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To the Committee Secretary,

Submission: Senate Inquiry into the Commonwealth Radioactive Waste Management (Repeal and Consequential Amendment) Bill 2008

The Commonwealth Radioactive Waste Management Act (CRWMA) must be repealed. Traditional Owners, affected communities, the NT Government and thousands of people throughout Australia say NO to a radioactive waste dump being imposed on the Northern Territory. Whilst the CRWMA exists, however, this opposition can be ignored. A radioactive waste dump will affect people's lives forever. Imposing it on people by way of an undemocratic process is completely unacceptable. It was a national Labor Party platform to repeal the CRWMA. Rudd committed to keeping all election promises - it is essential that this one be followed through.

Sincerely,

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