SEACOAST ANTI-POLLUTION LEAGUE

Route 84 Hampton Falls, N H 03844

May 9, 1970

Dr S Hanauer Advisory Committee on Reactor Safety Box 62 Oak Ridge, Tennessee

Dear Dr Hanaver:

Regarding the work of your Committee in judging the safety of specific nuclear plant sites, please advise me as to whether or not the Committee has ever recommended a rejection of a proposed site. If so, has the powerfuled the Committee?

I have been told by a utility executive that ACRS has never rejected outright any given site. I'd be grateful to have this confirmed or otherwise by you, as an mindependent scientist involved in these matters.

Any documents you can supply will be especially Kelpful. For example, your statement in the Brown's Ferry site in which, if Novick (pp 84-85) is correct, you took exception to the Committee's recommendations....

Thanks in advance for your assistance.

Sincerely,

John W Parker

Public Information chairman

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Dr David Ohrent Argonne National Laboratory Chicago, Illinois

Don't Dr Obrent:

negaring the recommendations and final judgments on specific sites for nuclear power plants by the Advisory Committee on Reactor Safety (ACRS). I wonder if you can tell me whether of not the ACRS has ever rejected a given site. If so, has the Atomic Energy Commission overruled any such recommendation?

I'd much appreciate any advice you can offer in this matter.

Thinks and best wishes.

John W Perker

Public Informatio chairman

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SEADOAST ANTI-POLLUTION LEAGUE "Promoting a Quality Environment"

Statement of Policy

April 19, 1969 Revised on Nay 16, 1969

The public health, safety, and welfare are our primary cenearns. We are equally concerned with the intelligent use of the natural environment--land, air, water--for ourselves and for future generations.

We telieve that the commissial use of atomic energy for the generation of electrical power can be a threat to the above concerns. The State of New Einpehire must protect the health and safety of its citizens before permiting the building of nuclear power plants.

We believe that the proposed nuclear plant along the New Hampshire seacoast will man the beauty of an attractive, popular resert area, will do irreversible damage to a valuable estuary, and will jeepardize the considerable estuary and recreational benefits presently accruing from our seacoast.

We urge that a moratorium be declared on further construction of nuclear reword plants until reactor technology and proper governmental regulations, including adequate safeguards, are sufficiently developed.

SEACOAST ANTI-FOLLUTION LEAGUE is therefore organized to work toward straining two specific goals: a deferral of the proposed nuclear plant in Destrock and a vigorous opposition to any alteration or degradation of New Deschire's tidal nurshes and estuaries.

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