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2... MY NAME IS MARY HALES 1020 LINCOLN ST. BOX 391 CALIENTE, NV. 89008  
A DECISION WILL SOON BE MADE ABOUT YUCCA MOUNTAIN, IT WILL BE MADE AS  
MUCH BY POLITICS AS FACT. THE NUCLEAR POWER INDUSTRY LOBBIES FOR A  
SOLUTION TO A PROBLEM THEY CREATED, THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT COMPOUNDED  
THAT PROBLEM BY PROMISING TO DISPOSE OF THE SPENT FUEL.

1... WE LIVE IN AMERICA, THE MOST ENVIED NATION ON EARTH, BUT ALSO THE MOST  
HATED, THE THREAT OF SABOTAGE AND TERRORISM MUST BE TAKEN SERIOUSLY  
BUT IS ONLY GIVEN TOKEN COMMENT IN THE DEIS. ONLY YUCCA MOUNTAIN AND  
THE 77 SITES WHERE MATERIAL IS STORED ARE EVEN DISCUSSED. NO ONE IS  
GOING TO BREAK INTO YUCCA MOUNTAIN AND TAKE A CASK. THE GREATEST RISK  
FOR SABOTAGE OR ACTS OF TERRORISM WILL BE IN TRANSPORTATION, THE GRAY  
AREA, MAYBE THIS OR MAYBE THAT, MAYBE HERE, MAYBE THERE.

TO MAKE A STATEMENT HEARD AROUND THE WORLD A TERRORIST WOULD'NT JUST  
FIRE A MISSILE AT A CASK, THEY WOULD HIJACK THE TRUCK OR DERAILED THE  
TRAIN CARRYING THAT CASK. YOU COULD'NT PUT ENOUGH GUARDS ONBOARD, OR  
IN FRONT OR BEHIND TO STOP A DEDICATED GROUP DETERMINED TO KILL AS  
MANY AMERICANS AS THEY CAN.

IT'S NOT JUST THE BEN LADENS OR THE KHADAFFIS WE HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT  
THERE ARE THE TIM McVEIGHS AND THE TED KAZINSKIS WHO WON'T HESITATE  
TO KILL OR MAIM THEIR OWN PEOPLE.

YOU CANNOT PROTECT RAIL OR TRUCK SHIPMENTS OF HIGH LEVEL NUCLEAR MATERIAL  
FROM TERRORISTS OR SABOTUERS, THEREFORE YOU CANNOT PROMISE SAFETY TO  
AMERICAS CITIZENS, WE'VE JUST BEEN LUCKY SO FAR.

2 cont. CONTRARY TO WHAT A FEW ELECTED OFFICIALS (NOW OR 20 YEARS AGO) WOULD HAVE  
YOU BELIEVE, THE GREAT STATE OF NEVADA AND THE MAJORITY OF HER CITIZENS  
ARE OPPOSED TO YUCCA MOUNTAIN, THE FACT THAT WE HAVE TO BE HERE TODAY  
DOES'NT SAY MUCH FOR NEVADAS RIGHTS OR LAWS.

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