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To Whom It May Concern:

I am responding to the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission's Federal Register notice dated July 24, 2007 regarding the scope of the proposed Generic Environmental Impact Statement ("GEIS") for in situ leach ("ISL") uranium mining.

I write to oppose a GEIS. The reasons are many.

First, the process by which the NRC arrived at its conclusion to draft a GEIS is fundamentally flawed. There was no public input about whether a GEIS is needed or desirable. Given the site-specific nature of ISL operations, the usefulness of a GEIS is dubious at best.

Also please be reminded that the toxic legacy of this current nuclear madness will be with us forever...all for a few quick bucks now!

Indigenous people all over the world, including Australia, are being harassed & targeted for unwanted uranium mines and nuke waste dumps. Shame on all of you involved, where is your respect for your fellow people, and our mother the earth.

What right do any of you involved in this crazy industry have to subject people to contaminated water for thousands of years into the future?

What gives the nuclear industry the right to take precious ground water from the wildlife and the people. We stand in solidarity with our brothers and sisters in the US in opposing this threat to our global future.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit my comments on this matter, and please keep me apprised of developments with regard to the GEIS.

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