

Kudankulam reactors are Safe

There are reports in some section in the press regarding safety and security of people of Tamilnadu & Kerala due to the Kudankulam Nuclear Power Project, the following facts are brought out:

The VVER reactors at Kudankulam are robust, with proven safety and advanced, state-of-the-art safety features. Their safety was further enhanced by introducing an additional safety features for Indian projects. The Units have been set up to the highest safety in line with the stage-wise clearances of the AERB.

The safety of Kudankulam reactors was also examined by the Committee constituted by the State Government in 2012 and the Hon. Supreme Court while hearing the PIL against the project.

Another detailed review was carried out following the Fukushima incident, and additional measures provided to enhance the safety even further.

Kudankulam reactors are safe, and do not pose any risk to the people living in the vicinity.