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Mr. Nunzio Palladino, Chairman
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Gentlemen:

It is my understanding that on September 7th the NRC will make a determination as to whether or not Unit 1 at Three Mile Island should be allowed to return to service in the immediate future.

I write to urge you to act affirmatively, so that the substantial benefits of returning this unit to duty without further delay can be achieved.

It is time that groundless emotional arguments be rejected, particularly those by persons who are simply anti-nuclear energy, regardless of its form or use. Let us continue in efforts to give the people of our state information, background, and education, so that they may understand nuclear energy, and be better able to make informed rather than emotional value judgments. Re-starting Unit 1 will be a major step in that direction.

You should give notice that this valuable and safe source of energy should not be arbitrarily blocked from use--thereby denying positive benefits to society. Your action can demonstrate that this plant has been most carefully examined, modified, and improved, physically and staff-wise, to meet every reasonable concern.

Now is the time to act positively and set the wheels in motion for re-starting this important element of the northeastern energy grid.

Sincerely yours,

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