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The proposal to release radioactive contaminated materials such as soil into the public environment is insane.

Even the natural background radiation (eg radon) from natural rocks is known to increase the risk of genetic damage to a measurable degree. The fact that it is "natural" does not make it good, and any activity that artificially increases the radiation load to anyone is unacceptable.

You really have to find a better way to get rid of your waste, even though it will be more expensive.

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