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Dear Energy Commissioners:

I understand that the California Energy Plan calls for one third of California energy to come from alternative clean energy sources such as solar, wind, tidal power and conservation by the year 2020.

This is an excellent plan and if followed, we would be able to eliminate the seven percent of power now produced by nuclear power plants in the state.

After the disasters at Chernoble, Santa Susanne, Fukushima and others which released unaccountable amounts of radiation, it is in the best interests of the population to demand an end to these high risks.

It is unconscienceable to continue increasing the length of licenses from 40 years to 60 years when the plants have only lasted about 25 years and have now needed replacement steam generators and other questionable fixes. The costs of nuclear power are so great that no companies will build plants without the government subsidies which should not be approved where the risks to the public are great and the profits go to investors who have little or no safety or financial risk.

Nuclear power plants are required to produce nuclear weapons which experts have reported to be one of the most dangerous technologies threatening the survival of the human race. Why should we approve our own destruction?

Please hold another hearing for the public so we can express our opinions in a public meeting. Cordially,
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