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General Comment

I am concerned about the transfer of control of the licenses of Palisades Nuclear Plant and Big Rock Point Plants to Holtec. The reactor pressure vessel at Palisades has a history of being one of the most embrittled reactors in the country. Similarly the Pt. Beach nuclear reactor #2 in Wi. shares a similar history of embrittlement. I would like to see an "autopsy" of the Palisades reactor so that those of us that live in Wisconsin can learn more about the risks that come with embrittled reactors. I am also concerned about the dry cask storage at Palisades. Apparently there has been a defective cask for 27 years and it hasn't been repackaged into a new container. Why has this been neglected for all of these years? What will be done to remediate this problem?