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Dear Sir:

Thank you for the copy of the "Amendment to 10CFR21".

I would like to express my opinion of this document.



First of all, I wish to state that I am not a well educated man and therefore may not fully understand the intent. But for a Federal document to contain such mumble-jumble, I believe that not even the average intelligent and educated people could capture the true intent and meaning. I cannot for the life of me understand how some of our public officials could come up with garbage that is a total disgrace to the entire United States.

If this is a typical example of things to come and how well they are handled, I am thankful to have passed middle age so that I will not live long enough to see the collapse of what used to be a proud and wonderful country.

My understanding of this document is that the very people that this document should apply to are being excused. Why? Because these same people are "Big Business" with the power and money.

Please tell me why this regulation would not apply to the "procurement stage" for material being used (for example, Studs in a Nuclear Reactor) nuclear application?

Every manufacturer or supplier of nuclear fasteners is aware that one of the biggest problems encountered is obtaining mixed material from the supplying mills.

Your regulation even though the purchase order to the mill may spell out "nuclear" in big letters, would excuse the mill, but not the small manufacturer.

Along with this subject regulation and ASME Section III, other Nuclear Program documents, you will not find one mill in the whole country that fully complies with any requirement in its entirety, so why put these restrictions on people that are trying to make an honest living in business while excusing the mills - the very place where the collapse or disaster of a nuclear power plant, could be related to mixed or improper material.

Please! Come up with a revised document that is not like my insurance policy and have it include the supplying mills.

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