

Hearing Docket

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 Subject: My Opposition to Energysolutions Importation of Italy's waste

TO: The Nuclear Regulatory Commission & All of Utah's Elected Officials:

I'm concerned that Utah based Energysolutions Company's proposal to import *ANY TYPE* of foreign Radioactive Waste will set an International expectation that our country, and in particular UTAH, will become the world's radioactive dumping grounds. PLEASE DO NOT APPROVE THIS PROPOSAL.

It's bad enough that Utah is becoming a dumping ground for US waste.
 (The town of Clive in Tooele County, Utah, is too close to the Great Salt Lake!)

However, I realize that we as Utah citizens have the barren land (only) for the possible disposal of radioactive waste generated from US nuclear powered plants.

I fear for my Grandchildren that if this proposal is approved, that as time goes on and The United States accepts Radioactive Waste from other parts of the world, that we will increase the possibility of experiencing a catastrophic transportation (at the very least beginning from the water port of entry, on to Tennessee, then onward to Utah) or other type of accident on US soil, or in the water around The United States, that will affect generations of Americans to come.

(The US will not have any control over what others could "hide" within their so called "low-level" radioactive waste being shipped to us!)

Not only should Energysolutions (and any other US based disposal companies) be barred from importation of any foreign radioactive waste, but they should also be mandated to dispose of and bury future radioactive waste (generated by US Nuclear Power Plants ONLY) at a site much farther away from a body of water such as the Great Salt Lake. (In the 80's I sailed on The Great Salt Lake..... *Would I dare go into that water now. Hell No!!!*)

In closing, **A NOTE TO UTAH'S ELECTED OFFICIALS:**

I am only aware of Congressmen Jim Matheson's position ("against") Energysolutions proposal to import foreign waste. I would appreciate Utah's other elected officials publicly stating their positions on this proposal, so I will know where to cast my future support and votes for these officials.

Respectfully,
 Ron Greenleaf
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