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Mrs. Shirley Jackson
Chairwoman, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
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Dear Mrs. Jackson,

I have been informed that Hydro Resources, Inc. (HRI) plans to produce and market nuclear fuel near the Navajo community of Crownpoint, N. M.

That means that the people of that community would be severely effected by proposed HRI uranium activities, esp. as their water source would be contaminated.

I basically question the need for uranium and I think that there is at present no need for new uranium mining within the United States. The People of the Navajo Nation in particular have been suffering from uranium mining for more than 50 years.

I urge you to do everything to stop the processing of uranium mining in the surrounding area of Crownpoint, N. M., and to respect the sovereignty of the Navajo Nation expressed by the decision of the Navajo tribal council that "no uranium activities should be done until such a time that the Navajo people can be assured that all safety and health hazards related to such activities can be addressed and solved."

Sincerely Yours

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