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United States Senate  
WASHINGTON, DC 20510

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Mr. Dennis Rathbon, Legislative Liaison  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Mail Drop 17A3  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Rathbon:

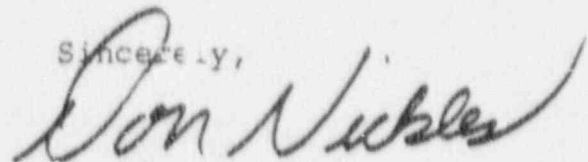
Attached is a letter from one of my constituents concerning a situation in which I believe you can be of assistance.

I would appreciate your looking into this matter for me. In responding to me, please direct your correspondence to the attention of my representative:

Julie Glass  
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Thank you very much for your cooperation.

Sincerely,



Don Nickles  
U.S. Senator

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Dear Senator Nickles <sup>918+487-5459</sup> ~~unlisted phone #~~

I saw you on T.V. news tonight, in regard to this Sequoyah Fuel plant here in Ga. There has been hundreds of deaths from Cancer and Leukemia here in Sequoy County over the past few years since that plant has gone in here. We can not get anyone to do one thing about it

My youngest sister who had three different kinds of Cancer, lung Cancer, Multi myeloma, and Basal Cell Epithelion Cancer. Went before judge John H. Frye II for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission at an NRC meeting in Selma on 12-9-86. She read him a four page letter on her Cancer and others, she had a map of Sequoyah County that she showed him of the highly concentrated areas of Cancer deaths in and around the Sequoyah Fuel plant. She died 12-13-87 along six more of our kin folk and several friends all with Cancer. yet on their death certificates

When she was taken <sup>II</sup> to the hospital in  
Sallisaw, they put down she died  
from Pneumonia. The Oklahoma  
State Health Dept. does its Cancer  
death survey, by what is put on  
the death certificates. if ever one  
here dies of Pneumonia or Hemeride  
how can you get an accurate count of  
Cancer or Leukemia deaths? it is  
my opinion there is Collusion  
Cover ups / pay offs, and has been  
for years. So please do us a big  
favor before ever one here is killed  
and Close this Sequoyah Fuel plant

You can't see a home, you can move  
off as some have and leave them  
or burn them up as there out of  
homes are done, but you can not see  
and get away. I do not believe  
the tax payers should be the one  
to clean up these hot plants  
like the Kerr-Duc Lee one at Curtis  
all we get from them is Cancer

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my husband has two different  
types of Cancer. I've had so many  
friends and relatives die of Cancer  
here, we all know this plant has  
been run in a sloppy way and  
the NRC has done very little if  
anything about it. I even have  
a letter from Mr. James M. Taylor  
Executive Director for operations for  
the NRC. in Washington, to Senator  
Boren on 12-21-1990, that he knew  
nothing about any data on Cancer  
here, this man is either a liar or  
has a case of the three monkeys  
Syndrome. or them "sweet old boys"  
out of Texas for the NRC has kept him  
in the dark of all the protest and all  
the meetings here on this subject  
for several years when they showed  
up for one of their staged meetings  
for Sequoyah Fuel.

Sincerely  
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