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The Division of System Safety  
Office of Nuclear Regulation  
Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Sirs:

According to information in the news media and reports received from N.R.C., the Consumers Power Company builder of the Midland Nuclear Reactor has notified N.R.C. of deficiencies in the construction of the plant. These defects, if uncorrected, adversely affects the safety of the plant's future operation. As an example, the sinking diesel building and the many other deficiencies.

These deficiencies as you can well understand build a psychological stress upon the Midland City and area residents and these effects will be greater than physical harm.

Under the deficient construction 10CFR50-55A gives N.R.C. authority to stop construction on the plant. Why has this not been done? Why has not N.R.C. stopped the construction? How does the public know whether the applicant has complied with 10CFR50-55E (1)(2)(3) modifying N.R.C. of the deficiencies in the plant's construction? We members of the area residents who live close to the Midland Plant will appreciate answers to these questions. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

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