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Kristin West [kwest102002@yahoo.com] Saturday, April 26, 2008 7:54 AM Secy Please Deny License Applications IW023 and XW013

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please do not allow the United States to import hazardous radioactive waste into the United States. We have no safe means to store the radioactive waste generated by nuclear power plants within our own country; importing even more waste would be inexcusable.

Please deny license applications IW023 and XW013. These applications would allow EnergySolutions to import some 20,000 tons - a million cubic feet - of radioactive waste from Italy into the United States. Energy-Solutions proposes to ship this waste into SC and LA, "process" it in Tennessee, where it could be incinerated, dumped in regular trash landfills, or "recycled" into consumer and industrial goods, and then ship the remainder to Utah for shallow land burial.

This scheme is fraught with unnecessary danger, would increase radiation exposures to the public, especially if the waste were "recycled" into consumer and industrial products, thus increasing our already high rates of cancer and other serious diseases, and would set a terrible precedent. The United States must not become the dumping ground for the world's radioactive waste. These applications must be rejected.

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The United States must not become the world's dumping ground for radioactive waste.

Thank you for your time and attention to this important issue.

Sincerely, Kristin West

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