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To: Nuclear Regulatory Commission--Barry Zalzman 7-28-2003

Re: Environmental Impact Statement for License Renewal of Nuclear Plants

Subject: Support for NUCLEAR POWER

These misguided "tree huggers" who oppose to the use of Nuclear Power and think that solar, wind and others will be substitutes do not understand that the real issue is in the numbers. Those nuclear power plants turn out 2-3 billion watt-hours of power every hour of every day, night and day! That is enough for 2 million homes! California's power needs peaks at 45 billion watt hours. The alternative power sources are good for about 3-4 million watt-hours but only when the sun is shining or the wind is blowing. That is good for about 200 homes. 20 nuclear power plants would provide all the power needs of California for the foreseeable future.

While alternate power sounds good, it is in itself not sufficient to meet the present or growing needs of the California population! The story is in the numbers. Alternate sources can reduce the amount of fuel that is used by the present big power producers but they are no substitute for the 24 hour a day plants that we need to meet our daily requirements in the biggest state in the Union.

The accusations of the Nuclear Peace Foundation and the Mothers Against Nuclear ,etc. are hysterical and without any basis in fact. For 50 years now nuclear has proven to be the safest source of energy for both peaceful and military uses.

With the approval of the Yucca Mountain storage facilities by the federal government, there is no reason why California should not go full speed ahead with new and expanded nuclear power plants.

Nuclear does not pollute the atmosphere while providing our maximum power needs while using a minimum of land for power generation. Nuclear plants cover about 16-30 acres to generate the billions of watts of power while renewable sources must cover thousands of acres to equal one nuclear plant in power generation.

The source of power, uranium, is almost limitless. The U.S. controls the nuclear fuel sources not the Arabs. We have unlimited nuclear fuel sources in the continental U.S. With nuclear, the U.S. can free itself from any and all foreign threats to our energy requirements.

Those groups that are fighting nuclear fuel developments are really working for the foreign interests not for the U.S..

Our recommended solution to our power needs is nuclear plants to power electric homes, cars and trucks, and nuclear power for air and sea travel. We will still need oil and gas to produce all those plastics which we have all become used too.

Yes, it is true that nuclear power as well as other power is subsidized by the government through the Price-Anderson Act to spread the liability around but then so are many other things in government including many of the favorite environmental "tree hugger" causes. Concerned Taxpayers for the Initiatives for National Change(I.N.C.)

1. Supporting tax reform to the flat tax
2. Supporting energy independence for America

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3. Supporting the Repeal of the Endangered Species Act
4. Opposed to the religious cult of environmentalism
5. Supporting regional responsibility for the Middle East
6. Support the Second Amendment for family security

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