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Dear Ms.:

I respectfully submit these scoping comments on the Holtec International Environmental Report (ER) to bring up to 100,000 metric tons of spent fuel, high-level radioactive waste, from nuclear reactors around the country to southeast New Mexico.

This would involve hauling up to 10,000 canisters of radioactive waste, via rail, through communities across our state and then burying them on a 1,000-acre desert plot. This rail route passes near the Carlsbad sinkhole location, which is already a threat to the health and well-being of that community. Families in Carlsbad can't afford to compound the threat of the sinkhole by allowing Holtec to add transport of nuclear waste to the equation.

On behalf of the people, wildlife and water of New Mexico, please reject Holtec's proposal.

Sincerely,

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