

Network Charter "Sortir du nucléaire" (Phasing Out Nuclear Power)

Considering:

- **ongoing global catastrophes** and the ones which occurred in the past, which create **unacceptable situations** for the world's populations and which permanently devastate entire regions,
- the growing risk of **major accidents** due to ageing power stations,
- the danger that present and future generations risk from **massive accumulation of nuclear waste**,
- health risks, linked to **radioactive pollution** involved in all nuclear reactors,
- the risk of nuclear technology being used for **military** purposes,
- the **prohibitive cost** of nuclear power (construction and decommissioning of reactors and the nuclear waste management)
- the **danger** to democracy that nuclear lobbies represent,
- the fact that France is the last country in Europe completely reliant on nuclear power

In this critical situation, facing growing risks of major accidents and military confrontations, in urgent need of new sources of energy and strategic orientations, we, the citizens, scientists, elected representatives, associations, businesses... demand an immediate and urgent civil and military nuclear phase-out policy.

We want:

- calling a halt to all projects concerning burial of nuclear waste,
- calling a halt to reprocessing spent nuclear fuel in La Hague and the use of plutonium,
- calling a halt to electricity export and all nuclear technology,
- calling a halt to the renewal of France's nuclear capacity,
- the shutdown of all reactors now functioning.

This is possible with:

- developing new ways to save energy,
- developing clean and job creating renewable energy options (wind mills, solar power, wood),
- during the transition period, relying on cleaner power options (gas-powered plants, industrial cogeneration...)