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SUBJECT: Comments on NUREG-0564. Objects to nuclear power as only
energy mode which has ability to alter lives of countless
people & many generations.

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SSLS NUREG-0564

OFFICE OF NUCLEAR REACTOR REGULATION

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Comm.

Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Sir:

Permit me to comment on
NUREG-0564 and its contents.

— on reference to page iii, SEC. 3.
PARA. E.

The risk associated with
accidental radiation is very
high

— at least 10 accidents have
involved nuclear power plants
or the radioactive fuel that
powers them in the last
four years.

— From files on 71 nuclear
power plants - 2,835 unplanned
reportable occurrences that may
threaten public safety were

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noted

— on reference to page 10; sec 6.
PARA. B.

The applicant is allowed to monitor all areas — himself.
— This in itself provides a "conflict of interest" situation for the utility.

— on reference to page xii — NEPA explanation.

The NEPA is violated entirely, by the very nature of nuclear power and the plants which provide it.

These plants leak radiation constantly and have the potential capacity of altering life which is generations away and unborn.

No other power source, (except nuclear), whether

Constructive or Destructive, has this specifically known ability to destroy, about or alter the present generation and those to come after us.

We, as a generation, have the right to determine what we shall do in our lifetime.

But we do not have the right to impose restrictions or maladies on future generations.

The spent fuel of these reactors provides a health hazard to all and any generation.

Cancer can certainly be created with radioactivity. If nuclear power is not harnessed, promptly and properly, this disease will proliferate rampantly.

Nuclear power, and its side effects, is the only thing that we can foresee in our lifetime, which has the ability to alter the lives of countless people, and who knows how many generations.

In good faith, I believe that my comments are 100% worthy of consideration.

Thank you,

Sincerely,

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