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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: I do not approve of the arbitrary manner of the Federal Government in declaring the NT as the site for a nuclear waste dump, then to introduce a bill that precludes any hope of the NT to challenge, as SA did, is nothing other than bullying! Why not the vast empty areas of QLD, NSW, WA for the dump? Indeed the south west coast of Tasmania is equally viable for a nuke dump. Oh, let me guess, one successful challenge by a state gives immunity to the other states. We are a Territory and that makes us vulnerable to the sleazy tactics employed by this arrogant and thuggish Federal government. Yes, this an emotional plea. My pride as a Territorian has been hammered, from the farcical Shane Stone statehood agenda, the over turning of 'Rights of the Terminally Ill', to this particular outrage! The environmental consequences, the safety and security issues of transporting this waste such vast distances as well as the safety and security of a site all have potentially devastating long term consequences. Of this you are more than aware. DO NOT ALLOW THIS DUMP IN THE NT!!! This dump needs better security than isolation can offer.

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