



SCOTTISH CAMPAIGN FOR NUCLEAR DISARMAMENT

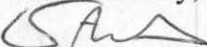
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TO George Foulkes MP
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SAFETY OF POLARIS SUBMARINES

Scotland Today has a story about serious problems with the reactor of the Polaris submarine HMS Renown. HMS Resolution was due to be formally decommissioned on 19 July. This ceremony has been cancelled and the submarine is now out on patrol, in place of HMS Renown. We have written to the Chairman of the Nuclear Powered Warship Safety Committee at the MoD asking him to demand that all Polaris submarines are kept in port while a full investigation is carried out. We would be grateful if you could raise this issue by letter to Malcolm Rifkind, with the press or as appropriate.

Yours sincerely,


John Ainslie,
Administrator,
Scottish CND

Attached:

Scotland Today article
Scottish CND press release
Letter to Chairman Nuclear Powered Warship Safety Committee

Exbrat from 'Cracking under pressure'

Letter from CSA