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To: Carol Hanlon
Dept. of Energy

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Dear Carol Hanlon,

This letter is in regard to the shipments of nuclear waste, coming from all over the country to Yucca Mountain, Nevada.

Simply put, the people don't want this proposed nuclear transport, period.

The radioactivity, in the fuel rods, will be given off for not only the duration, but for another two million years. (Consider half life) Irradiated fuel rods contain plutonium and enriched uranium. These components are what nuclear bombs are made of!

Another very serious problem connected with this transport, is the simple fact there has never been a container designed to contain the radioactivity.

If you add acts of terrorism or accidents, we could face a national disaster unlike we have ever seen before.

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I don't believe the D.O.E. has a right to subject so many innocent people to such a horror. Afterall, the D.O.E is a gouerment agency here to protect all the people.

Sincerely,

Julie Jones
Rock Hill, Mo.

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