

paper combine and the Nadvoitsy aluminum plant, have brought the region to the brink of environmental disaster. Comprehensive studies to analyze the water, atmosphere and soil are planned for an area of 1200 square kilometres.

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City of Archangel Declared a Nuclear-Free Zone

A session of the city soviet has decided to declare Archangel a nuclear free zone. From now on, all enterprises, organizations and citizens are forbidden to manufacture, import, transport or place any goods or materials containing radioactive elements within the limits of the city without permission from the Archangel Council of People's Deputies. All existing sources of radioactive radiation are subject to compulsory registration with the Committee on Nature Protection.

Gudok
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Dumping of Chemical Wastes at Krasnyi Bor Potentially Hazardous to Leningrad and Nearby Communities

The Leningrad television program "From Knowledgeable Sources "(Iz kompetentnykh istochnikov)" showed the hitherto secret Krasnyi Bor range, which is the dumping site for all sorts of toxic wastes.

The range has no facilities at all. Without any permit system and without any provision for accounting trucks loaded with mercury, lead and various other chemical wastes and poisons drive onto the site in broad daylight and simply pile all of the stuff together.