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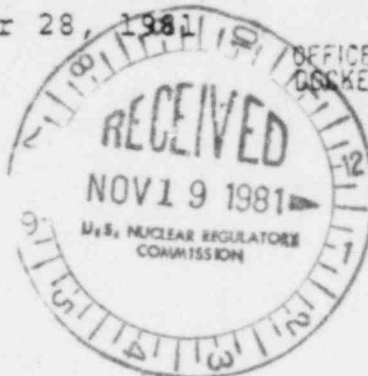
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Joseph M. Hendrie
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Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Chairman Hendrie:

I would like to urge the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to begin a full review of the safety measures for the Diablo Canyon Nuclear facility in California.

As you know, I have expressed serious reservations about the design and licensing of this plant for the past several years. In light of the new discovery of a second major design discrepancy at Diablo Canyon, this plant's ability to withstand an earthquake is very uncertain.

The utility involved, Pacific Gas and Electric should demonstrate to a team of design engineers that this facility and its safety systems will really do what the community expects it to do. There should be no cloud of doubt whether this facility can withstand an major earthquake. If doubt exists, I urge you to see that this license is revoked.

Diablo Canyon has been subject to widespread national controversy and I urge the NRC to undertake a full review of all plant safety systems so that there is no question as to the safety of the people in this area.

With kindest regards.

Sincerely,

Don Edwards

Member of Congress

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