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**Session H3**

**Emergency Preparedness**

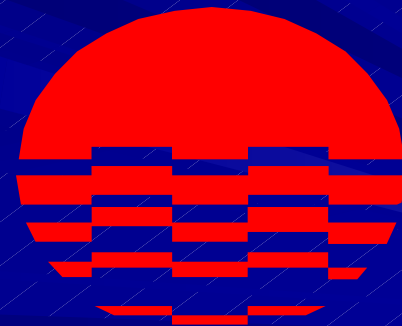
# Emergency Planning In a Post 9/11 Environment

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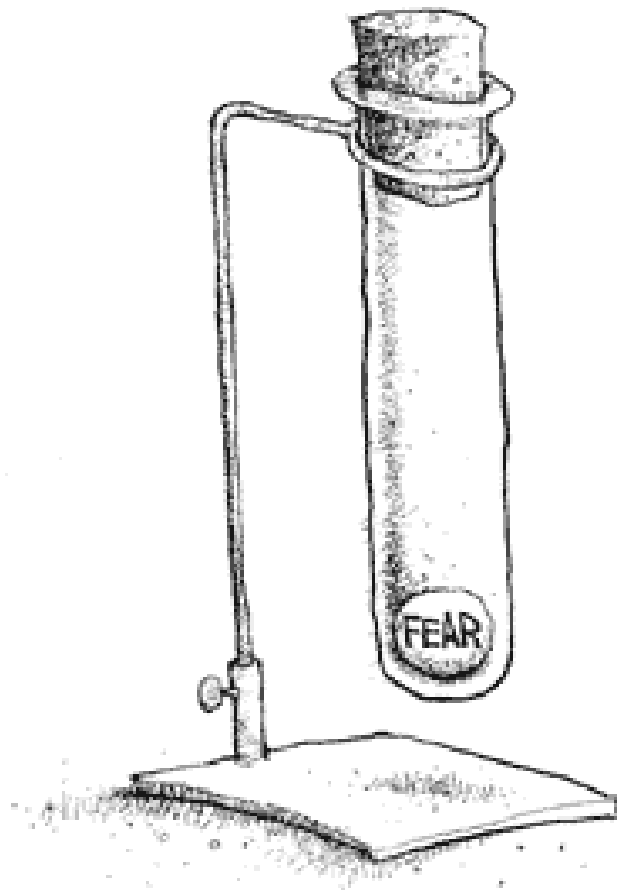


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# The Real Issues

- Manipulations by Fear
- Maneuvering of Politics
- The Media's role
- Realities of Response
- Benefits of Performance

FEAR



BIOLOGICAL WEAPON: SPREAD THROUGH HUMAN CONTACT.

# *To the Many Things to Fear at Indian Point, Add Fear Itself*

■ **By MATTHEW L. WALD - NY Times -  
Feb. 2, 2003**



Protestor stands outside Joint News Center at Westchester County Airport.

***NEW STUDY PREDICTS UP TO 44,000  
PROMPT FATALITIES AND 518,000 LONG-  
TERM DEATHS FROM INDIAN POINT TERROR  
ATTACK***

**Large Radiation Release a Major Health Risk  
for 20 Million in New York Area**

**Advocacy Groups Call on Federal and State  
Officials to Take Immediate Action to Secure  
Indian Point and Begin Planning for Plant's  
Retirement**

# ***Group Says Terror Attack on Indian Point Would Be Apocalyptic***

■ **By MATTHEW L. WALD**

Published: September 8, 2004 - NYTimes



# ***WESTCHESTER A Target on the Hudson***

- **By RORY KENNEDY**  
Published: September 5, 2004 - NYTimes
- THE Indian Point nuclear power plant in Buchanan is just 35 miles from Times Square. More than 20 million people live within 50 miles of Indian Point, which means that it is surrounded by a more densely populated area than any other nuclear plant in the country. You can rent a helicopter and fly over Indian Point for a close examination. No one will stop you, even though Al Qaeda members flew over Indian Point on Sept. 11, 2001, and even though the group was recently reported to have considered using hijacked tourist helicopters in New York City as weapons.

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# Politics

# The Political Play Book

- Focus on the next election
- Play it safe
- Leaders who follow
- Go with the wind



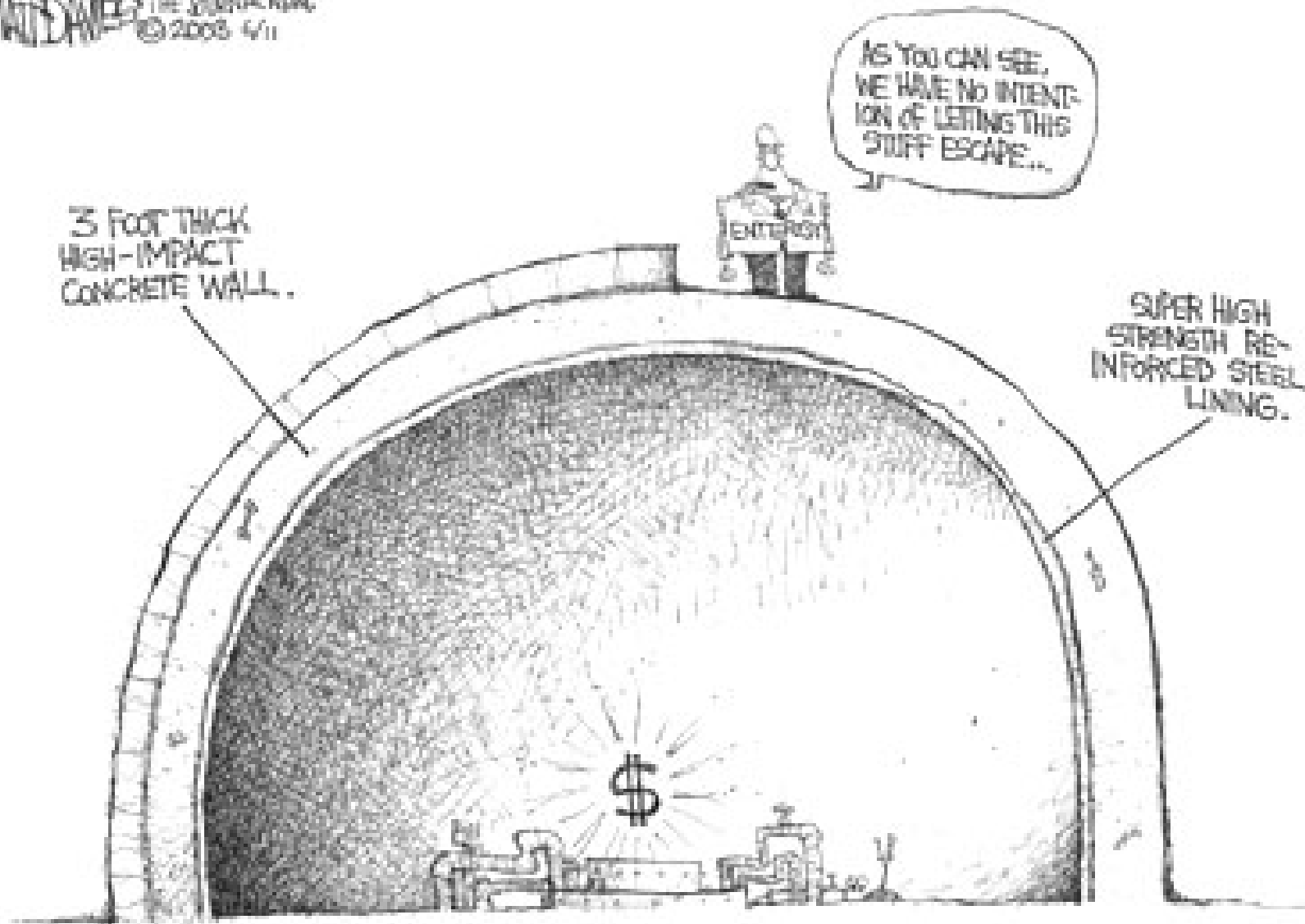
- "It makes no sense to have a nuclear facility there. I think we should close it when and as soon as we have alternate energy sources to substitute for the power that is currently being generated," said Spitzer, who is running for governor.

# The Media

# ***With Indian Point, region has its own Vesuvius***

- **By PHIL REISMAN**  
**THE JOURNAL NEWS**  
(Original publication: February 1, 2005)





INDIAN POINT CONTAINMENT DOME-CROSS SECTION.

# Response

# How Ready is your Facility?

- Have you tried to understand the real thing?
- I'm not talking about a drill
- Read Rudi Giuliani's book "Leadership" 1<sup>st</sup> Chapter on 9/11.
- How would your organization respond?

# Crisis vs. Consequence ?

- Crisis Management
  - Who's in charge?
  - Do your procedures address?
- Consequence Management
  - Is it the same?
  - How do you interact?

# Crisis vs. Consequence?

- How do they mix?
- Are you ready to handle both?
- Who's in Charge?
- How do you manage relationships?
- Can they communicate?
- Have you practiced?

# Security Related Events

- Plane
- Turkey
- Fireworks
- Rash

# Performance

Run your plant safely and  
efficiently and they'll have  
nothing to talk about!



# *Progress for Indian Point, and a Setback for Its Critics*

- **By MAREK FUCHS - NYTimes**

Published: March 10, 2004

In a setback and rebuke to opponents of the Indian Point nuclear plant in Westchester County, the Nuclear Regulatory Commission has pronounced the plant's two active reactors fit and has moved to reduce their level of oversight to standard from heightened.

**Engage the community!**

# ***Chamber: Keep Indian Point open***

- Westchester County Business Journal - 5/26/03
- By ALEX PHILIPPIDIS
- The County Chamber of Commerce has jumped into the Indian Point debate, concluding that the nuclear plants' benefits as an energy source and employer outweigh their risk to public safety and health.

# Demonstrated Performance!

# Officials Praise Performance in Disaster Drill at Indian Point

By MAREK FUCHS

Published: June 11, 2004

The New York Times

Friday, June 11, 2004 - Poughkeepsie Journal

**Feds say Indian Point handled drill well**

**Leak called unlikely; critics say it's 'a trick'**

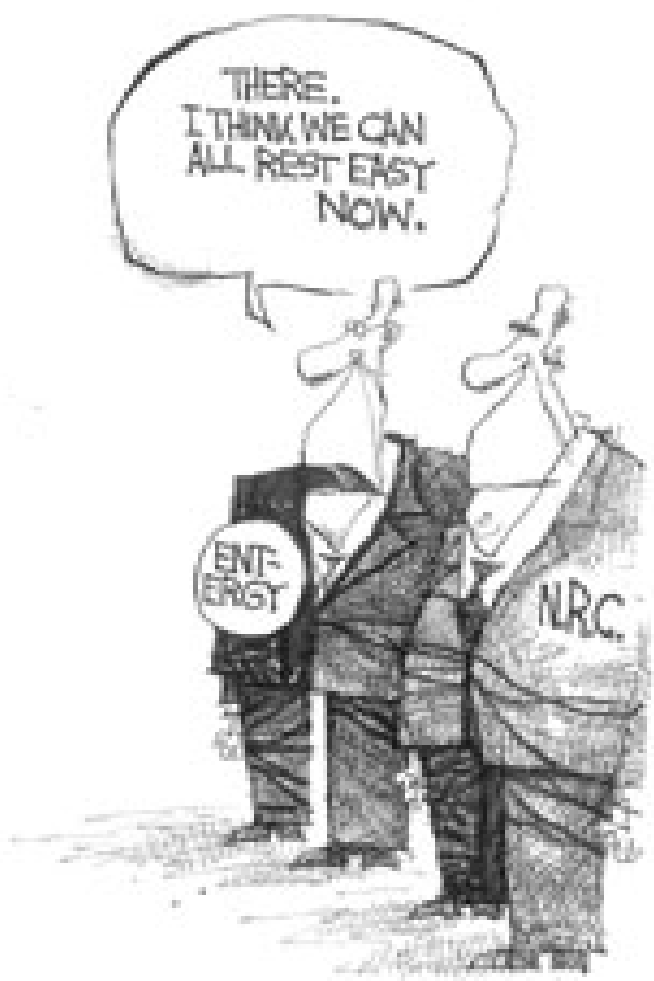
*The Associated Press*

## Indian Point drill praised, criticized

By SHAWN COHEN

THE JOURNAL NEWS

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# Perspectives