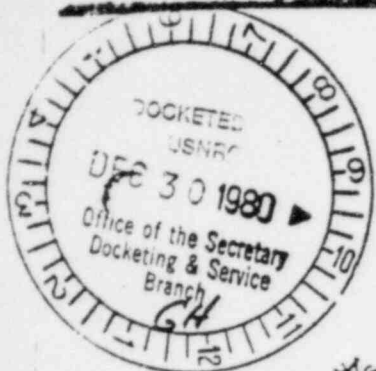


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Vermont Yankee nuclear power plant is not safe!
Right now twice as many spent fuel rods are in the storage pool as it was meant to hold. 3000 bolts in the piping support system are defective, as are 5 of 13 welds in the reactor water clean-up pipe. Deteriorating welds in the emergency core cooling system are being clamped instead of replaced. The dry well torus is still not fixed. Radio-active water is being dumped into the Connecticut River even though Vermont Yankee's discharge permit has expired.

The Vermont Yankee Decommissioning Alliance has called for an investigation and public hearings on these matters. Vermont Yankee should not be re-opened until they are cleared up.

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