



Greater-Than-Class C Waste Preliminary Comments for the Environmental Impact Statement

The Idaho National Laboratory (INL) Site Environmental Management (EM) Citizens Advisory Board (CAB) encourages the Department of Energy (DOE) to consider Yucca Mountain or the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP) and other deep geological repositories in preference to sites that already have a cleanup mission. Because of the nature of Greater-Than-Class C (GTCC) waste, which is highly radioactive, there is a potential conflict with the cleanup mission of sites such as INL. In evaluating sites, the environmental impact statement should consider the long-term cumulative effect of waste brought in to the cleanup site.