

Proposed Draft Nuclear Waste Policy Amendments Act of 2017

- Removes State and Local Rights
- Removes safety requirements for preventing radioactive leaks

Tell your elected officials to oppose NWPA amendment because it:

- Eliminates State and local control of water rights and other utility rights
- Eliminates State and local oversight of facility
- Eliminates requirements for site specific Environmental Impact Reports
- Eliminates requirements for Monitored, Retrievable Fuel Storage for preventing radioactive leaks
- Eliminates authorizations currently required by Congress and other checks and balances
- Eliminates requirement to prioritize safety and environmental protections over cost and speed
- Eliminates requirements to consider transport issues before selecting a site
- Some of these eliminations also apply to Issa Bill HR 474 (Consolidated Interim Storage)

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http://docs.house.gov/meetings/IF/IF18/20170426/105877/BILLS-115pih-DiscussionDraftofHR___theNuclearWastePolicyAmendmentsActof2017.pdf

H.R.474 - Interim Consolidated Storage Act of 2017

<https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/house-bill/474?q=%7B%22search%22%3A%5B%22scott+peters%22%5D%7D>

U.S. Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982

<https://www.epw.senate.gov/nwpa82.pdf>