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Dear Secretary Vietti-Cook,

According to the DOE's landmark report "20 percent wind power by 2030" wind power is not only competitive with fossil fuels, it is the fastest growing source of power in the U.S. today, even without long term subsidies.

Ditto for solar. We have been called "the Saudi Arabia of wind", and we have even more solar in our vast deserts and on every rooftop. Certainly South Carolina and Georgia have lots of sun, so why on earth are we building nuclear plants there?? It makes zero sense!

Nuclear power is the most expensive form of power in the world. No nuclear power plant in history has ever been built without massive government funding. It is too expensive and too dangerous to living beings and its waste too long lived.

In short, there is no coherent rationale for building nuclear plants beyond simple graft and corruption, which is what this fleecing of taxpayers for \$38 Billion is all about in the first place.

We can do so much better than that.

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