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It has recently come to my attention that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission decided to stop issuing construction permits and opera-

I believe that this decision was made without giving proper thought

rate in this country is running out of control primarily due to the high price of oil and our dependence on foreign sources for our

to the unacceptable conditions that would prevail if the permits

were not issued. If my information is correct, nuclear power is the cheapest power that we can use and on top of that our inflation

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HEAVY HAUL OIL FIELD The Honorable Harold R. Denton Director, Nuclear Reactor Regulation Office 1717 H Street N. W. BION AND STEEL Washington, D. C. 20555

ting licenses for nuclear power plants.

Dear Mr. Denton:

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for oil or operating nuclear power plants. From what I understand, production of nuclear energy is safer than the aforementioned sources of energy. Being in the trucking business the increase in the cost of diesel

As long as we have human beings involved we will never have a production

system of any kind that is 100% safe whether it be mining coal, drilling

Being in the trucking business the increase in the cost of diesel fuel has come home to me in a big way. I see nuclear energy as a weapon to reduce my dependence on a foreign supply of oil.

I strongly urge you to reconsider this decision by the Commission and to put things in proper focus. Do not give the same weight

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of opinion to something that has a 1,000 to 1 chance of happening as you would to something that has a 10 to 1 chance of happening.

Sincerely yours,

Sam N. Cole

Chairman of the Board

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