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Sent: Friday, 18 November 2005 11:52 AM
To: EET, Committee (SEN)
Subject: Objection to proposed nuclear waste dump in the Northern Territory

To the Senate Employment, Workplace Relations and Education Committee.
I wish to register my concern over the way the Federal Government appears to be trying to railroad legislation to establish a nuclear waste dump in the Northern Territory through parliament. The brevity of this Senate Inquiry, as well as the government's failure to consider the rights and very legitimate concerns, either of the indigenous owners of this land or of the Northern Territory Government, is unacceptable. There may be some argument (other than because we can) for pushing through legislation and ignoring states rights where terrorism is concerned, but I see none here. This is a very dangerous precedent.

Yours faithfully,

Margaret Reynolds,