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NoNukeDump - Comments to the Senate Committee

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introduction: This submission has been generated from the Northern Territory Government website http://www.nonukedump.nt.gov.au and has been forwarded at the request of the author and on their behalf. The Northern Territory Government has provided our constituents with an opportunity to send their comments to you but does not take responsibility for any views expressed in the following email:

Submission To

The Chair of the Senate Employment, Workplace Relations and Education Committee Inquiry into the Commonwealth Radioactive Waste Management Bill 2005 -

comments: Australian Citizens living in the Northern Territory are experiencing extreme discrimination in so far as we do not enjoy States Rights. The Federal Government has used this fact to overturn the law dealing with the rights of the terminally ill to end their misery regardless of objections from the Northern Territory Parliament and it's Citizens.

Despite N.T. Citizens objections to having Nuclear waste stored here when previous studies recognised sites in other States,I believe it is gross opportunism on the part of the Federal Government to abdicate their responsibility to select the most suitable site for storage of nuclear waste but rather decide to leave a legacy for a future State of Nuclear waste moving across the Country's roads, rail and ports. This is a wrong decision which should be reconsidered now and not in some future time when the N.T. becomes a State and enacts laws to close down the dump.

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