To: Legal and Constitutional, Committee (SEN);

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To whom it may concern:

I strongly oppose any location for a nuclear waste site and will make my opposition known at election time. Attempts to promote nuclear energy are fostered by the selfish demands of any energy greedy population with no regards for the health of the planet and the problems future generations will face with this waste. Global warming is no excuse for the adoption of nuclear power. There are alternatives. Although these are currently more expensive, this will become less of an issue with increased energy efficiency and with economies of scales of green technologies.

Responsible and righteous world leadership means making a stand against certain paths even when there is an easy way to profit from taking such paths (as is the case with coal and uranium). Besides, apart from large quantities of coal and uranium, we are also blessed with sun and surf.

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