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## Resolution to North Carolina Attorney General Roy Cooper Regarding the Transportation of Spent Nuclear Fuel Rods Across North Carolina

Whereas, We support your effort as signatory to the October 8, 2002 letter of 27 Attorneys General to our Congressional leadership requesting accelerated assessment and accelerated subsequent legislation of security operations of civilian US plants in light of the tragic events of September 11, 2001;

Whereas, A significant number of Chatham County Citizens feel that an unnecessary risk accompanies the transportation of spent nuclear fuel rods from other nuclear facilities to our region of North Carolina;

Now Therefore Be It Resolved, that you as the North Carolina Attorney General exercise your authority and responsibility to halt the transportation of spent nuclear fuel rods to this region of the State until such time as revised federally mandated security measures are in place. We request this action in order to potentially reduce the risk of a tragic event that may compromise the lives, health, and property of North Carolinians.

Adopted, this 18th day of November, 2002.

ATTEST:

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