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Dear Mrs. Carmella:

In response to the NRC's The Federal Register 75 90-01 asking for input from people living around plants regarding emergency procedures, I do not see any possible way for the towns around Maine plants to be evacuated even if a system of notification could be worked out. The existing plans of evacuation are nothing short of ridiculous - full of unrealistic and ill planned procedures.

As regards to the 14 points:

- 1 The basic objective of emergency planning should be to be able to evacuate ALL the public. There should be a notification system about the amount of radiation that is released at all times.
- 2 I don't know NRC existing requirements for licenses and guidance for the State, but the fact that Maine Yankee was able to be built where it is demonstrates a lack of emergency planning requirements. All the people within a 50 mile radius at minimum should be able to evacuate with minimal geographical complication.
- 3 & 4 The NRC concurrence in emergency plans definitely should be a requirement for

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1. Continued operation of any nuclear plant with existing license and for issuance of any new operating license. This requirement should take place immediately.
2. Financial assistance should be provided to State & local governments for emergency preparedness so that a realistic, workable tested notification and evacuation system exists. These funds should come from the source of the problem - the nuclear plant operation - from the profits and not the consumer payments.
3. There should be a requirement on the authority of the State and local governments. Local government and citizens should be required to organize them with the state to oversee the organization.
4. The most feasible way I have heard so far to inform the public is through individual alarms installed in the homes.
5. There should be independent sensors that should notify local, state & federal agencies in that order of incidents. A daily report of radiation levels along with the weather should be required so people could make their own judgments of when to evacuate (e.g. pregnant women would want to be out of the area on a shut down day).
6. State and local governments should be primarily involved in emergency planning.
7. Federal agencies should interface with state and local governments and licensee during emergency.

1. Licensee should be required to provide training for state and local personnel with Federal government providing regulations.
2. The responsibility for assessment of actual or potential consequences of an accident should be the primary of governments. Licensee should have very little to do with monitoring their plants.
3. Public participation is absolutely necessary in emergency response drills.

Sincerely

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