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Chairman John Ahearne
Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Sir:

John Stuart Mill (1806-1873) in his essay, On Liberty, made the following statement:

"Each is the proper guardian of his own health, whether bodily, or mental and spiritual. Mankind are greater gainers by suffering each other to live as seems good to themselves, than by compelling each to live as seems good to the rest."

The pursuit of life, liberty, and happiness by thousands of Central Pennsylvanians evidently is considered by the NRC to represent a lower priority than the relentless pursuit of "cheap" nuclear power by an inept electric utility.

I submit to you that the citizens of the TMI area consider our "inalienable right to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness" to be paramount!

Your continued support of the restart of TMI Unit #1 represents a contemptuous disregard for our lives.

Sincerely,

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