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IN THE MATTER OF

PROPOSED RULEMAKING ON THE STORAGE AND DISPOSAL OF NUCLEAR WASTE

PR-50, 51 (44 F.R. 61372)

(Waste Confidence Rulemaking)

STATEMENT OF POSITION
OF THE
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

The State of South Carolina welcomes the opportunity to participate in the above-referenced proceeding. As the State with the most active nuclear program South Carolina is vitally interested in the outcome of this proceeding concerning the proper disposal of radioactive waste. Accordingly, we have reviewed the bibliographical material offered on the subject and discussed it with State officials. However, due to the State's heavy involvement in regulating the transportation and disposal of radioactive waste, it is deemed prudent to decline comment at this time and reserve the right to enter a cross-statement at a later time if appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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