

To: Federal Nuclear Regulatory Commission,

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In the past you have taken a very responsible stand on the proliferation of nuclear technology. I sincerely urge you to use your executive powers in the intervention of Diablo Canyon, if it is granted an operating license. The people of California, specifically the 50,000 residents living within 12 miles of the nuclear reactors, have a lot more to lose -- in human life, if there is an earthquake on the Hosgri fault, than does Pacific Gas and Electric Co., by not being allowed to operate the plant.

Once again, we in our technologically sacred society, are faced with the decision of choosing the safety of people or the risks and profits of a large private corporation such as, Pacific Gas and Electric Co. Unfortunately the answer to this question is not as obvious as a humanist might hope. Please chose LIFE -- INTERVENE AT DIABLO CANYON and maintain our faith in you and our government of the people -- for the people -- for the people.

Sincerely in Peace,

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