nuclear Regulatory Commission is your office of The Public Integrity Division ("PID") of the Attorney General's Office. We The People & AJ Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of the Senate Minority Leader, Bruce Tarr, sent a Memo (Enclosure F) to the PID office on February 6, 2014 during Attorney General Coakley's term in Office. I later found out to Senator Tarr's & We The People's disappointment, Sen. Tarr's Memo & our documentation was forwarded to (Enclosure G) the office of Environmental (EPD) Protection Division which has no authority over the NRC.

It is up to us to challenge a Federal agency like the NRC's when polices endanger us & our fellow citizens in order to uphold & protect our democratic process. As guardians of citizens' public safety after your inspection & evaluation of WTP's Whistleblowers concerns, we are asking you to vote & sign WTP's National Petition. In addition WTP is asking you as our MA Attorney General to join other elected leaders like Senator Bruce Tarr, Representative Bradford Hill & Essex County Sheriff, Frank Cousins (copies of their letters Enclosure H) in endorsing WTP's call by writing to the NRC requesting a hearing. This hearing will provide a voice to MA State Police & NH National Guard who have been silenced by GAG orders since the administrations of Former Governor Dukakis & Governor Sununu.

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By you & the PID of the Attorney General's office joining other elected officials in the endorsement of We The People's call for this NRC Hearing will enable & give all first responders including MA & NH State Police, NH National Guard, in coordination with Chiefs of police & Fire the opportunity to testify to the effectiveness of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant's Evacuation Plan. Over 160 first responders who have spoken with stated to me, "At present there is no safe evacuation possible during summer months."

Thank you for your understanding & attention in these important safety matters which effects everyone in MA, NH & beyond, especially our first responders who have families also. If you need further clarification or comment please feel free to contact me on my cell # 904-206-3114 or e-mail me at s.comley.sr@outlook.com. We the People looks forward to meeting with you soon.

Sincerely.

Combert St. hen B. Comley Sr.

Founder of We The People & National Whistleblower Non-Profit Organization

CC: Senator Bruce Tarr, Representative, Bradford Hill & Sherriff Frank Cousins, Jr.

### Enclosures A-H.

A. Copy of letter to Stephen B. Comley Sr. from former NRC Executive Director, Victor Stello who suggested that Special Needs Citizens should be left behind in the event of a nuclear disaster at the Seabrook Nuclear Plant.

B. Copy of October 1990 U. S. Government Accounting (GAO) office Report entitled, "Nuclear Safety & Health: Counterfeit Substandard Products are a Government Wide-Concern."

- C. Copy of Report, "Differing Professional View concerning the Proposed 10 CFR 50.69 Rulemaking, "Risk informed categorization and Treatment of Structures, system, and (nuclear) components." My specific concern is that the treatment requirements specified for RISC-3, SSCs are not sufficient to provide reasonable assurance of adequate protection of public health and safety." (Standards for Nuclear Parts were ultimately lower by the NRC due to pressure by the nuclear industry, nuclear lobbyists & politicians due to the fact a large amount of these Counterfeit Substandard parts are not traceable.".
- D. Copy of We The People's National Petition demanding that President Obama, President Elect Trump, Vice President Biden, Speaker Paul Ryan & Members of Congress to Create an Independent Commission to Investigate the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).
- E. Copies of DVD Tapes: 1.CNN's year & half investigation of WTP's work aired on EARTH MATTERS ENTITLED, "INSIDE THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION: INTIMIDATION OR REGULATION."
- 2. DVD sent by an informant to WTP about a CEO Conference held for Nuclear Plant Control Room Operators entitled, "CONTROL ROOM." \_\_ "The discussions centered on how many accidents or near misses had occurred during operation at U.S. Nuclear Plants." 3. DVD showing Traffic at a standstill on 95, 1 & IA. F. Aj Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of Sen. Bruce Tarr's Memo 2/6/14 to PID's office. Division of MA AG.
- G. MA AG PID's letter of March 17, 2014 to Stephen Comley Sr.of We The People.
- H. Endorsement letters of We The People's call for the NRC to hold a First Responders Hearing from Senator Bruce Tarr, Representative Bradford Hill & Essex County Sherriff, Frank Cousins.





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March 17, 2014

Stephen Comley Sr. We the People

Rowley, MA 01969

Dear Mr. Comley,

I am writing to confirm receipt of your recent referral to the Public Integrity Division ("PID") of the Attorney General's Office. After a thorough review, it has been referred to our office's Environmental Protection Division ("EPD"). EPD is responsible for representing the interests of the Commonwealth with respect to the potential environmental impacts from nuclear power plants. If you have additional information that might be of assistance to EPD, you may reach the Division at 617-963-2437.

With respect to your concern regarding the existence of state plans for evacuation of residents of Rowley in the event of a disaster at the Seabrook plant, the state agency responsible for developing such plans is the Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency ("MEMA"). MEMA has a Nuclear Preparedness Division that in October 2013 issued a Massachusetts Radiological Emergency Response Plan. Information regarding MEMA's nuclear preparedness can be found at <a href="http://www.mass.gov/eopss/agencies/mema/nuclear-preparedness-department.html">http://www.mass.gov/eopss/agencies/mema/nuclear-preparedness-department.html</a>.

Sincerely,

Michael H. Pine

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Cc: A.J. Paglia, Chief of Staff, Senator Bruce Tarr

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# **MEMO**

TO: Jim O'Brien, Chief of the Public Integrity Division, Office of the Attorney General FROM: AJ Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of the Senate Minority Leader DATE: February 6, 2014
RE: Mr. Stephen B. Comley Sr. — Request for Investigation

Hello Attorney O'Brien.

I recently met with Mr. Stephen B. Comley Sr., a constituent from the Town of Rowley, MA. Founder of "We the People," a national whistleblower/nonprofit organization, Mr. Comley expressed extreme concern about numerous regulatory issues, most of which he alleges are being ignored by the NRC at the expense of the health and safety of the public.

Although his main concerns are/have been (dating back 15+ years) with the Seabrook (NH) Nuclear Plant, Mr. Comley reported being contacted by nuclear industry insiders, mainly about the common/prohibited use of substandard parts and equipment by the nuclear power industry. According to Mr. Comley, these individuals have expressed (confidentially) great safety concerns about the residual/collateral effects that malfunctions of such substandard parts and equipment pose to the public. Furthermore, he reports that their concerns have been consistently aggravated by the NRC's alleged knowledge of such, and their alleged cursory, passive, and selective enforcement of existing laws and regulations prohibiting such practices. Fearful of being terminated, Mr. Comley reports that many of these individuals have turned to We the People" in order to report these violations, trusting that Mr. Comley will guarantee their anonymity.

aside from the disclosures allegedly made by industry insiders, Mr. Comfey reported being told by numerous public safety officials from the State of New Hampshire that they are unaware of any kind of credible evacuation plan for the Seabrook Nuclear Plant. Despite his long term attempts to address this issues with the NRC and through numerous senior level federal



officials, Mr. Comley claims his concerns have been ignored. In addition to his belief that a credible evacuation plan is required by law, Mr. Comley is outraged by the representation from NH public safety officials (in this case, those very individuals that who would be responsible to initiate an evacuation) that they are unaware of the existence of any such plan and demanded an investigation.

Clearly, given the gravity of the collective allegations made by Mr. Comiey, although hard to believe, are of concern if true. Although he provided, and I reviewed, the numerous documents/materials in support of his position, I explained that the Massachusetts State Legislature has no oversight over the NRC, nor does our office have the knowledge, resources, or the authority to conduct investigations of any kind.

Understanding such, Mr. Comley requested our assistance in referring this issue to the most appropriate state office/agency. Considering the allegations made by Mr. Comley, together with the multi-state/federal communications which the most basic inquiry would require, I informed him that your division of the Attorney General's Office would be the most appropriate/effective on the state level.

Having never heard of your division before, and understandably suspect/frustrated about being erroneously referred to numerous agencies in the past, I explained to Mr. Comley that the Attorney General's Public Integrity Division investigates matters that have a corrosive or harmful effect on public confidence in our government and other trusted institutions. I further explained that your division's most significant cases are those that have an impact beyond the facts of the individual case, that involve particularly vulnerable victims, or that assist in restoring trust and confidence in our public institutions. Finally, I informed him that your division is staffed by a group of experienced prosecutors who partner with State Police troopers, civilian financial investigators, and local, state, and federal investigative and enforcement agencies.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Thank you for your service.

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Mr. Stephen B. Comley, Administrator Sea View Nursing Home Mansion Drive Rowley, Massachusetts 01969

Dear Mr. Comley:

Chairman Zech has asked me to respond to your letter to him of August 22, 1986. The questions in your letter focused upon several issues including emergency planning at the Seabrook nuclear generating station, the Russian nuclear accident at Chernobyl and nuclear power in general.

' Enclosed are answers to each of the questions contained in your letter. If we can be of further assistance, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Victor Stello, Jr

Executive Director for Operations

Enclosure: ' Questions and Responses

#### NRC RESPONSES

#### Question 1

Do you feel that the people of Rowley should have a voice in evacuation planning as it pertains to the Seabrook power plant?

#### Response

The Commission regulations provide that, generally, the plume exposure pathway CHERKO emergency planning zone (EPZ) for nuclear power plants shall include areas within about 10 miles of a nuclear power plant. The exact size and configura-AFFECTI tion of the zone is to be determined in relation to local emergency response OUR CAI needs—and capabilities as they are affected by demography, topography, land characteristics, access routes and jurisdictional boundaries. IN VERE separate governmental unit which is outside Seabrook's EPZ. No justification has been shown and no issue has been raised in the pending adjudicatory plant of the public can participate which where affected property of the public can participate which with the same that Rowley should be made part of the same planting zone. Mever Dialess, the lown of Rowley may also adopt such emergency planning measures as it believes appropriate, although these are not required as a predicate to Seabrook receiving a license.

#### Question 2

SHELTERED ISSUE

Evacuation issue-people who can't be moved...Do you feel some means should be provided for people who cannot be moved, other for than merely being sheltered?

#### Response

Emergency response plans are required to include provisions for the protection of persons in special facilities such as hospitals or nursing homes within the plume exposure pathway EPZ. For situations where protective actions may call for evacuation, preplanned arrangements are made to transport patients by amou-For the few individual nationts where in the judgment of medical experts prompt evacuation is not advisable, we believe that shelter is an appropriate protective measure until they can be safely relocated. In some cases, depending on the accident scenario and risk factors, it may be appropriate to administer potassium iodide (XI). We also believe that the likelihood of requiring an immediate evacuation more than several miles from

nuclear plant is extremely low.

Location issue-Seabrook. Has the summer beach population been fully taken into consideration?

#### Response.

Yes. The guidelines in the reference document NUREG-0654/FEMA-REP-1 specify that each licensee's plan shall contain time estimates for evacuation within the plume EPZ based on population estimates that include consideration of transient as well as permanent residents and special facility populations (e.g., schools, hospitals, and nursing homes). Consideration is also given for both normal and adverse weather conditions in the analysis. The Seabrook Station Evacuation Time Estimates and Traffic Management Plan submitted by Public Service of New ralpsmire provides total population figures for sugmer and winter within 10 miles of the site including su er average and peak population estimates for the beach NRC people have told me that Serbrook is in the wrong location. Question 4

As we have yet to receive all of the information on Chernobyl, what are your opinions on reducing the radius from 10 miles to 2 miles?

#### Response

The MRC has indicated that it intends to begin a reassessment of emergency planning, in light of any new insights arising from our extensive research on severe accident releases or "source terms." He consider it appropriate that any such reassessment should also include pertinent information from Chernobyl, taking into account the significant differences between the Chernobyl design and that of U.S. reactors (see response to Question 12), as they affect accident risks. At the present time, the MC has formed no position what the size of the plume exposure FPZ should be changed. Only after the

#### Question 5

I understand that the low level licensing requirements have been reduced as they pertain to issues of evacuation problems that may arise in a city or town. This change has enabled questions not to be resolved before a license is issued. Given the Chernobyl incident and the problems and questions surrounding the Pilgrim Nuclear Plant in Plymouth (which has been branded "the worst-run plant in the US"), do you think we should reverse again and require that evaluation issues be resolved before a low level license is granted to any new plants?

#### Response

The NRC's decision to grant low power licenses prior to arriving at final positions on certain regulatory issues, including emergency planning, is based on the conclusion that the risk to the health and safety of the public from low power operation is not compromised. Analyses of many plants recently licensed by the NRC show that the risk from low power operation is several orders of

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magnitude lower than that at full power operation. This is primarily because (1) the fission product inventory at low power operation is substantially less than at full power, (2) safety system requirements (e.g., numbers of pumps needed to be available) are much less at low power, and (3) operators have substantially more time to respond to events and take corrective action.

With respect to Chernobyl, the NRC's preliminary evaluation of that accident has concluded that, because of unique design differences between Chernobyl and U.S. plants, there are no implications requiring immediate regulatory action on plants licensed in the U.S. We will be performing a more detailed evaluation over the next several months to confirm this conclusion.

In summary, we do not believe there is any basis at this time to change our current regulatory policies and practices regarding low power license requirements.

#### Question 6

Do you feel that the NRC has represented the people as well as it has represented the nuclear industry?

#### Response

Yes, the NRC's regulations are designed to protect the health and safety of the public, and these have been vigorously enforced. During this fiscal year the NRC has taken many enforcement actions and proposed fines against the nuclear industry for violations of the NRC's regulations of almost five million dollars.

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#### Question 7

Has Chernobyl changed your thinking regarding nuclear power?

#### Response

Reviews of the accident and the Chernobyl design done to date by both the NRC staff and others have not identified any aspects of the accident which show a clear-cut nexus to U.S. commercial nuclear power plants requiring immediate regulatory action. However, in order to confirm this judgment, a more vigorous and systematic investigation is being performed to identify those areas and issues associated with the Chernobyl accident that warrant further investigation. As such, our "thinking regarding nuclear power" has not changed.

#### Ouestion 8

Do you feel that people are really informed about and know of the dangers of nuclear power?

#### Response

The statutory responsibility of the MRC is to provide for the safe operation of commercial nuclear power in the U.S. In carrying out this responsibility, we frequently are afforded the opportunity to explain our regulatory philosophy and bases for safety and licensing decisions. However, it is outside the MRC role and responsibility to advise the public about the risks outside the NRC role and responsibility for energy policy and and benefits of nuclear power. The responsibility for energy policy and development of energy sources is assigned to the Department of Energy. The Energy Reorganization Act of 1975 was enacted by Congress to separate Energy Reorganization Act of 1975 was enacted by Congress to separate conflicts of interest. Emergency planning regulations do require that information be made available to the public on a periodic basis on how they will be notified in an emergency and what their initial actions should be.

#### Question 9

Cost versus other fuels-obsolete?

#### Answer

The MRC is responsible for the licensing and related regulatory functions for commercial nuclear power plants in the United States. The consideration of the economics of nuclear power versus other energy sources does not fall under the statutory responsibility of the MRC. He suggest that this question could best be answered by the U.S. Department of Energy.

IT IS Also NOT THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE NRC TO SUPPRESS INFORMATION SO THAT THE PLANTS THAT ARE CONTROVERSED CAM Question 10 RECEIVE, A LICENSE AND THEN THEY THINK THE GAME IS OVER.

How many people were hospitalized in Russia?

#### Response

At the International Atomic Energy Agency Conference on the Chernobyl Accident held in Vienna, Austria, August 25-29, 1986, the Soviet delegation informed us that as of that date, 31 persons had died and 203 persons were hospitalized with radiation-related injuries, all fire fighters or plant personnel.

#### Question 11

How old was the plant - 3 years?

#### Response

It is our understanding that Unit 4 at the Chernobyl Muclear Power Station went into commercial operation in 1983.

#### Question 12

What are the differences between the Russian plants and our nuclear plants as you see them?

There are many basic differences between the Soviet RBMK class of plants and the U.S. commercial light water reactors. The most prominent differences are (1) a lack of a western-style containment which encloses the entire primary system of the reactor, (2) a core composed of about 1600 individual pressure tubes within a graphite matrix, and (3) a positive coolant void reactivity CHERNOBYL HAPPENED BECAUSE OF HOMAN ERROR AND I KNOW, AS OTHERS DO, THAT WE coefficient. HAVE A LOT OF HUMAN ERROR IN WAShINGTON,

some deliberate. Question 13

Regarding future generations, would you recommend that we continue to build nuclear plants?

#### Response

As a policy, the MRC does not make recommendations regarding methods for future generation of electrical energy. Such recommendations on national policy are the responsibility of the Department of Energy.

#### Question 14

Do you feel that the public would be justified in believing that the MRC is not acting in the public's best interest?

#### Response

Mo, see answer to Question 6.

WE WILL SEE TO IT THAT MR. STELLO AS WELL AS THE REST OF THE NRC, KNOWS HOW AMERICA DOES FEEL BY WAY OF A NATIONAL REFERENDUM WHICH WILL ALLOW THE AMERICAN PEOPLE TO MAKE THE DECISION WHETHER THEY WANT TO CONTINUE ON WITH NUCLEAR POWER IN THIS COUNTRY. THE CONSTITUTION WAS WRITTEN TO GIVE THE PEOPLE A SAY WHEN THEY KNOW SOMETHING IS WRONG IN THE GOVERNMENT. THAT OBVIOUSLY CAN NOT BE DONE UNTIL THEY GET ALL THE FACTS THAT HAVE BEEN SUPPRESSED BY THE INDUSTRY, THE NRC, AND YES, SOME GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS. WE THE PEOPLE, INC. OF THE UNITED STATES WILL SEE THAT THEY GET THOSE FACTS AS WELL AS PROVIDE VEHICLES THAT ARE NECESSARY FOR THEM TO MAKE THAT CHOICE. IF WE FAIL TO DO THIS, WE HAVE FAILED AMERICA FOR WHAT IT WAS FOUNDED FOR.





OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

#### UNITED STATES NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 200955

August 19, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR:

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FROM:

James K. Asselstine 42

SUBJECT:

DISCUSSION WITH STEPHEN B. COMLEY RE NUCLEAR SAFETY

AND EMERGENCY PLANNING

On Friday, August 15, 1986, I met with Mr. Stephen B. Comley to discuss his concerns regarding nuclear safety and emergency planning. Mr. Comley is a resident of Rowley, Massachusetts. Mr. Comley is interested in the Seabrook Nuclear Power Plant but is not a party in the Seabrook licensing proceeding. We did not discuss any contested issues in the Seabrook licensing proceeding. The following is a written summary of my responses to Mr. Comley's questions.

Ouestion 1:

Do you feel that the people of Rowley should have a voice in evacuation planning as it pertains to the Seabrook power plant?

Answer:

As a general matter, I believe that the 10-mile emergency planning zone (EPZ) established by the Commission is a reasonable boundary for planning protective actions, including evacuation, in the event of a nuclear power plant accident. However the Commission's regulations are flexible in that they allow expansion of the 10-mile FP/ to take into account nearby facilities or features for which emergency pranning would be appropriate. An example would be a school rocated just outside the EPZ. In previous cases, I have supported expanding the size of the EPZ singuily in a particular area, where the facts of the case ingreace a particular reacure, lactility or problem area which can affect overall emergency planning for the plant An example of this is the bridge going to Cape Cod, which is located just beyond the 10-mile EPZ for the Pilgrim plant. Because the bridge could significantly affect emergency planning for the Pilgrim plant and because it is the principal artery leading to and from Cape Cod, I believe that it should be included in the Pilgrim EPZ, and I have so stated in the past. Whether the town of Rowley should be included in the EPZ for Seabrook would depend upon the facts contested issue in the Seabrook proceeding. I understand that it may become one. If so, my decision would be based upon the record developed in the case. I have not reviewed

the situation for Seabrook, and I have no opinion on the issue at the present time.



Question 2:

Evacuation issue - beople who can't be moved... Do you feel some means should be provided for people who cannot be moved, other than merely being sheltered?

Answer

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am not aware that this question has been faced squarely by the Commission in any previous case. As a general matter, the Commission's regulations require that emergency planning within the EPZ provide for a range of protective actions. These can include sheltering, but for at least some accident situations evacuation may be necessary for some or all of the beoble within the EPC. Inus, emergency planning measures have been required to include needed transportation, particularly for those who are unable to evacuate themselves. Lagree with this element of our emergency planning requirements. For this reason, the Commission emphasized the need for arrangements for ambulances and buses if evacuation is needed for a care facility for elderly nuns near the Fermi-2 reactor. The Commission has also considered the need for sheltering and evacuation of prisoners in detention facilities located near nuclear power plants. However, I do not believe that the Commission has faced the situation in which evacuation is impossible for some individuals within the EPZ and the only alternative is shaltering within unprotected facilities.

Question 3:

Location issue - Seabrook. Has the summer beach population been fully taken into consideration?

Answer:

I believe that this is a contested issue in the Seabrook proceeding. My opinion on this and other contested issues will be based upon the formal record in the Seabrook case. I have no opinion on the issue at the present time and I cannot discuss it with you.

Question 4:

As we have yet to receive all of the information on Chernobyl, what are your opinions on reducing the radius from 10 miles to 2 miles?

Answer:

You are nuite correct that we have not yet received all of the information needed on the Chernopyl accident to assess its potential impact on emergency planning. It seems to me that the cher way -- that is, is the emergency planning that cut the other way -- that is, is the IU-mile LPZ large enough and should we consider expanding it? It seems to me that this is an open question until we receive additional information on the causes, sequence of events and consequences of the Chernopyl accident. Uver the past three years, the U.S. nuclear industry has advocated

reductions in the radioactive source term (the estimates of the amounts and types of radioactive materials which could be released during a serious nuclear accident). industry argues that these reduced source terms would justify relaxations in several NRC regulations. those is a reduction in the size of the emergency planning zone, perhaps to an area as small as two miles. American Physical Society and others have identified a number of areas where additional work, is needed to provide a sound scientific basis for any source term reassessment. They have advised that across-the-board reductions in the source term are not yet justified, and that specific numerical reductions are unwarranted. The Commission has not yet taken action to reduce the source terms, and our technical staff has advised that any across-the-board reductions in emergency planning zones are premature. staff has rejected at least one site-specific proposal to reduce the EPZ for the Calvert Cliffs plant on the ground Of course, any licensee is that the request is premature. free to propose a site-specific reduction in the size of the EPZ for the plant and the individual proposal would be considered by the Commission on its merits.

Question 5:

I understand that the low level licensing requirements have been reduced as they pentain to issues of evacuation problems that may arise in a city or town. This change has enabled question not to be resolved before a license is issued. Given the Chernobyl incident and the problems and questions that surround the Pilgrim Huclear Plant in Plymouth (which has been branded "the worst-run plant in the US"), do you think we should reverse again and require that evaluation issues be resolved before a low level license is granted to any new plants?

Answer:

The Commission's regulations require adequate emergency planning measures to be in place prior to the issuance of a full-power license, but not prior to the issuance of a low-power license (these are limited to no more than five percent of full power). This decision was based upon the technical judgment that a plant beginning operation and not going above five percent power fails to generate the quantity of fission products and decay heat which could pose a hazard to the public requiring evacuation or other protective action. I agree with this technical judgment that the risk to the public from low-power operation of a new plant is very low. Some have questioned whether the Chernobyl accident affects this judgment since that accidenapparently occurred at low power levels. However our stafadvises that the situation at Chernobyl was quite different because the plant had been operating at higher power levels for some time, with the consequent build-up of fission products and decay heat. Having said this, I should note

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the Shoreham plant on the ground that there appeared to exist an outstanding emergency planning issue which might arrayent that plant from ever going into tuil-oower operation. In the circumstances of that case, it seemed to me unwise to contaminate the plant until the Commission had resolved the outstanding emergency planning issues. Such circumstances may well arise in other cases, and I will have to examine each case individually. But my decision in Shoreham turned on the wisdom of contaminating a plant that might never receive a full-power operating license and not on the risk to the public of low-power operation.

Question 6:

Answer:

No vou feel that the NRC has represented the meanle as well as it has represented the nuclear industry?

I believe that in some cases, the NRC has acted more as the protector of the nuclear industry than the protector of the public. These cases have included the Commission's decision to allow operation of the Indian Point plants in the face of continued significant deficiencies in emergency planning; the Commission's decision to reject the safety improvements recommended by the NRC staff and the hearing board in the Indian Point Special Proceeding; the Commission's decision to allow the restart of TMI, Unit 1; the Commission's decision to end the search for further reductions in the risk of severe nuclear accidents in the Severe Accident Policy Statement; and the Commission's decision to restrict the NRC staff's ability to develop needed new safety requirements in the Commission's backfit rule. My views are well documented in my dissenting views on each of these decisions, and they have been widely publicized. For the most part. I am the only member of the current Commission who has opposed these actions; however, one other Commissioner opposed the backfit rule. Despite my opposition to these key Commission decisions, I believe the the NOC contains many able and dedicated mennie won are committed to the regulatory mission of the agency. If given the account direction from the too, I am confident that the agency could pursue its regulatory responsibilities in a manner that would restore public confidence in the NRC as an objective and fair regulator that puts the interests of the public foremost.

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Has Chernobyl changed your thinking regarding nuclear power?

Question 7:

Answer:

The Chernobyl accident has not dramatically altered my views on nuclear power or on the key regulatory issues which are before the NRC. I continue to believe that nuclear power plants can be operated, built, and designed safely, and that they should be a part of our overall energy mix. In reaching this judgment, I recognize the substantial

'commitment' to nuclear power which we already have in the U.S. The challenge is to ensure that the approximately 125 plants we have in operation or under construction are run safely. Hence, Chernobyl has underscored my belief that a severe nuclear accident in the U.S. is unacceptable, and that further regulatory initiatives are needed for the future if we are to reduce the long-term risk of nuclear power to an acceptable level. In a recent letter to the President of the Atomic Industrial Forum, I outlined my own assessmente or our euriteire understerrond or the disks of nuclear power and the steps make toelleve are needed to reduce that also to acceptable revely. I am pleased to note that as part of its recent Salety Goals Policy Statement the Commission agreed to a statement that an objective of our regulatory process should be to prevent the occurrence of a severe nuclear accident - that is, an accident causing damage to the reactor core -- at any U.S. nuclear power plant. This statement, together with the Commission's recent increased attention on the operating performance of U.S. plants, particularly those with a history of poor performance, is an encouraging step in the right direction.

Question 8:

Do you feel that people are really informed about and know or the dangers or nuclear power?

Answer:

I am not convinced that the public is fully informed of the risk of nuclear power. The issues are often complex, and the debate on the issues is frequently polarized and somewhat distorted. In my recent letter to the AIF, copy attached, I attempted to describe my view of the risk of a nuclear accident, including the uncertainties in estimating that risk. As I noted in my letter, I do not believe that we fully understand that risk, and we should not be arraid to say so.



Question 9:

Answer

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Cost verus other funds - obsolete?

PAS I understand your question, do I believe that nuclear power is obsolete based upon cost considerations? The Commission's regulations focus on health and safety considerations rather than on the overall cost of nuclear power. It is true that the cost of nuclear power has increased substantially in recent years, particularly for the large new plants. The cost of operating and maintaining the older existing plants has also increased significantly over the past several years. Although there are many reasons for the cost increases, among the more significant are poor management of plant construction, the lack of standardization, a design-as-you-build approach to plant construction, and the need to address new and unanticipated safety issues, including those arising from the Three Mile Island accident. Whether nuclear power remains competitive

with other alternatives is difficult to say. It appears, however, that due to a combination of factors, including reduced demand for electricity, financial committons, and uncertainty about costs and safety requirements, that ho is, utility at the oresent time is orecared to commit to build a new nuclear powerplant.

Question 10

How Many people were hospitalized in Russia?

Answer:

I do not know the answer to this question. We are awaiting further details on the Chemohyl accident at the upcoming meeting of the International Atomic Energy Agency late this month.

QUESTION 11.

How old was the plant - 3 years? - LCJ5 7723

Answer:

The reactor which had the accident at Chernobyl was the newest unit of the four-unit Chernobyl plant. Although I do not know the date on which the unit began operation, I believe that the plant had been in operation no more than three years, and perhaps less.

Question 12:

What are the differences between the Russian plants and our nuclear plants as you see them?

Answer:

There clearly are a number of design differences between U.S. nuclear powerplants and the Chernobyl plant. Other Russian plant designs are more similar to ours. I do not believe that we have enough detailed design information about the Chernobyl plant to fully understand their design or the significance of the differences between their design philosophy and ours. We are awaiting more detailed design information at the upcoming IAEA meeting later this month. However, quite apart from the design differences between the U.S. and Russian plants, there are some broad lessons with applicability to the U.S. nuclear program. One of these is the unacceptability of a severe accident here and the need to ensure that sufficient steps are taken to prevent such an accreent from occurring and to limit the potential for a Proposed to release of radiation should one occur. I have proposed initiatives, described in my letter to the Alt, volch would accomplish these objectives. In addition, there are specific safety areas, such as hydrogen control, which may require additional attention based upon the information obtained from Chernobyl.

Question 13:

Regarding future generations, would you recommend that we continue to build nuclear plants?

Answer:

I believe that we should retain the nuclear power option for the future in this country. When I examine other energy alternatives, it appears at the present time that coal and muclear are the principal means available for providing . large central station generating facilities. Conservation and other options are having a significant impact; however, it is unclear whether they can eliminate the need for new large generating facilities at some point in the future. But if nuclear power is to remain a viable option for the future, three conditions must be met. First, the existing plants must operate safely and there must not be a savere accident at any of the existing plants for the foreseeable future -- at least the next 20 years. Second, we must restructure the process for designing, constructing and operating future nuclear plants. This restructuring must include greater use of standardized designs; the development of essentially complete designs before the start of construction; better, more centralized management of the construction process; greater attention to construction quality assurance: improved designs which emphasize greater margins of safety, simplicity, ease of operation and ease of maintenance; better utility management; and improved operations and maintenance performance. Third, we must make continued progress toward developing a safe and environmentally acceptable solution to the nuclear waste disposal problem. Each of these areas, in my view, is in need of attention if nuclear power is to remain-a viable option for the future.

Question 14:

Answer:

No you feel that the public would be justified in believing that the NRC is not acting in the public's best interest?

As I noted in my response to question 5. I helieve there are some sponificant Commission decisions in recent years in which the Commission has acted more as the protector of the industry than the protector of the oublic. In such cases industry than the protector of the oublic's hear interests. That the NRC is not acting in the nublic's hear interests. At the same time, as I noted in my previous response, the NRC staff is composed of many hard-working and dedicated people. If given the proper policy quidance and direction, the NRC could do much to restore nublic confidence in the agency as a fair and objective regulator, and in the safety of puclear nower as well.

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#### Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested

April 4, 2016
Mr. A. J. Paglia, Chief of Staff
Office of the Senate Minority Leader
Senator Bruce Tarr
State House, Room 306
Boston, MA 02133-1053

Dear Sir,

Please see March 3, 2016 Nuclear Regulatory (NRC) Commission's letter (Enclosure A) I received from Mr. Fred L. Bower III, Chief, of The Division of Reactor Projects Branch 3. This was e-mail responses of past threats on my family (Enclosure B) and me as well as other questions I discussed with his staff, Mr. Richard Barkley which were to be directed to and answered by NRC Chairman Stephen Burns. Mr. Bower's letter did address some including, "With regard to your reference to a "gag order," to date, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has not made the NRC aware of any outstanding government order restricting statements by first responders on Seabrook emergency planning."

I also want to point out what the NRC stated in their letter to me (Enclosure C) of November 19, 2015, "In the last three years, no first responders in NH or MA have advised this office of inadequacies in their ability to respond to a radiological emergency at Seabrook Station."

I believe it would be appropriate for Senator Bruce Tarr and Representative Bradford Hill office to contact NRC Chairman Stephen Burns directly and confirm I have given your office with their permission, the names of the brave first responders who are willing to testify of their knowledge of the GAG orders currently in their opinion, still in effect and imposed on the MA State Police and the NH National Guard.

I also ask for both the offices of Senator Tarr and Rep. Hill to contact MA Attorney General Maura Healey herself concerning the willingness of our informants to testify as well as other first responders to do the same including fire and police chiefs within and outside the 10 mile radius of Seabrook Station.

As you know and pointed out to me the only office in the MA Attorney General Agency who have the authority to challenge a Federal agency like the NRC who are and have ignored unsafe conditions at Seabrook Nuclear Plant for years is the MA Attorney General Office of the Public Integrity Division.

After your extensive time and review of numerous documents/materials in support of our informants and our safety concerns your office sent a MEMO (Enclosure D) to the Public Integrity Office during Attorney General Coakley's term in office. I later found out to yours and my disappointment, your memo with the documentation was passed on to the MA DEP which has no authority over the NRC.

Due to these unfortunate circumstances I elected to once again to contact the MA Office of Public Integrity on January 11. 2016. I met with Trooper Thomas Murphy, Massachusetts State Police Unit, office of the Attorney General, Criminal Bureau, who I understood would contact you. During this meeting, I gave Trooper Murphy more updated documentation including my letter of July 4, 2014 (Enclosure E) to the NRC with the documents cited in that letter. One of these enclosures included the



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Cont.' proof and with a Chronology of the Cover-ups by the NRC and other high officials of the national scandal of Counterfeit Substandard Parts built in most if not all U.S. Nuclear Plants Including Seabrook

Station. I also provided Trooper Murphy with a copy of my letter of October 22, 2015 I sent (Enclosure F) to former NRC Inspector General, David Williams, who now is the IG for the U.S. Postal Service. In this letter I stated, "I have been after the NRC for years to admit what they finally stated in their letter to me February 12, 2014 (Enclosure G) and I again quoted in my July 4, 2014 to Mr. Glenn T. Dental that stated, "Regarding your request for a list of Counterfeit and/or substandard parts replaced or not replaced at Seabrook Station, the NRC does not retain such a list."

How do we know when and if in fact the previous owners, Public Service of New Hampshire (PSNH) ever replaced these Non-conforming Nuclear parts or not? For that matter what assurances do the American people have that any of these Bogus Nuclear Parts were ever replaced in the other U.S. Nuclear Plants which our organization first brought to light. Later in a GAO report entitled, "Nuclear Health and Safety: Counterfeit Substandard Parts are a Government Wide Concern" which listed all the U.S. Nuclear Plants and the bogus components built in these facilities including Seabrook Station.

This became a nightmare for the industry because it would cost over a million dollars a day to shut down a Nuclear Plant. In some cases the location of these parts were not traceable which is more documented & fully covered in my July 4, 2014 letter. At first the NRC started fining plants built with these bogus parts but later due to industry & political pressure the NRC suspended the fines and stated in an (Enclosure H) Memo, "NRC staff withdraws notice of violation & proposal, of \$50,000 fine against Florida Power Corporation at Crystal River Nuclear Power Plant." The Memo went on to State, "this was being done because the NRC staff has determined, & the Commission has agreed, that escalated enforcement action on individual cases is not the appropriate response for what appears to be an industry-wide problem." To protect the Industry profits further NRC lowered the standard on Nuclear Components to a commercial grade in order to cut costs for current or future Nuclear Plants to be built. See 9/26/2002 NRC memorandum to (Enclosure I) Samuel J. Collins, Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor (ONRR) Regulation from John R. Fair, Senior Mechanical Engineer, Division of Engineering, ONRR stated, "The purpose of this memorandum is to document my differing professional view concerning the proposed rulemaking to add new section 10 CFR 50.69, "Risk informed Categorization & treatment of structures, systems, & components. My specific concern is that the treatment requirements specified for RISC-3 SSCs are not sufficient to provide reasonable assurance of adequate protection of public health & safety."

While David Williams was NRC IG his office always took our nuclear safety concerns <u>seriously</u> as both Sen. Tarr and Rep. Hill has. Mr. Williams NRC IG's office conducted 5 NRC IG investigative reports which proved to be some of the most revealing investigations of the NRC's failure to protect the safety of the public. These NRC IG investigations included, "Falsification of <u>welds crimes</u> at Seabrook Station, <u>NRC improper disclosure of allegers identities</u> by the NRC's Office of Investigations to the Tennessee Valley Authority, NRC IG investigative report regarding review of NRC's process for regulation of Counterfeit Substandard Parts used in U.S. Nuclear Power Plants, NRC's IG report of NRC's compliance with Notice of Enforcement Discretion policy and procedures and NRC IG's event inquiry of NRC failure to adequately regulate Millstone Unit 1." These NRC IG investigative reports stated, "This Review was prompted by allegations from We The People a National Whistleblower Non-Profit Organization."

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Page 3. Letter of 4/04/16 to A.J. Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of Senate Minority Leader, Bruce Tarr.

I was told by NRC informants and members of Congress it was unfortunate but intentional when the Reagan/Bush administration first created the NRC IG's Office, David Williams was appointed to become the first NRC IG but the office was only given subpoena power for records not individuals.

I know this hampered greatly the NRC IG investigations due to the fact present, past NRC & Nuclear Industry informants are & were reluctant to come forward due to possible reprisals. Some have stated to me, "If they subpoena me, I am bound by law to tell the truth or I could wind up in jail. Because we have families too, I & others welcome the opportunity so we can clear our consciences and protect them."

The MA Attorney General Office does indeed have Subpoena power of individuals. Has Trooper Murphy or anyone from the MA Attorney Public Integrity Office contacted your office as of this date?

Members of the MA State Police & NH National Guard who have contacted me, believe both of these GAG orders have been in effect since the Dukakis & Sununu Administrations. Those of us who have followed the history of the licensing of the Seabrook Nuclear plant, are aware of how former MA Attorney General James Shannon & other MA/NH State officials rigorously opposed Seabrook Station's license because they believed then there was no credible evacuation plan. But due to the power and twisted priorities of John Sununu while White House Chief of Staff who acted on a Secret Memo from DOE Chief, Admiral Watkins (found with my letter of 7/4/14) is what ultimately got Seabrook Station licensed.

I am confident when MA Attorney General Maura Healey and her office completes a thorough investigation of these concerns they will join Sen. Bruce Tarr, Rep. Bradford Hill and Essex County Sheriff, Cousins in their endorsement of We The People's call. This will help require NRC to hold a hearing so all first responders can testify whether they believe citizens in MA and NH can be safely & timely evacuated should a meltdown occur at Seabrook Nuclear Plant including days in summer like July 4th & Labor Day.

Every day this information continues to be ignored by high officials, committees and the media they are not only jeopardizing the safety of the American People but placing all first responders now in the same category as expendable like special needs citizens who currently face to be left behind & given Potassium iodide (KI) by volunteers who will stay in the event of a nuclear disaster at any U.S Nuclear Plant. Those connected to money from nuclear lobbyists accept this treatment as Collateral Damage, just like in War time. This is the very inhumane practice the NRC and the nuclear industry currently prescribe which started my investigation of cover-ups of safety concerns within the NRC and nuclear industries. Ironically for over 80 years now the Federal and State Governments refuse to do what they have licensed our family owned health care facility have done by obeying the very laws NRC and Nuclear Industry violates and ignores. Our son, the fourth generation now who owns and operates Sea View with his dedicated-staff, remains committed in protecting the residents' safety while providing the quality care and the safe atmosphere our home is noted for to over 5,000 residents whose families have chosen us since 1954.

I have personally conveyed all of these safety concerns effecting the NH & MA citizens to all of the Presidential Candidates when they were in NH. I spoke with Mr. Trump 8/14, 9/20/15 who stated, "I will look into this." At UNH 9/30/15 spoke with Dr. Carson. Talked with Senator Rubio 2/4/16 who during his press conference at St. Anselm College said, "I promise you I will look in to this." All events dates were aired on Yu Tube & C-Span. I knew Sen. Sanders helped shut down Vermont Yankee. Being a Journalist & on the presidential ballot in NH, I hoped to speak with Sen. Bernie Sanders during his press conference

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Cont.' 11/5/15 at the NH State House. But members of his National Staff demanded my removal by N.H.

Secretary of State, William Gardner who later put his account and objection of this incident in a written (see Enclosure J) statement. Neither Fox nor any of the National & NH media covered any of these events or the money nuclear lobbyists contribute to their political campaigns & war chests, which is a violation of the Journalist's Creed. & the "public's trust." None of the Candidates to date have gotten back to me including Sen. Cruz, Gov. Kasich & Sen. Hillary Clinton. Due to what I know & been told by NRC & nuclear informants a nuclear disaster can occur at Seabrook Station or elsewhere any time before the media & most elected officials act including both Governors of MA & NH I have been in contact with many times.

Lastly, over the years, I have found out there are some things in life which come across our path we should not and cannot walk away from until justice is served. I want to thank you, Sen. Tarr, Rep, Hill, Sheriff Cousins & their staffs for having the courage in pressing the NRC to call for this hearing so all First Responders, the public & officials can testify. I anxiously look forward for Sen. Tarr's & Rep. Hill's replies to these important safety matters. If you need further clarification or comment please contact me

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Stephen B. Comley

Founder of We the People a National Non-Profit Organization.

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#### Enclosures listed below A-J

Enclosure A. March 3, 2016 letter from Mr. Fred L. Bower III, Chief, of Reactor Projects Branch 3, Division of Reactor Projects, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

Enclosure B. E-Mails of past threats on Comley Sr. previous sent to Mr. Barkley of Mr. Bowers Staff.

Enclosure C. November 19, 2015 letter from Mr. Fred L. Bower III, Chief, of Reactor Projects Branch 3, Division of Reactor Projects, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

Enclosure D. February 6, 2014 Memo with enclosures to MA Attorney General Office of Public Integrity Division, from A.J. Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of the MA Senate Minority Leader, Bruce Tarr.

Enclosure E. Copies given 1/11/16 to MA Attorney General's Office of Public Integrity C/O Trooper Thomas Murphy of Stephen Comley Sr's letter sent July 4, 2014 with Enclosures sent and sited in his letter to Glenn T. Dentel, NRC Chief of Reactor Projects, Branch 3, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

Enclosure F. Copy given 1/11/16 to MA Attorney General's Office of Public Integrity C/O Trooper Thomas Murphy of Stephen Comley Sr's letter of October 22, 2015 to former NRC IG, David Williams, now the IG for the U.S. Postal Service.

Enclosure G. Copy given 1/11/16 to MA Attorney General's Office of Public Integrity C/O Trooper Thomas Murphy of Letter February 12, 2014 to Stephen Comley Sr. from Mr. Glenn T. Dental III, NRC Chief of the Division of Reactors Projects, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania

Enclosure H. Copy of NRC Memo withdrawing notice of violation and proposal, of \$50,000 fine against Florida Power Corporation at Crystal River Nuclear Power Plant.

Enclosure I. NRC Memorandum to Samuel J. Collins, Director, Office of NRC regulation from John R. Fair. Enclosure J. NH Secretary Of State, William Gardner's written account & objection when Members of Sen. Sanders's National Staff demanded my removal during Senator's press conference 11/05/15.

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March 3, 2016

Mr. Stephen B. Comley, Sr.
Founder of We The People –
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Dear Mr. Comley:

I am responding to your recent e-mail correspondence (ML16020A239)<sup>1</sup> with Richard Barkley of my staff. In that correspondence, you were concerned that your personal address was used versus a postal box number as you requested in a prior email (ML15323A003) dated October 16, 2015, to Scott Burnell of the NRC Office of Public Affairs. In addition, you indicated that my previous letter (ML16021A299) did not respond to all of the questions you posed in emails to Scott Burnell.

As requested, we promptly removed your address from my November 2015 letter and reentered the redacted letter into ADAMS as a public record (ML 16021A299). Per agency policy,
we informed several offices, including the Office of Inspector General, within the NRC of this
potential information spill. Further, we also removed the address on several letters that
preceded your request this past summer to use your new postal box going forward. Mr. Barkley
explained that this was an oversight on his part and apologized. He further indicated to you that
information regarding your address is readily available on various Internet sites that you control,
and recommended that you remove that information in the near future if you remain concerned
with its release.

We have restated our understanding of the questions we believe you posed to Mr. Burnell in Enclosure 1. I would note that the letter to Massachusetts Representative Bradford Hill has been publicly available in ADAMS (ML15141A187) since shortly after its issuance date. We previously provided the letter to MA Senator Tarr (ML15141A200) to you; the letter to Representative Hill is identical. However, you can obtain a copy from ADAMS by entering the ML number in the search box in the upper right corner of <a href="https://www.nrc.gov">www.nrc.gov</a>.

Most of your remaining questions involved emergency preparedness and security, and I believe they were adequately addressed by my November reply. With regard to your reference to a "gag order," to date, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has not made the NRC aware of any outstanding governmental order restricting statements by first responders on Seabrook emergency planning. The NRC is committed to ensuring that sound emergency planning is in place at all of our licensed facilities, as well as for the surrounding communities.

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Designation in parentheses refers to an Agency-wide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) accession number. Documents referenced in this letter are publicly-available using the accession number in ADAMS.

As such, in the area of emergency preparedness and response, the NRC works in partnership with the FEMA to ensure that onsite and offsite emergency plans are adequate and can be effectively implemented. The regulations for onsite emergency response fall within the NRC's purview, while the offsite oversight responsibility rests with FEMA. The NRC relies on FEMA to provide a finding of continued reasonable assurance that the offsite emergency plans and preparedness are adequate to protect the public health and safety. Additionally, the NRC and FEMA work closely with the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, which has the overall authority for making protective action decisions (sheltering, evacuation, etc.) for ensuring the safety of their constituents during a radiological event. The Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency (MEMA) maintains the FEMA-approved State Radiological Emergency Plan for implementing those decisions, and is required to demonstrate the adequacy of the State Radiological Emergency Plan biennially during a graded exercise.

We contacted representatives from both MEMA and FEMA and informed them of your concerns. Should you want additional information or have further questions regarding the Commonwealth's efforts to review this issue, you should contact MEMA at (508) 280-2000.

Finally, the Chairman's office received your materials in the fall of 2015, but requested that Region I respond to your questions. It would be inappropriate for me to respond to your questions regarding the Chairman's familiarity with your prior involvement with the NRC, and/or the OIG. Hather, since much of the information you provided concerned alleged past wrongdoing by current and former NRC staff, as well as your admission of the existence of tape recordings of alleged whistleblowers that were the subject of a subpoena in the early 1530s, I referred you to the NRC Office of Inspector General (OIG). The OIG is an independent and objective unit that conducts and supervises audits and conducts investigations relating to the NRC's programs and operations. As requested, we have also provided the Chairman's office with your recent letter to David Williams, Inspector General of the United States Posta Service and formerly of the NRC OIG.

I trust we have been fully responsive to your concerns.

To contact compley

Sincerely,

Fred L. Bower 11, Chief. Reactor Projects Branch 3

Division of Reactor Projects

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By angeljean Chiaramida STAFF WHITER

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The bevy of traffic signals state officials approved more traffic lights to allow cars from roads intersecting Route 1 to many located not much more on the road as a whole can cross traffic safely. The result can lead to Route 1 travelers having to stop at every light, seen as a catalyst, he added. As developments came in, traffic is at its peak. than a block apart. traffic by constantly going in The issue in Seabrook has road, Cross-connections are for they don't require cars to the connector roads, he said, edly to patronize a mumber of stores on the same side of the considered safe under normal circumstances, he said, pull out and interrupt Route 1 is to keep shoppers from havng to access Route 1 repeat-

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ust as on public roads, those driving in parking lots can still be arrested and charged with driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol or reckless driving if the circumstances present themselves, he said.

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Seabrook police Chief the basic rules of the road driving five to 10 miles per parking lots, like Staples or the right, give way to pedesdrive slowly to fit the condilons. In most cases, he said, frour is appropriate in small when driving in parking lots.

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#### Journalist's Creed

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

The Journalist's Creed is a code of ethics written around 1906 by Walter Williams (journalist) shortly after founding the Missouri School of Journalism.

#### The creed

I believe in the profession of Journalism.



I believe that the public journal is a public trust; that all connected with it are, to the full measure of responsibility, trustees for the public; that acceptance of lesser service than the public service is a betrayal of this trust.

I believe that clear thinking, clear statement, accuracy and fairness are fundamental to good journalism.

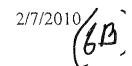


I believe that a journalist should write only what he holds in his heart to be true. I believe that suppression of the news, for any consideration other than the welfare of society, is indefensible.

I believe that no one should write as a journalist what he would not say as a gentleman; that bribery by one's own pocket book is as much to be avoided as bribery by the pocketbook of another; that individual responsibility may not be escaped by pleading another's instructions or another's dividends.

I believe that advertising, news and editorial columns should alike serve the best interests of readers; that a single standard of helpful truth and cleanness should prevail for all; that supreme test of good journalism is the measure of its public service.

I believe that the journalism which succeeds the best-and best deserves success-fears God and honors man; is stoutly independent; unmoved by pride of opinion or greed of power; constructive, tolerant but never careless, self-controlled, patient, always respectful of its readers but always unafraid, is quickly indignant at injustice; is unswayed by the appeal of the privilege or the clamor of the mob; seeks to give every man a chance, and as far as law, an honest wage and recognition of human brotherhood can make it so, an equal chance; is profoundly patriotic while sincerely promoting international good will and cementing world-comradeship, is a journalism of humanity, of and for today's world.



During my tenure at the NH National Guard, my Sargeant Major confided to me that in the 1980's he had been instructed to not discuss publicly that he did not feel the evacuation plans for Seabrook Station were adequate.

In the 1990's, I informed my chain of command of my concerns that the current evacuation plan would require me to leave the EPZ and report to the Concord Military Reservation to pick up a bus and return to the EPZ to pick up citizens who needed assistance in the evacuation?

I was given a verbal directive to never bring the matter up again.

# Both people will testify

# X Gag order on New Hampshire

## **National Guard**

Suggestions: Go to Google and put this line in: steve comley nuclear regulatory commission there is about 10 pages in there about We The People and Me. Go to second page and print out final letter to Vice President Biden which the White House signed for Biden did not choose to reply to my letter, but he will be wishing he had.

Go again to Google and put this in: Yu tube trump in Hampton NH Wait for trump's full speech to pop up. It is 54 minutes long and mostly boring until you get to minute 40 - 44 where he and I are talking back and forth.

I will be announcing on 9/11 I am running to become the next president of the U.S. That is one way to get my issues out after 30 years. Just think if the networks treat me fairly and give me as much air time as there have given Trump the people will have a chance to know who I am and just may vote for me. Only in America!!

#### Stephen B. Comley Sr.

We The People a National Whistleblowers Non-Profit Organization

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infortunately neither Governor Charlie Baker who i personally spoke with January 7, 20 bout this current GAG order or his Director and Deputy Director of Constituent ervices who I had a lengthy meeting with on March 10, 2015 has responded to me le and other We The People's nuclear safety concerns.

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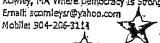
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# We The People, Inc. of the United States -

#### QUOTES FROM NRC STAFF MEMBERS

- 1. X "Seabrook is in the wrong location."
- 2. "If the people let Seabrook open, it is their own fault."

But the NRC has not been playing a fair game."

- 3. I said "What do yu mean?"
- Whenever safety allegations come into the NRC, which may pose a threat to the further operation or licensing of a nuclear plant, those allegations are pencilled away."
- 4. "Members of the NRC are mostly engineers so they do not rock the boat because the only place to go after working for the NRC is to work in the industry."
- over the years I have looked at how rotten our agency is in my view. How pro-industry it is. Hey look, if they play it straight and you get stuck with your plant, so be it. Does that make sense? You may not like it but that is the American way, the majority rules. But when I see a system that is designed to thwart the majority or keep the majority ignorant and then one day it happens and you wonder how it happened. That is not fair. That is what turned me off. It is a shame to make you think you are getting a voice..."
- 6. When a member of the NRC staff was demoted he went to the present chairman and asked "Why?". He was told "What do you expect when you talk about your boss."
- 7. "The NRC protects the industry more than they protect the people."
- 8. "We will have a nuclear disaster in the U.S. worse than
  Chernobyl. It can happen any day because of the way our plants
  have been constructed and the way they are run." Confirmed by
  NRC Bulletin 88-05.

(NRC Bulletin 88-05 confirmed existance of counterfeit substandard parts in U.S. nuclear plants across the country.)

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# own presidential candidates seize the spotlight

Goffstown: Twenty-three indidates took the stage at the sser Known Candidates Forum the New Hampshire Institute of litics Tuesday night.

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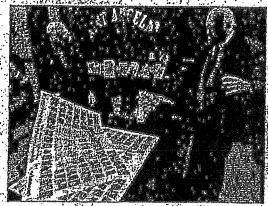
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night, thát dream seemed a bit closer to reality.

At St. Anselm College's New Hampshire Institute of Politics, a couple dozen presidential candidates took the stage to present their views and campaigns — no matter how much money or fame they al-

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Presidential candidate Richard Weil from Colorado left, speaks with N.H. Secretary of State Bill Gardner at the Lesser-Known Egindidates Forum nesday night at St. Anselm College,

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## **米 Candidates**

allowed a variety of Democrats and Republicans the opportunity to be taken seriously, despite their exmainstream political conversation.

The New Hampshire Priplace where a little guy can called for," he said. Hampshire Secretary of State Bill Gardner in his introduction.

"This event is something special for all of us," he said. Ît's one of a kind.".

And in a race dominated thus far by unorthodox contenders - in which candidates opine on Egyptian pyramids and their opponents' bathroom breaks who's to define the contours of mainstream discourse?

The 23 candidates all had their time to shine, provid- Some suggested policy ing respectful answers to serious questions.

debate stage first, sounding main stage. alternately more moder-

their party's better-known candidates.

Manchester's own Andy Martin criticized Democrats' clusion from polls and the plans for college tuition and proposed common-sense, bipartisan work to reduce gun violence. "More conmary has always been the versation and less hostility is

make an impact, said New 🔭 Stephen B. Comley Sr. of Rowley, Mass., cited his decades of experience as a private investigator in Washington, which included threats against his family.

"I'm going to get some more threats when I bring all this information up," he said before revealing that he gave Donald Trump and Ben Carson evidence 140 days ago about unsafe coning in Seabrook.

Joe Robinson of Boston ate and more extreme than said coal emissions are

cleaner than those from any other energy source, and rolling back Environmental Protection Agency regulations could help solve unemployment and terrorism.

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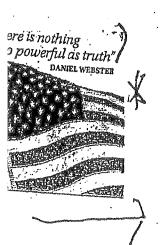
Change the dialogue about race and move to a 32-hour work week, said William H. McGaughey Jr. of Minneapolis.

Make the Democratic Party pro-life, said Henry Hewes of New York

Reform the veterans' health-care system, said Lloyd Kelso of Gastonia, N.C.

There was one notable ditions in nuclear plants absence: Vermin Supreme, across the country, includ-I who was banned after he 🛪 glitter-bombed 🗀 another. candidate at the 2011 forum.

solutions that have yet to be No matter — he still broached by either Repub-showed up outside before! Five Republicans took the licans or Democrats on the the event, clad in his traditional boot-hat.





#### THE GENERAL COURT



STATE HOUSE BOSTON 02133 105:

April 13, 2015

Stephen Burns, Chairman
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
11555 Rockville Pike
Rockville, MD 20852

Dear Chairman Burns,

We are writing in response to public safety concerns raised by Mr. Stephen B. Comley Sr., a constituent from the Rowley, MA., and founder of "We the People," a national whistleblower/nonprofit organization. According to Mr. Comley, he has been provided information from several confidential public safety sources alleging that the evacuation plan in question is ineffective within the required 10 mile radius during the summer months.

Furthermore, aside from the alleged ineffectiveness of the evacuation plan, Mr. Comley alleges that the public safety concerns brought to his attention were systematically suppressed. According to Mr. Comley, many of the same public safety sources allege being ordered by superiors not to question and/or discuss any concerns relative to the viability or effectiveness of the approved evacuation plan.

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Although we have not been provided any further substantiating information to support Mr. Comley's allegations and concerns, they have been recently published. Thus, they have been generating public safety concerns, mainly from residents within the 10 mile radius.

Therefore, in the interest of public safety, we respectfully request that you hold a public hearing at a location within the 10 mile radius. Given the importance of an effective evacuation plan, we believe a public hearing on the issue will provide your commission the opportunity to not only address the issues Mr. Comley has raised, but also to explain in more detail how the approved plan is designed to work, thus preventing any misinformation from creating concern or alarm with residents within the 10 mile radius.

Thank you for your consideration of our request. Please feel free to contact us directly, should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Bradford Hill

State Representative

Second Assistant Minority Leader

Bruce E. Tarr State Senator Minority Leader

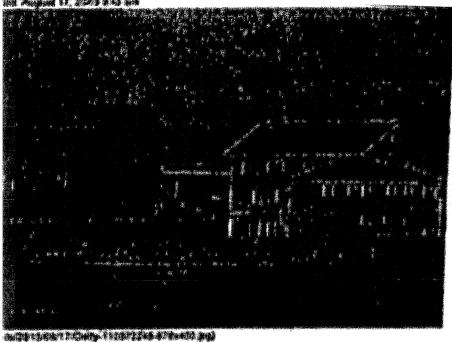
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#### Security Issues at Seabrook Nuclear Power Plant



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Seabrook Nuclear Power Plant in Seabrook, New Johnson 10 miles (16 km) South of Portsmouth. Some of America's nuclear power plants loom near ity populations, or perch perilously close to earthquake fault lines. Others have aged past their expiration dates but keep chuming anyway.

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given this information and others of our troubling safety concerns, including the fact that there is a gag order on the Massachusetts State Police

We Hampshire National Guard so they will not be allowed to voice their opinion on whether Seabrook Nuclear Plant's evacuation plan can be vely implemented during the summer months including July 4.

#### TOWN OF

## Seabrook, New Hampshire

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November 16, 2015

Stephen G. Burns, Chairman U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555-0001

Chairman@nrc.gov

Dear Chairman Burns:

As the governing body of our Town please accept this letter from the Board of Selectmen as our clear and unconditional support for NextEra Energy Seabrook Station's 20-year license extension.

Since the plant began commercial operations 25-years ago, Seabrook Station has become, quite simply, an irreplaceable regional asset. Over and above the economic benefits that generate more than a half billion dollars in regional economic activity every year, and the fact that Seabrook Station is an economic engine providing good jobs at good wages, perhaps even more important to our town is the plant is a good neighbor and good corporate citizen. Our relationship with the plant and its employees has been nothing but overwhelmingly open and positive. Even when there are difficult issues that inevitably come up in every town and city, our mutual respect for each other has always endured, serving the best interests of our town, the sea coast region, and our fabric of life.

The Town of Seabrook today is almost unrecognizable from what the town was before Seabrook Station was built. In fact, the plant is built on a former landfill. It's almost unimaginable to think of where we would be today without the plant. The continued improvements and economic expansion of our town is due in large part to Seabrook Station, Our new police and fire stations, library, town center, schools, and overall infrastructure improvements are because of the plant. Seabrook Station employees are among the state's most generous contributors to local non-profit agencies including the United Way of the Greater Seacoast. And, the plant works tirelessly partnering with various agencies and organizations devoted to environmental stewardship and protecting of our marshlands.

The people who run the plant have consistently provided the support requested by the town for help in making Seabrook a safer and more pleasant place to live. When the residents of one of our more congested neighborhoods were subjected to tractor trailers idling overnight waiting to make deliveries to a local food processing facility, we went to the plant and requested help. In response the plant permitted access on its roads and across its property to get the idling trucks out of the neighborhood. To do so, we know that the plant had to do a major amount of engineering and security work to make it happen. Residents on Railroad Avenue have enjoyed peace and quiet for several years now thanks to Seabrook Station.

Similarly, we requested help getting traffic off a residential street that was the access point for the town's transfer station. For years, trucks have been barreling down Rocks Road with lots of kids playing close by, and we were all concerned about the possibility of a serious accident from a child chasing a ball into the street. Working with plant leadership, we solved the problem and now have a safe new access point to the transfer station -- and a much safer environment for everyone living in the local neighborhood. In addition, all our town residents benefited from the change in transfer station access because the new way in and out has a traffic light, making it safer to get off and on increasingly busy Route 1. We also want to stress that the plant didn't just give the town access to their property; they also made a significant financial investment to help get the project done.

The Station recently constructed a new onsite indoor firing range and training center for the qualification and training of the plant's security force. As a benefit of this new facility, our Seabrook police officers are now able to use the range for training as well. This reduces the noise at the town's indoor shooting range, and gives our officers year-round opportunity to keep their skills sharp. The plant didn't have to make the range available for our officers

or the members of the Seacoast Emergency Response Team, but they did so without hesitation because they are constantly looking for ways to contribute to public safety in the region. We also know that the members of our great public safety team appreciate the plant's annual contributions to the Seabrook Police Association and Seabrook Professional Firefighters Association.

Regarding the plant's concrete issue (ASR), we have full confidence that Seabrook Station is taking every reasonable step to safely and effectively manage this condition in the short and long term. We know the plant is designed with considerable safety margin and has no tolerance for unsafe conditions. The stellar safety record compiled by Seabrook Station is evidence of their commitment to producing energy vital to our region safely, and without carbon emissions.

With recent changes in the energy market in New England the power produced by Seabrook Station has become more even more vital to the people and businesses of the region. Our economy requires energy, and Seabrook Station is a vital part of the mix of energy sources powering our region.

Seabrook Station is acknowledged by the industry as one of this country's safest and best-run nuclear power plants. It is a powerful economic engine for our region, generating safe, clean electricity to 1.4 million homes and businesses as well as good jobs at good wages. Most importantly, Seabrook Station is a good neighbor and our partner, contributing to the overall quality of life in our town. It is hard to believe there is any nuclear power plant in this country if not the world more deserving of its license being extended than Seabrook Station. As elected leaders responsible for always looking out for the best interests of our town, we fully and unconditionally support Seabrook Station's 20-year license renewal.

Sincerely,

William M. Manzi, III Town Manager

Raymond Smith, Chairman

BOARD OF SELECTMEN:

Aboul B. Khan, Vice-Chairman

Theresa A. Kyle, Clerk



October 22, 2015

#### Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested

David Williams
Inspector General
United States Postal Service
1735 North Lynn Street
Arlington, VA 22209-2020

Dear Mr. Williams,

I believe you will agree, after a long 6 year battle in MA Federal court, you and I had maintained a professional relationship. This included having the understanding and respect for the positions each one of us held. Yours as Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC IG) Inspector General and mine as protecting brave informants who come to We The People (WTP) about cover-ups within the NRC and or unsafe conditions at Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Plants.



We The People's and my legal battles with the NRC didn't just occur in MA Federal but also were heard in Washinton D. C. Judge Platt for the District of Columbia found in a <u>summary Judgment</u> that former NRC Executive Director, Victor Stello, NRC Chairman of the Commissioners, Lando Zech and a disgrace to our Justice system, NRC Administrative Law Judge, Ivan Smith were found guilty of violating my constitutional rights as a Ameridaan Citizen.



I am sure you recall the 5 NRC IG reports your office completed were some of the most revealing investigations of the NRC failure to protect the Safety of the Public. These NRC investigative reports included, "Falsification of welds crimes at Seabrook Station, NRC improper disclosure of allegers identities by the NRC's office of investigation to the Tennessee Valley Authority, NRC IG investigative report regarding review of NRC's process for regulating Counterfeit and Substandard Parts used in U.S. Nuclear Power Plants, NRC's IG report of NRC's compliance with notice of enforcement discretion policy and procedures and NRC IG's event inquiry of NRC failure to adequately regulate Millstone Unit 1."

NRC IG investigative audits stated, "Review was prompted by allegations from We The People."

Mr. Williams, you yourself stated to me in a (Enclosure 1) letter, "I have been requested by the White House to respond specifically to your concerns regarding the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission... My office maintains an ongoing relationship with you and other associates of your public interest group We The People, Inc. This ongoing relationship has been useful to my office and I hope that it meets your needs to have your concerns addressed, as well."

During this time you and I worked together to get the truth out about corruption within the NRC and the Nuclear industry. I grew to know you as a man of courage and integrity who could not be brought or would not swayed to cover up the truth.

I am sorry to say I do not have the same association with Mr. Hubert Bell who took over your position at the NRC IG.

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There are many reasons for this, some of which I spelled out in my July 4, 2014 letter (Enclosure 2) together with the enclosures I referred to and sent to Mr. Glenn T. Dentel, NRC Chief of Division of Reactor Projects, Branch 3, King of Prussia, Pennsylvánia.

Mr. Dentel sent my July 4, 2014 letter along with copies of the enclosures I cited in my letter to Mr. Bell. This included a chronology (see pages 2-9) of the cover-up of the Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear Parts Scandal involving the highest officials in the United States Government including past and present Commander of Chiefs.

I believe it's very important for you to read the NRC's quote on the bottom of Page 5 of my July 4, 2014, "Regarding your request for a list of counterfeit and/or substandard parts replaced or not replaced at Seabrook Station, the NRC does not retain such a list. NextERA has a corrective action system to address the identification and correction of any such equipment. The NRC has unfettered access to this system for inspection and enforcement purposes, but does not develop lists of the type you describe."

Please note NextERA and or Florida Power and light did not own Seabrook Station when WTP first brought to light the presence of Counterfeit Substandard Parts built in most U.S. Nuclear Plants including Seabrook Station including all 4 of Florida Power and (FPL) Light Nuclear Plants in the State of Florida..

When I first confronted Public (PSNH) Service of NH (first owner of Seabrook Nuclear Plant) whether the plant was built with Counterfeit Substandard Nuclear Parts, they stated on television, "We have so such parts" It wasn't until the Government (GAO) Accounting Office Report surfaced entited, "Nuclear Safety and Health: Counterfeit and Substandard Prodicts are a Governmentwide Concern did PSNH have to finally admit to having bosgus nuclear Parts in their plant. The GAO report specificlly listed Seabrook Station of having, "Nonconforming Fasteners, Pipe Fittings/Flanges and Fuses in the Seabrook Station.

I have been after the NRC for years to admit which they finally recently stated in their letter to me February 12, 2014 (Enclosure 3) which I again believed need to be quoted here in this letter to you and in my July 4, 2014 to Mr. Glenn T. Dental where he stated, "Regarding your request for a list of Counterfeit and/or Substandard parts replaced or not replaced at Seabrook Station, The NRC does not retain such a list." How do we know if and fact when or if PSNH ever replaced these non-confrorming Nuclear parts or not. For that matter what assurances do the American people have that any of these Bogus Nuclear Parts were ever replaced in the other U.S. Nuclear Plants listed in the GAO investigation?

t also cited on Page 19 in my letter of July 4, 2014 there was and is still the need for the re-examination of the falsification of welds scandal at Seabrook Station.

Mr. Bell never contacted me and obviously has no intention of addressing or investigating any of these safety concerns and or wrongdoing by the NRC.

In addition and unbelievable, NRC IG, Hubert Bell has not even attempted to get intouch with me ever

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since he was notified by the NRC lawyers (Enclosure 4) in King of Prussia January 23, 2015 to my confession of having the tape-recordings the Department of Justice attempted to acquire in behalf of the NRC from me during a 6 year protracted battle in MA Federal Court.



As you well know these tape-recordings are the same ones you wanted to seize upon your appointment by the Reagan/Bush Administration to become the first NRC IG.

During your tenure as NRC IG your Assistant NRC IG, Leo J. Norton, from documents I provided, elected to write a letter (Enclosure 5) to the Federal Bureau (FBI) Investigations which stated in part, "You alleged that in October 1987 you provided President Reagan with information regarding the use of counterfeit and substandard parts throughout the nuclear industry and that the former President subsequently refused to acknowledge receipt of that information. Your concerns were provided to the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Silver Spring, MD, on December 13, 1990."

Unfortunately to my knowledge your NRC IG office request to the FBI was never honored and no investigation was ever performed.

I know for a fact I was never contacted by the FBI. I did ask one of your investigators why your office did not investigate my documentation of the charge against the Reagan/Bush administration and the answer I got was, "We are not used to investigating the President of the United States."

You should also be aware I requested on 2 different occasions that Mr. Bell renew the NRC IG office request to the FBI. To date I never have gotten a verbal or written confirmation from Mr. Bell or anyone else from his NRC IG office that this was done or followed through on. I believe Mr. Bell should resign.



Some have said the FBI and former White House Chief of Staff, Lean Panetta's letters to the Department (Enclosure 6) of Justice are old. Well, so are the Counterfeit Substandard Parts still in most if not all of the U.S. Nuclear Civilian and Weapons Plants.



In the interest of protectcting the Safety of the American people, I believe it is indeed appropriate given your past position as NRC IG and involvement with these tape-recordings I am now confessing to you about, to report this to the Department of Justice or whoever else you deem necessary to notify.



I have also confessed to having these tape-recordings to the following individuals and or committees:

Energy and Commerce Committee October 8 and 9, 2015. Talked with Julie and Jake who took notes of our conversation. No reply to date from this committee.

Senate Judiciary Committee October 9, 8, 1 and July 29, 2015. Talked with staff members Jake and Pat. Reason I contacted Chairman Senator Chuck Grassley Committee is due to the fact President Obama's Adminstration's Inernal Revenue Servivice conducted an audit of We The People's 501 C-3 conservative non-profit organization. It should be noted the audit was completed without a finding. No reply to date.

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# Page 4 of October 22, 2014 letter to Mr. David Willims, Inspector General of the U.S. Postal Service.

Vice President Joe Biden in my letter (enclosure 7) to him of February 25, 2015 and signed for by the White House. No Reply.

Confessed to Senator John McCain October 27, 2014 (Enclosure 8) during a fundraiser for Scot Brown in Nashua NH. Sen. McCain's reply was, "I will have to report this Mr. Comley to the Department of Justice and will get back to you." No reply.

Confession of tapes in a certified letters of October 16 & 18, 2014 [enclosures 9] to Hillary and Bill Clinton. No reply.

Confession of tapes in certified letter to Leon Panetta (Enclosure 10) of July 14, 2014 No reply

Letters to First Lady, Michelle Obama (Enclosure 11) and my 3 letters written from 2008 – 2011to President Barack Obama. All of these letters to the First LadY and to the President were all signed for by White House. No replies.

Copies of other letters sent to Michelle Obama as well as others (Enclosures 12) involved in this matter. No Replies.

For every day this information was and continues to be ignored by these High officials, committees and the media they are jeopardizing the safety of the American people.

Mr. Williams, please notify me as soon as possible who you choose to notify of these serious Nuclear Safety concerns.

Sincerely,

Stephen B. Comley Sr.

Founder of We The People a National Whistleblower Non-Profit Organization

Enclosures

# Security Issues at Seabrook Nuclear Power Plant

By Stephen Comley | August 14, 2015 Last Updated: August 14, 2015 12:52 am

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Instead, the NRC waits till extremists, wishing to make a name, decide to challenge the present irresponsible situation at Seabrook Station's unmanned security booth. Why doesn't the NRC at least try to prevent one of Seabrook's security guards from getting killed?

Unbelievable, but not surprising. I first brought this to the attention to the NRC and to Seabrook Station in an official complaint on Nov. 6, 2014. The thanks I got for alerting FPL was to be notified by the Seabrook Police that I am no longer allowed or welcomed on FPL's property for at least a year. Unfortunately, I will no longer be able to drop off We The People's (WTP) nuclear safety concerns to Seabrook Station's educational office to keep their visitors informed.

I have given this information and other of our troubling safety concerns, including the fact that there is a gag order on the Massachusetts State Police and New Hampshire National Guard so they will not be allowed to voice their opinion on whether Seabrook Nuclear Plant's evacuation plan can be effectively implemented during the summer months including July 4.

All of this information I have given first hand to Massachusetts Governors Charlie Baker and New Hampshire Governor Maggie Hassan. I have also notified and met personally with New Hampshire Speaker of the House, Shawn Jasper and his Chief of staff, Terence R. Pfaff. In addition, I met with Kristy Merrill, Chief of Staff to President of the New Hampshire Senate, Chuck Morse. I have also met or contacted the staff of all the New Hampshire Senators along with many of the Massachusetts and New Hampshire House of Representatives, U.S Senators Jeanie Shaheen and Edward Markey.

However, as of this date, I have yet to get an official reply to WTP's safety concerns.

The only courageous elected officials so far who have responded officially to WTP's concerns have come from Massachusetts Senator Bruce Tarr and Rep. Bradford Hill. Both of these men have responded officially to WTP's concerns. WTP has contacted all of the Presidential candidates, but only Donald Trump has responded.

I do not agree with all of Mr. Trump's views. However, I do agree with his statement about the press, "65% of the press are dishonest." Except for some community newspapers, most of the press

including Mr. Henry's Boston Globe and Fox has turned a blind eye to WTP's nuclear safety concerns. Journalist Creed States: "Suppression of the news, for any consideration other than the welfare of society, is indefensible."

Does one mave to run for President of the United States in order to get some attention on these mportant issues?

Do not put it past me.

tephen B. Comley Sr. is founder of We The People (WTP), a national whistleblower non-profit rganization.

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The problem became a major issue when, in 2010. NextErn sought a 20-year extension of its operating licenses, from 2030 to 2050. The ASR condition is presently undergoing extensive testing at the engineering laboratory at the University of Texas. the testing.

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NEWBURNPORT - Four city councilors are calling on the head of the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Com-

mission to close the Seabrook nuclear reactor, saying "it poses an unacceptable risk" to the lives and livelihood of residents in the entire region.

The four councilors - Ed Cameron, Barry Connell, Robert Cronin and Allison Heartquist - sent NRC chairman Stephen G. Burns a 61/2-page letter last month, in which they quesfloned the safety of the plant in the wake of the discovery of ASR (alkalisilica reaction), the Heartquist evacuation plan in the event of a disaster, and expressed doubt on the oversight of Scabrook Station by NRC.



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In the Aug. 11 letter, the four wrote that their most basic responsibility as councilors is to assure the safety of city residents, and after talking with their PLANT, Page 8

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Seabrook nuclear reactor to the lives and livelihood of the people of Newburyport area, they "firmly believe the poses an unacceptable risk in the greater Newburyport constituents and attending meetings beld by the NRC and New England."

tures, including the buildreactor," the councilors tion, throughout the plant's "The plant is at risk of nuclear incident due to extensive concrete degradafoundation and safety strucing that houses the nuclear

"On behalf of public safety. we urge the NRC to close the Seabrook nuclear reactor."

Individual city officials have opposed the plant's to their concerns about Seabrook Station is the existence for years, and now one factor adding discovery of concrete degradation at the plant into question the ability of degradation that is plagu- it had little to no expertise "a safe, timely and humane ing the plant — the NRC is with ASR or a regulatory existence for years, and now one factor adding to their Station is the discovery of Their letter said that "When alkali-silica reacconcerns about Seabrook councilors added. olant. evacuation" in the event of an accident, incident or act of terrorism threatening or leading to radiation release, and said they are "profoundly disturbed by the NRC's oversight" of the plant and pointed to what they of making extremely hightaking a precautionary termed "their track record risk decisions" rather than

"This is especially disturbing because - due to approach to public safety.

The councilors also called the novelty of the concrete 2009, the NRC staff admitted

where ASR has been dis-Individual city officials "To date, Seabrook is have opposed the plant's the only U.S. nuclear plant have triggered a cautious in uncharted waters," the record to make informed covered," the councilors wrote, "This should concrete degradation at the approach but the NRC falled, and continues to fail, to prodecisions on it.

NextEra (the owner) to shut down the reactor while this adverse condition is fully tect the public by ordering assessed." tion (ASR) — the source of concrete degradation -- was discovered at the plant in

"It is no wonder that over Japan," he said. "Also, the plant's ASR problem is not "They deserve a lot of the NRC letters of concern credit for due diligence and about Seabrook safety dur- making a call for closing of The four councilors said in being properly addressed. the plant." officials, from all levels ing the last two years," they 60 Massachusetts elected of government, have sent added

Bruce Skud, a local their letter, "To be clear, we co-founder of No More include both those who are we agree that this particuwho are signing this letter opposed to nuclear power and those who favor it, but lar nuclear reactor should Fukushimas, said the timanti-nuclear activist and is traced to the "cumulative ing of the councilors' letter effect" of several factors.

the Fukushina incident ple who live and work in He said that the awarea major concern in recent ness of the devastation of in March of 2011 has been

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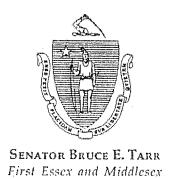
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license to operate Seabrook that the NRC withdraw th Station." to action.

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# The Commonwealth of Massachusetts SENATE MINORITY LEADER MASSACHUSETTS SENATE

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**MEMO** 

TO: Alicia Rebello-Pradas, Deputy Chief, Policy & Government Division, Office of Attorney General

FROM: A.J. Paglia, Chief of Staff, Senate Minority Leader

DATE: January 10, 2017

RE: Mr. Stephen B. Comley Sr./Seabrook Nuclear Plant

On January 9 2017, I met with Mr. Stephen Comley Sr. (Rowley constituent) about his ongoing concerns regarding the Seabrook Nuclear Plant. Mr. Comley has been actively engaging the public and press about safety related issues at the plant. His concerns, together with the Town of Rowley's proximity to the Seabrook Nuclear Plant, have/continue-to-generate numerous safety related inquiries from constituents residing in/adjacent to our district.

Although we are not validating any of Mr. Comley's representations/allegations, he's requested our assistance in coordinating a meeting with your office. He hopes that your Public Integrity Division will revisit his original concerns (see attached copy dated February 6, 2014), given their ability to interact with both federal and state entities best suited to objectively evaluate such.



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# MEMO

TO: Jim O'Brien, Chief of the Public Integrity Division, Office of the Attorney General FROM: Al Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of the Senate Minority Leader DATE: February 6, 2014
RE: Mr. Stephen B. Comley Sr. — Request for Investigation

Hello Attorney O'Brien.

I recently met with Mr. Stephen B. Comley Sr., a constituent from the Town of Rowley, MA. Founder of "We the People," a national whistleblower/nonprofit organization, Mr. Comley expressed extreme concern about numerous regulatory issues, most of which he alleges are being ignored by the NRC at the expense of the health and safety of the public.

Although his main concerns are/have been (dating back 15+ years) with the Seabrook (NH) Nuclear Plant, Mr. Comley reported being contacted by nuclear industry insiders, mainly about the common/prohibited use of substandard parts and equipment by the nuclear power industry. According to Mr. Comley, these individuals have expressed (confidentially) great safety concerns about the residual/collateral effects that malfunctions of such substandard parts and equipment pose to the public. Furthermore, he reports that their concerns have been consistently aggravated by the NRC's alleged knowledge of such, and their alleged cursory, passive, and selective enforcement of existing laws and regulations prohibiting such practices. Fearful of being terminated, Mr. Comley reports that many of these individuals have turned to "We the People" in order to report these violations, trusting that Mr. Comley will guarantee

Aside from the disclosures allegedly made by industry insiders, Mr. Comley reported being told by industry insiders, Mr. Comley reported being told by industry insiders, Mr. Comley reported being told by industrial public safety officials from the State of New Hampshire that they are unaware of any kind of credible evacuation plan for the Seabrook Nuclear Plant. Despite his long term attempts to address this issues with the NRC and through numerous senior level federal

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officials, Mr. Comley claims his concerns have been ignored. In addition to his belief that a credible evacuation plan is required by law, Mr. Comley is outraged by the representation from NH public safety officials (in this case, those very individuals that who would be responsible to initiate an evacuation) that they are unaware of the existence of any such plan and demanded an investigation.

Clearly, given the gravity of the collective allegations made by Mr. Comley, although hard to believe, are of concern if true. Although he provided, and I reviewed, the numerous documents/materials in support of his position, I explained that the Massachusetts State Legislature has no oversight over the NRC, nor does our office have the knowledge, resources, or the authority to conduct investigations of any kind.

Understanding such, Mr. Comley requested our assistance in referring this Issue to the most appropriate state office/agency. Considering the allegations made by Mr. Comley, together with the multi-state/federal communications which the most basic inquiry would require, I informed him that your division of the Attorney General's Office would be the most appropriate/effective on the state level.

Having never heard of your division before, and understandably suspect/frustrated about being erroneously referred to numerous agencies in the past, I explained to Mr. Comley that the Attorney General's Public Integrity Division investigates matters that have a corrosive or harmful effect on public confidence in our government and other trusted institutions. I further explained that your division's most significant cases are those that have an impact beyond the facts of the individual case, that involve particularly vulnerable victims, or that assist in restoring trust and confidence in our public institutions. Finally, I informed him that your division is staffed by a group of experienced prosecutors who partner with State Police troopers, civilian financial investigators, and local, state, and federal investigative and enforcement agencies.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Thank you for your service.

Enclosures: 1-4 and A-I

GC Stephen B. Comley, Sr.

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### Certified Mail Return Receipt Requested

April 4, 2016 Mr. A. J. Paglia, Chief of Staff Office of the Senate Minority Leader Senator Bruce Tarr State House, Room 306 Boston, MA 02133-1053

Dear Sir,

Please see March 3, 2016 Nuclear Regulatory (NRC) Commission's letter (Enclosure A) I received from Mr. Fred L. Bower III, Chief, of The Division of Reactor Projects Branch 3. This was e-mail responses of past threats on my family (Enclosure B) and me as well as other questions I discussed with his staff, Mr. Richard Barkley which were to be directed to and answered by NRC Chairman Stephen Burns. Mr. Bower's letter did address some including, "With regard to your reference to a "gag order," to date, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has not made the NRC aware of any outstanding government order restricting statements by first responders on Seabrook emergency planning."

I also want to point out what the NRC stated in their letter to me (Enclosure C) of November 19, 2015, "In the last three years, no first responders in NH or MA have advised this office of inadequacies in their ability to respond to a radiological emergency at Seabrook Station."

I believe it would be appropriate for Senator Bruce Tarr and Representative Bradford Hill office to contact NRC Chairman Stephen Burns directly and confirm I have given your office with their permission, the names of the brave first responders who are willing to testify of their knowledge of the GAG orders currently in their opinion, still in effect and imposed on the MA State Police and the NH National Guard.

I also ask for both the offices of Senator Tarr and Rep. Hill to contact MA Attorney General Maura Healey herself concerning the willingness of our informants to testify as well as other first responders to do the same including fire and police chiefs within and outside the 10 mile radius of Seabrook Station.

As you know and pointed out to me the only office in the MA Attorney General Agency who have the authority to challenge a Federal agency like the NRC who are and have ignored unsafe conditions at Seabrook Nuclear Plant for years is the MA Attorney General Office of the Public Integrity Division.

After your extensive time and review of numerous documents/materials in support of our informants and our safety concerns your office sent a MEMO (Enclosure D) to the Public Integrity Office during Attorney General Coakley's term in office. I later found out to yours and my disappointment, your memo with the documentation was passed on to the MA DEP which has no authority over the NRC.

Due to these unfortunate circumstances I elected to once again to contact the MA Office of Public Integrity on January 11. 2016. I met with Trooper Thomas Murphy, Massachusetts State Police Unit, office of the Attorney General, Criminal Bureau, who I understood would contact you. During this meeting, I gave Trooper Murphy more updated documentation including my letter of July 4, 2014

(Enclosure E) to the NRC with the documents cited in that letter. One of these enclosures included the Page 2. Letter of 4/04/16 to A.J Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of Senate Minority Leader, Bruce Tarr.

Cont.' proof and with a Chronology of the Cover-ups by the NRC and other high officials of the national scandal of Counterfeit Substandard Parts built in most if not all U.S. Nuclear Plants including Seabrook Station. I also provided Trooper Murphy with a copy of my letter of October 22, 2015 I sent (Enclosure F) to former NRC Inspector General, David Williams, who now is the IG for the U.S. Postal Service. In this letter I stated, "I have been after the NRC for years to admit what they finally stated in their letter to me February 12, 2014 (Enclosure G) and I again quoted in my July 4, 2014 to Mr. Glenn T. Dental that stated, "Regarding your request for a list of Counterfeit and/or substandard parts replaced or not replaced at Seabrook Station, the NRC does not retain such a list."

How do we know when and if in fact the previous owners, Public Service of New Hampshire (PSNH) ever replaced these Non-conforming Nuclear parts or not? For that matter what assurances do the American people have that any of these Bogus Nuclear Parts were ever replaced in the other U.S. Nuclear Plants which our organization first brought to light. Later in a GAO report entitled, "Nuclear Health and Safety: Counterfeit Substandard Parts are a Government Wide Concern" which listed all the U.S. Nuclear Plants and the bogus components built in these facilities including Seabrook Station.

This became a nightmare for the industry because it would cost over a million dollars a day to shut down a Nuclear Plant. In some cases the location of these parts were not traceable which is more documented & fully covered in my July 4, 2014 letter. At first the NRC started fining plants built with these bogus parts but later due to industry & political pressure the NRC suspended the fines and stated in an (Enclosure H) Memo, "NRC staff withdraws notice of violation & proposal, of \$50,000 fine against Florida Power Corporation at Crystal River Nuclear Power Plant." The Memo went on to State, "this was being done because the NRC staff has determined, & the Commission has agreed, that escalated enforcement action on individual cases is not the appropriate response for what appears to be an industry-wide problem." To protect the Industry profits further NRC lowered the standard on Nuclear Components to a commercial grade in order to cut costs for current or future Nuclear Plants to be built. See 9/26/2002 NRC memorandum to (Enclosure I) Samuel J. Collins, Director, Office of Nuclear Reactor (ONRR) Regulation from John R. Fair, Senior Mechanical Engineer, Division of Engineering, ONRR stated, "The purpose of this memorandum is to document my differing professional view concerning the proposed rulemaking to add new section 10 CFR 50.69, "Risk informed Categorization & treatment of structures, systems, & components. My specific concern is that the treatment requirements specified for RISC-3 SSCs are not sufficient to provide reasonable assurance of adequate protection of public health & safety."

While David Williams was NRC IG his office always took our nuclear safety concerns <u>seriously</u> as both Sen. Tarr and Rep. Hill has. Mr. Williams NRC IG's office conducted 5 NRC IG investigative reports which proved to be some of the most revealing investigations of the NRC's failure to protect the safety of the public. <u>These NRC IG investigations included</u>, "Falsification of <u>welds crimes</u> at Seabrook Station, <u>NRC improper disclosure of allegers identities</u> by the NRC's Office of Investigations to the Tennessee Valley Authority, NRC IG investigative report regarding review of NRC's process for regulation of Counterfeit Substandard Parts used in U.S. Nuclear Power Plants, NRC's IG report of NRC's compliance with Notice of

Enforcement Discretion policy and procedures and NRC IG's event inquiry of NRC failure to adequately regulate Millstone Unit 1." These NRC IG investigative reports stated, "This Review was prompted by allegations from We The People a National Whistleblower Non-Profit Organization."

Page 3. Letter of 4/04/16 to A.J. Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of Senate Minority Leader, Bruce Tarr.

I was told by NRC informants and members of Congress it was unfortunate but intentional when the Reagan/Bush administration first created the NRC IG's Office, David Williams was appointed to become the first NRC IG but the office was only given subpoena power for records not individuals.

I know this hampered greatly the NRC IG investigations due to the fact present, past NRC & Nuclear Industry informants are & were reluctant to come forward due to possible reprisals. Some have stated to me, "If they subpoena me, I am bound by law to tell the truth or I could wind up in jail. Because we have families too, I & others welcome the opportunity so we can clear our consciences and protect them."

The MA Attorney General Office does indeed have Subpoena power of individuals. Has Trooper Murphy or anyone from the MA Attorney Public Integrity Office contacted your office as of this date? Members of the MA State Police & NH National Guard who have contacted me, believe both of these GAG orders have been in effect since the Dukakis & Sununu Administrations. Those of us who have followed the history of the licensing of the Seabrook Nuclear plant, are aware of how former MA Attorney General James Shannon & other MA/NH State officials rigorously opposed Seabrook Station's license because they believed then there was no credible evacuation plan. But due to the power and twisted priorities of John Sununu while White House Chief of Staff who acted on a Secret Memo from DOE Chief, Admiral Watkins (found with my letter of 7/4/14) is what ultimately got Seabrook Station licensed.

I am confidant when MA Attorney General Maura Healey and her office completes a thorough investigation of these concerns they will join Sen. Bruce Tarr, Rep. Bradford Hill and Essex County Sheriff, Cousins in their endorsement of We The People's call. This will help require NRC to hold a hearing so all first responders can testify whether they believe citizens in MA and NH can be safely & timely evacuated should a meltdown occur at Seabrook Nuclear Plant including days in summer like July 4<sup>th</sup> & Labor Day.

Every day this information continues to be ignored by high officials, committees and the media they are not only jeopardizing the safety of the American People but placing all first responders now in the same category as expendable like special needs citizens who currently face to be left behind & given Potassium Iodide (KI) by volunteers who will stay in the event of a nuclear disaster at any U.S Nuclear Plant. Those connected to money from nuclear lobbyists accept this treatment as Collateral Damage, just like in War time. This is the very inhumane practice the NRC and the nuclear industry currently prescribe which started my investigation of cover-ups of safety concerns within the NRC and nuclear Industries. Ironically for over 80 years now the Federal and State Governments refuse to do what they have licensed our family owned health care facility have done by obeying the very laws NRC and Nuclear Industry violates and ignores. Our son, the fourth generation now who owns and operates Sea View with his dedicated-staff, remains committed in protecting the residents' safety while providing the quality care and the safe atmosphere our home is noted for to over 5,000 residents whose families have chosen us since 1954.

I have personally conveyed all of these safety concerns effecting the NH & MA citizens to all of the Presidential Candidates when they were in NH. I spoke with Mr. Trump 8/14, 9/20/15 who stated, "I will look into this." At UNH 9/30/15 spoke with Dr. Carson. Talked with Senator Rubio 2/4/16 who during his press conference at St. Anselm College said, "I promise you I will look in to this." All events dates were aired on Yu Tube & C-Span. I knew Sen. Sanders helped shut down Vermont Yankee. Being a Journalist & on the presidential ballot in NH, I hoped to speak with Sen. Bernie Sanders during his press conference Page 4. Letter of 4/04/16 to A.J. Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of Senate Minority Leader, Bruce Tarr. Cont.' 11/5/15 at the NH State House. But members of his National Staff demanded my removal by N.H. Secretary of State, William Gardner who later put his account and objection of this incident in a written (see Enclosure J) statement. Neither Fox nor any of the National & NH media covered any of these events or the money nuclear lobbyists contribute to their political campaigns & war chests, which is a violation of the Journalist's Creed. & the "public's trust." None of the Candidates to date have gotten back to me including Sen. Cruz, Gov. Kasich & Sen. Hillary Clinton. Due to what I know & been told by NRC & nuclear informants a nuclear disaster can occur at Seabrook Station or elsewhere any time before the media & most elected officials act including both Governors of MA & NH I have been in contact with many times.

Lastly, over the years, I have found out there are some things in life which come across our path we should not and cannot walk away from until justice is served. I want to thank you, Sen. Tarr, Rep, Hill, Sheriff Cousins & their staffs for having the courage in pressing the NRC to call for this hearing so all First Responders, the public & officials can testify. I anxiously look forward for Sen. Tarr's & Rep. Hill's replies to these important safety matters. If you need further clarification or comment please contact me

Sincerely,

Signed

Stephen B. Comley

Founder of We the People a National Non-Profit Organization.

## Enclosures listed below A-J

Enclosure A. March 3, 2016 letter from Mr. Fred L. Bower III, Chief, of Reactor Projects Branch 3, Division of Reactor Projects, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

Enclosure B. E-Mails of past threats on Comley Sr. previous sent to Mr. Barkley of Mr. Bowers Staff.

Enclosure C. November 19, 2015 letter from Mr. Fred L. Bower III, Chief, of Reactor Projects Branch 3, Division of Reactor Projects, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

Enclosure D. February 6, 2014 Memo with enclosures to MA Attorney General Office of Public Integrity Division, from A.J. Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of the MA Senate Minority Leader, Bruce Tarr.

Enclosure E. Copies given 1/11/16 to MA Attorney General's Office of Public Integrity C/O Trooper Thomas Murphy of Stephen Comley Sr's letter sent July 4, 2014 with Enclosures sent and sited in his letter to Glenn T. Dentel, NRC Chief of Reactor Projects, Branch 3, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania.

Enclosure F. Copy given 1/11/16 to MA Attorney General's Office of Public Integrity C/O Trooper

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Enclosure G. Copy given 1/11/16 to MA Attorney General's Office of Public Integrity C/O Trooper

Thomas Murphy of Letter February 12, 2014 to Stephen Comley Sr. from Mr. Glenn T. Dental III, NRC Chief of the Division of Reactors Projects, King of Prussia, Pennsylvania

<u>Enclosure H.</u> Copy of NRC Memo withdrawing notice of violation and proposal, of \$50,000 fine against Florida Power Corporation at Crystal River Nuclear Power Plant.

Enclosure I. NRC Memorandum to Samuel J. Collins, Director, Office of NRC regulation from John R. Fair. Enclosure J. NH Secretary Of State, William Gardner's written account & objection when Members of Sen. Sanders's National Staff demanded my removal during Senator's press conference 11/05/15.



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November 14, 2016

Stephen B. Comley, Sr., Founder – We The People A National Whistleblower Organization PO Box 646 Rowley, MA 01969

Dear Mr. Comley:

I am responding to your phone conversations and emails to Richard Barkley of my staff on September 30 and October 26, 2016 (ML16281A545). In those communications, you reiterated several concerns that you have shared with this office over the last three years and a new question regarding the adequacy of welding at the new reactors under construction in Georgia and South Carolina in the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's (NRC) Region II. The referenced documents may be obtained online in the NRC's Agencywide Documents Access and Management System (ADAMS) public documents collection at: <a href="http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html">http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/adams.html</a>. Using the ADAMS Accession Number (ML#), you may begin a search for these documents by selecting "ADAMS Public Documents" and then select "Begin Web-based ADAMS Search." For problems with ADAMS, please contact the NRC's Public Document Room (PDR) reference staff at 1-800-397-4209, 301-415-4737, or by e-mail to pdr.resource@nrc.gov.

Your first concern involved alleged counterfeit and substandard parts used at Seabrook during construction. In a related concern, you also asked who was in charge of the NRC inspection program for parts vendors during the 1987 – 1990 timeframe. These concerns were adequately addressed in previous letters on February 12, 2014 (ML14043A360), and October 21, 2014 (ML16021A327). Absent new information, we plan no further action in this matter.

Secondly, you expressed concern that the Office of Inspector General (OIG) has not responded to the issues that you have raised to the NRC over the last three years. As noted in a November 19, 2015 (ML16021A299) letter to you, we shared your concerns with the OIG. However, the OIG in an independent unit of the NRC and we cannot direct them to take any action in this matter. Again, we suggest you contact their office at their toll free hotline number (1-800-233-3497) regarding their handling of your concerns. We note that you have directly asked the agency's senior leadership and your local town council in Rowley, Massachusetts for an NRC hearing on your issues. We acknowledge your recent statement regarding your expressed willingness to release the name of your informants when you get such a hearing. It is up to senior NRC leadership and the Rowley town council whether they choose to respond to you directly.

Your third concern dealt with providing potassium iodide to nursing home patients and sheltering them in-place in the remote event of a radiological release from Seabrook Station. This issue was adequately addressed in a February 12, 2014 letter (ML14043A360) to you. We note that you also requested the NRC Chairman's opinion on this matter. As noted in our November 19, 2015 letter (ML16021A299), we shared those concerns with his office, but it is up to the Chairman and his staff whether they choose to respond to you directly.

Your fourth concern reiterated your previous assertion that New Hampshire and Massachusetts first responders do not believe an evacuation off the Seabrook and Hampton beaches is possible on a summer weekend. We adequately addressed your concern in my November 19, 2015 (ML16021A299), and March 3, 2016, (ML16067A014) letters to you. Thus, plan no further action in this matter.

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I trust this is fully responsive to your concerns.

Sincerely,

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The Honorable Maura Healey Attorney General of Massachusetts One Ashburton Place Boston, Massachusetts 02108

Dear Maura Healey,

My name is Stephen B. Comley Sr. I hope to have an opportunity to speak with you while joining other North Shore residents at your Town Hall event being held at Newburyport's City Hall Auditorium January 10, 2017 at 7 PM. I understand you plan to address citizen's anxiety which has occurred ever since President Elect Trump's won his bid to become the next president of the United States.

I am the founder of We The (WTP) People a National Whistleblower Protection Non-Profit Organization formed in 1987 to provide the public accurate information about nuclear safety issues. WTP believes you should not support the planned relicensing of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant now owned by NEXTERA ENERGY, formally owned by Florida Power & Light beyond the design or expansion of existing nuclear power plants in our state until we are certain there is an adequate regulatory safety net to guarantee their protection.

Complaints from nuclear industry & Nuclear Regulatory (NRC) Commission informants received by our organization, WTP, during the past three decades provide compelling evidence that industry oversight by the NRC does not offer the public sufficient safeguards against dire harm from nuclear accidents. The NRC has failed to develop effective evacuation plans to protect vulnerable residents in New Hampshire, Massachusetts & throughout the U.S., including our elders & children who cannot be moved quickly in private or public schools like Triton Regional High School. Some such plans in place now were prescribed by the Former NRC Executive Director, Victor Stello who in a letter to me assumed these valuable members (Enclosure A) of our communities are in fact expendable when he suggested they be left behind in the event of a nuclear disaster at Seabrook Station. These citizens are to be administered Potassium lodide (KI) to drink by the care givers in our family owned Extended Heath Care Facility in Rowley who would volunteer to stay in the wake of a nuclear disaster in order to reduce the harmful effects of radiation exposure. Recent experiences from the Fukushuma Nuclear disaster in Japan effecting a 50 mile evacuation confirms the danger posed by unsafe installations.

The NRC has also failed to fully investigate the presence of Counterfeit & or Substandard Nuclear Parts in most if not all U.S. Nuclear Plants including Seabrook Station. This information was first brought to light by WTP & 2 years later confirmed by the U.S. Government Accounting (GAO) Office in an October 1990 Report (Enclosure B) entitled, "Nuclear Safety and Health: Counterfeit Substandard Products are a Government Wide Concern." As far as we know, the NRC has only inspected 6 of the more than 70 plants named in the GAO Report. The remainder have been relinquished to the oversight of the plants themselves. More bogus parts have also been subject of recent NRC notices which did not require any inspections or other corrective actions by the Plant owners. Finally the NRC has failed to plan for the safe disposal of hazardous nuclear wastes & has recently agreed with industry demand to cut costs by reducing the standards for many nuclear plant components (Enclosure C) of new & existing plants.

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Because of this failed NRC oversight, WTP is continuing its efforts to educate the public about the serious risks associated with the construction of more Nuclear Power Plants by offering testimony at public meetings & circulating a Nation Wide Petition demanding that President Obama, President Elect Trump

& Congress to investigate the NRC's track record, integrity & independence. The petition (Enclosure D) demands an investigation by a Bi-Partisan Commission, similar to the 911 Commission, regarding how effectively the NRC is doing its job, before we have a catastrophic nuclear disaster like Fukushuma, Chernobyl or Three Mile Island which was a cover-up by the highest officials in Washington.

WTP will continue to ask endorsements from elected leaders in towns within & outside the 10 mile radius of Seabrook Station. WTP has already received the endorsements from MA Minority Leader of the Senate, Bruce Tarr, MA Assistant Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, Bradford Hill & Essex County Sherriff, Frank G. Cousins, Jr. for the NRC to hold a hearing for all First Responders within & outside the radius of Seabrook Station. This hearing will give all first responders the opportunity to testify whether they believe the Seabrook Nuclear Plants Evacuation Plan can be effectively implemented in a safely & timely matter 365 days a year including the summer months.

We The People asks you & your Office of Public Integrity (PID) Division of the Attorney General's office again to review the packet of documents & other information WTP is providing you tonight. This includes three (Enclosures E # 1-3.) DVD Tapes. 1. CNN's year & half investigation of WTP's work shown on EARTH MATTERS entitled, "INSIDE THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION: INTIMIDATION OR REGULATION?" 2. Copy of the DVD sent by an informant to WTP about a CEO conference held for Nuclear Plant Control Room Operators entitled, "CONTROL ROOM." The discussions centered on how many accidents or near misses had occurred during operations at U.S. Nuclear Plants. 3. DVD showing traffic at a virtual standstill along Federal Highways 95, Rt. I, IA & other roads in the proximity of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant & MA/NH beaches.

I understand as Attorney General you have many offices under your control but the only office that can challenge a Federal Agency like the Nuclear Regulatory Commission is your office of The Public Integrity Division ("PID") of the Attorney General's Office. We The People & AJ Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of the Senate Minority Leader, Bruce Tarr, sent a Memo (Enclosure F) to the PID office on February 6, 2014 during Attorney General Coakley's term in Office. I later found out to Senator Tarr's & We The People's disappointment, Sen. Tarr's Memo & our documentation was forwarded to (Enclosure G) the office of Environmental (EPD) Protection Division which has no authority over the NRC.

It is up to us to challenge a Federal agency like the NRC's when polices endanger us & our fellow citizens in order to uphold & protect our democratic process. As guardians of citizens' public safety after your inspection & evaluation of WTP's Whistleblowers concerns, we are asking you to vote & sign WTP's National Petition. In addition WTP is asking you as our MA Attorney General to join other elected leaders like Senator Bruce Tarr, Representative Bradford Hill & Essex County Sheriff, Frank Cousins (copies of their letters Enclosure H) in endorsing WTP's call by writing to the NRC requesting a hearing. This hearing will provide a voice to MA State Police & NH National Guard who have been silenced by

GAG orders since the administrations of Former Governor Dukakis & Governor Sununu.

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By you & the PID of the Attorney General's office joining other elected officials in the endorsement of We The People's call for this NRC Hearing will enable & give all first responders including MA & NH State Police, NH National Guard, in coordination with Chiefs of police & Fire the opportunity to testify to the effectiveness of the Seabrook Nuclear Plant's Evacuation Plan. Over 160 first responders who have spoken with stated to me, "At present there is no safe evacuation possible during summer months."

Thank you for your understanding & attention in these important safety matters which effects everyone in MA, NH & beyond, especially our first responders who have families also. If you need further clarification or comment please feel free to contact me on my cell # 904-206-3114 or e-mail me at <a href="mailto:s.com/ey.sr@outlook.com">s.com/ey.sr@outlook.com</a>. We the People looks forward to meeting with you soon.

Sincerely,

Stephen B. Comley Sr.

Founder of We The People a National Whistleblower Non-Profit Organization

CC: Senator Bruce Tarr, Representative, Bradford Hill & Sherriff Frank Cousins, Jr.

### Enclosures A-H.

- A. Copy of letter to Stephen B. Comley Sr. from former NRC Executive Director, Victor Stello who suggested that Special Needs Citizens should be left behind in the event of a nuclear disaster at the Seabrook Nuclear Plant.
- B. Copy of October 1990 U. S. Government Accounting (GAO) office Report entitled, "Nuclear Safety & Health: Counterfeit Substandard Products are a Government Wide-Concern."
- C. Copy of Report, "Differing Professional View concerning the Proposed 10 CFR 50.69 Rulemaking, "Risk informed categorization and Treatment of Structures, system, and (nuclear) components." My specific concern is that the treatment requirements specified for RISC-3, SSCs are not sufficient to provide reasonable assurance of adequate protection of public health and safety." (Standards for Nuclear Parts were ultimately lower by the NRC due to pressure by the nuclear industry, nuclear lobbyists & politicians due to the fact a large amount of these Counterfeit Substandard parts are not traceable.".

  D. Copy of We The People's National Petition demanding that President Obama, President Elect Trump, Vice President Biden, Speaker Paul Ryan & Members of Congress to Create an Independent Commission to Investigate the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).
- E. Copies of DVD Tapes: 1.CNN's year & half investigation of WTP's work aired on EARTH MATTERS ENTITLED, "INSIDE THE NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION: INTIMIDATION OR REGULATION."
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- F. Aj Paglia, Chief of Staff, Office of Sen. Bruce Tarr's Memo 2/6/14 to PID's office. Division of MA AG. G. MA AG PID's letter of March 17, 2014 to Stephen Comley Sr. of We The People.
- H. Endorsement letters of We The People's call for the NRC to hold a First Responders Hearing from

Senator Bruce Tarr, Representative Bradford Hill & Essex County Sherriff, Frank Cousins.

# We The People, Inc. of the United States.

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# QUOTES FROM NRC STAFF MEMBERS

- 1. Seabrook is in the wrong location."
- 2. "If the people let Seabrook open, it is their own fault."
  But the NRC has not been playing a fair game."
- I said "What do yu mean?"
- Whenever safety allegations come into the NRC, which may pose a threat to the further operation or licensing of a nuclear plant, those allegations are pencilled away."
- 4. "Members of the NRC are mostly engineers so they do not rock the boat because the only place to go after working for the NRC is to work in the industry."
- over the years I have looked at how rotten our agency is in my view. How pro-industry it is. Hey look, if they play it straight and you get stuck with your plant, so be it. Does that make sense? You may not like it but that is the American way, the majority rules. But when I see a system that is designed to thwart the majority or keep the majority ignorant and then one day it happens and you wonder how it happened. That is not fair. That is what turned me off. It is a shame to make you think you are getting a voice..."
- 6. When a member of the NRC staff was demoted he went to the present chairman and asked "Why?". He was told "What do you expect when you talk about your boss."
- 7. "The NRC protects the industry more than they protect the people."
- 8. "We will have a nuclear disaster in the U.S. worse than Chernobyl. It can happen any day because of the way our plants have been constructed and the way they are run." Confirmed by NRC Bulletin 88-05.

(NRC Bulletin 88-05 confirmed existance of counterfeit substandard parts in U.S. nuclear plants across the country.)