## Paraphrase Review

Write a paraphrase for a government report about the Fukushima accident.

The Commission has verified that on March 11, 2011, the structure of the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Plant was not capable of withstanding the effects of the earthquake and the tsunami. Nor was the Fukushima Daiichi Nuclear Plant prepared to respond to a severe accident. In spite of the fact that TEPCO and the regulators were aware of the risk from such natural disasters, neither had taken steps to put preventive measures in place. It was this lack of preparation that led to the severity of this accident.

## Source:

National Diet. (2012). *The Fukushima Nuclear Accident Independent Investigation Commission*. Tokyo: National Diet.

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