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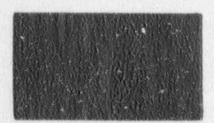
The attached communication is submitted for your consideration, and to ask that the request made therein be complied with, if possible.

If you will advise me of your action in this matter and have the letter returned to me with your reply, I will appreciate it.



Very truly your par Can Brack Brooks

Texas Minth District



923 Richvale Houston, Texas 77062 September 35, 1990

Sovernor William Clements P.O. Box 12428 State Capital Austin, IX 78711

Dear Mr. Clements:

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Recently a good friend of mine sent me some very disturbing literature. This literature stated that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and the Environmental Protection Agency were deregulating radioactive waste so that it could be disposed of more easily and at much less cost. According to this literature, the radioactive waste could be dimped into our landfills, be burned in waste incinerators (releasing radioactive wastes into the air), be transported all over the country with no restrictions other than those imposed on our garbage trucks, and be recycled and used in consumer products (thereby not only endangering the employees who manufactured the products but also passibly every one of us). This policy is called ERC (Below Regulatory Concern).

This literature further states that clean up of contaminated nuclear weapons plants, etc. would then not need to be done because the plants would be considered "clean" under this policy.

I have spoken to several people and no and seems to know anything about this policy. Can you help me out? Is this true? Do the NRC and EPA have authority to implement this policy? If so, can it be stopped?

Any help you can be to me on this matter will be greatly appreciated. This is too scory to be believable.

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely.

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STATE OF TEXAS OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR AUSTIN TEXAS 78711 November 13, 1990 WILLIAM P CLEMENTS JR GOVERNOR Ms. Sue Miller 923 Richvale Houston, Texas 77062 Dear Ms. Miller: Governor Clements appreciates your bringing this matter to his attention. However, since this is a federal issue, your U.S. representative can better assist you. According to my research, you reside within Congressman Brooks' district. By copy of this letter, I am asking that his office contact you directly regarding your concerns. I hope this int smation is helpful to you. Thank you for writing Governor Clements. Sincerely, Anne C. Robertson Assistant Director Governor's Office of Citizen Assistance ACR/1s cc: The Honorable Jack Brooks 230 Federal Building Beaumont, Texas 77701