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## 六ヶ所再処理工場は世界への脅威

11 月 12 日、世界 27 団体からの六ヶ所再処理工場に反対する公開書簡をお送りしました。11 月 22 日ウラン試験の協定が締結されましたが、その後も署名は増え続け、本日世界 28 ヶ国・地域 145 団体となりましたので、改めてお送りさせていただきます。

これは 2004 年 10 月 1 - 2 日、オーストリアのリンツでのシンポジウム、「平和利用の嘘 - 核兵器と原発 - ひとつのコインの裏表」の参加者、およびそれと連携する団体・個人の強い要望です。公開書簡は英文ですが、以下はその概略です。署名をいただいた方の中には、著名な専門家も少なくありません。

私たちは日本政府、地方自治体、および事業者に対し、危険で核拡散の恐れのある再処理工場とそれに向けてのウラン試験中止を強く求めます。

フランスのラアグ、英国のセラフィールド周辺では再処理による放射能が海洋を汚染し、近隣諸国から強く非難されています。また、再処理によって、放射性廃棄物もさらに蓄積していきます。

日本はすでに 40 トンもの余剰プルトニウムを保有しているとのことですが、プルトニウムは極めて危険な物質であり、日本でその実際的な消費の見込みはないということです。

8 月 9 日の美浜原発事故は私たちにとっても衝撃でした。1999 年の東海村事故、また原発の問題に関する多くの捏造や隠蔽についても聞いています。さらに日本は地震多発地帯にあり、六ヶ所再処理工場が巨大地震に襲われた場合は、長期にわたってその影響はこの地域のみならず、広く世界に及ぶことでしょう。

世界には 400 基以上の原発がありますが、2001 年 9・11 以降のより危険な時代にあつて、戦争やテロの標的をさらに増やすのではなく、安全で持続可能なエネルギーに転換すべきです。

私たちは、日本政府、地方自治体のリーダー、および事業者のみなさまが、住民や NGO の声を聞き入れ、予定されているウラン試験を中止し、プルトニウム政策全体を転換していただくよう強く望みます。

私たちは、核燃料サイクルを止めようとする青森県の住民と日本の市民の困難な闘いに連帯します。そして、日本の報道関係と政治家のみなさまに、核の狂気をきっぱりと終わらせるためのキャンペーンを強化されるようお願いいたします。

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December 10, 2004

## The Rokkasho Reprocessing Plant – A Menace to the World

Atomstopp International  
Nuclear Information and Resource Service (NIRS)  
World Information Service on Energy (WISE)

We of Atomstopp International, NIRS, WISE, and like-minded organizations gathered in Linz, Austria, for the international symposium, “The Lie of the Peaceful Use of Atomic Energy - Nuclear Weapons and Nuclear Power Plants – Two Sides of the Same Coin” held on October 1-2, 2004, wish to express our grave concerns regarding the up-coming uranium testing and planned operation of the Rokkasho Reprocessing Plant in Rokkashomura, Aomori Prefecture, Japan.

We demand that the Japanese government and local leaders reconsider Japan’s plutonium program and make the wisest, most courageous decision not to start up the reprocessing plant, which would be a menace to the world.

Similar facilities at La Hague, France, and Sellafield, UK, have been subject to claims and protests from neighboring countries because of the continuous contamination of the surrounding seas caused by the operation of those plants. It is a fact that reprocessing is an extraordinarily dirty and dangerous chemical process involving huge amounts of radioactive materials. It also results in radioactive waste of extremely long-life for which there is, so far, no safe solution for storage in the world.

This dangerous process originates from military purposes, separating bomb material from the spent fuel from nuclear reactors. There are more than a dozen cases in the world, for example India, Pakistan or Israel, where nuclear weapons have been developed or attempted from the so-called “peaceful use of atomic energy.” Even in South Korea, scientists have recently admitted to conducting illegal experiments on uranium enrichment and plutonium separation. From the viewpoint of nonproliferation and disarmament, plutonium separation as well as uranium enrichment should be generally restricted and on such a basis, operation of such a huge facility as the Rokkasho Reprocessing Plant should not be approved.

We are aware that Japan has already obtained 40 tons of plutonium stored at the facilities in France, Britain, and Japan. Plutonium is an extremely toxic and military substance, and leading Japanese NGOs have stated that there will be no realistic possibility for using plutonium, in fast breeder reactors or in conventional light water reactors as MOX fuel. Even separated reactor-grade plutonium can be used in a nuclear weapon!

We were horrified at the news of the August 9 accident at the Mihama nuclear power plant that killed five people. The record of seven fatalities, five in Mihama this year and two at Tokaimura in 1999, and various serious casualties at Japanese nuclear facilities is regrettable and extremely serious. There have also been many shameful incidents of falsification and cover-ups relating to nuclear power plants in addition to the concerns of seismic instability in Japan. If an accident, or an attack, were to occur at the Rokkasho Reprocessing Plant, the entire region could be affected by the disaster as well as the wider world for the foreseeable future.

Since September 11, 2001, the world has become a more dangerous place. Specifically, more than 400 nuclear power plants and relating facilities could be a potential targets of military action or terrorism. What we should not do is add to the danger by constructing or starting operations at such facilities, but instead phase-out nuclear energy and choose safe and sustainable energy.

We fervently urge the leaders of Japan to listen to the local voices of opposition, from both the public and NGOs, and immediately reverse the decision to conduct the uranium testing scheduled and also reconsider the controversial plutonium program entirely.

We act in solidarity with the local people of Aomori Prefecture, and the Japanese citizens engaged in the difficult task of stopping the nuclear fuel cycle – death chain of nuclear activities. We would also encourage the Japanese media and politicians to strengthen the campaign to stop nuclear madness once and for all.

Sincerely yours,

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***Nuclear energy is the worst, repeat, WORST way to create energy. In the US the amount of fossil energy wasted to discover, mine, transport, mill, enrich, fabricate uranium AND THEN build a plant to use it in IS NEVER RECOVERED OVER THE LIFE OF A PLANT, SINCE MORE PLANTS ARE SCHEDULED FOR CONSTRUCTION and will go through the same energy black hole. Nuclear plants***

**thus produce NO net energy and leave us with a legacy of death and disease which will continue through all of human history.**

**Japan is a smart nation: you should be setting the standard for solar and wind energies!**

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(原子力はエネルギーの生産方法としては、最悪です。繰り返して言いますが**最悪**なのです。米国においては、ウラン探鉱、採掘、輸送、精錬、濃縮、加工に膨大な量の化石燃料を浪費しています。そして、それからまた化石燃料を利用する発電所を建設すれば、**地球の寿命が尽きても、回復することはない**でしょう。なぜなら、**さらに多くの原発建設が予定されており、同じエネルギーのブラックホールが続く**のです。ですから、原子力発電所が生産するエネルギーは**正味ゼロ**であり、死と病気の遺産が人類の歴史に延々と続くことになるでしょう。

日本人は賢明な国民です。今すでに太陽や風力エネルギーの基準を設定しているべきです。

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We too believe that the Rokkasho nuclear fuel reprocessing factory should not be operated, and that uranium testing should not be done. The leaders of Japan would be wise to reconsider the entire plutonium program.

Please add us to those signing the NIRS/WISE letter.

Thank you for your efforts to phase-out nuclear fission electricity; and implement safe, renewable energy.

Dennis Larsen

(私たちも六ヶ所核燃料再処理工場は稼働させるべきではなく、ウラン試験も実施してはならないと信じています。プルトニウム政策全体を再考することが日本の指導者にとっては賢明といえるでしょう。どうぞ WISE/NIRS の書簡に私の署名を追加して下さい。核分裂による発電を廃止し、安全で再生可能なエネルギーを実施しようとする努力に感謝します。 デニス・ラーセン)

Based on the steadily mounting evidence that the adverse effects on human health produced by the inhalation and ingestion of nuclear fission products and small particles of uranium and plutonium in recent scientific papers that low-level exposures are hundreds to thousands of times more serious than expected on the basis of our experience with low dose diagnostic X-ray exposures or the studies of the effects of gamma radiation from nuclear weapons detonations, I strongly support the protest against the operation of the Rokkasho Nuclear Reprocessing Plant.

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(最近の研究報告では、低線量の被曝は、X線診断による低線量の被曝の経験や核兵器の爆発によるガンマ線の影響に関する研究を基礎にした予測よりも数百倍から数千倍深刻であり、核分裂生成物とウランとプルトニウム粒子の吸入摂取による人間の健康への悪影響を示す証拠が確実に蓄積されています。そのことから、私は六ヶ所再処理工場の稼働への抗議を強く支持します。

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