

January 17, 1976
21 N. Norman Avenue
Penns Grove, New Jersey

Atomic Energy Commission
Re: Salem 1 & 11
Nuclear Generating Station

Dear Sirs,

There is a growing concern in Salem County, not only over information that was not made public before construction began on this nuclear site, or the fact that the public was given no choice in the matter, but the continuing absence of a final, tested and revised state evacuation plan.

I realize that Wash 1293 Guidelines are not regulations, however, the absence of a viable evacuation plan renders the state guilty of not protecting the citizens of the state, and the utility, PSE&G, guilty of not pressuring local officials to formulate the plan.

Since the facility is scheduled for a trial run in April, and the evacuation plan is, as yet, not deposited in the designated location, (Salem County Library) said start-up is endangering the lives of the people of Salem County, and Federal guidelines are not being followed.

I therefore request a postponement until every precaution has been made to ensure the safety of the residents in this area.

Despite propaganda to the contrary, Salem County DOES care, and intends to make this fact common knowledge.

Deeply concerned,

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