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I request that these comments be made a part of the official record.

Incomplete health impact assessment.

1 • It is assumed that the only radiation health impact is one of cancer fatality, "latent cancer fatality". Cancer fatality represents only one of many radiation health impacts; other possible effects are premature aging, mild mutations in offspring, excess tumors, and genetic and teratogentic effects.

Please note: For your comment(s) to be considered in the Final Environmental Impact Statement, your comment(s) need to be received by the Department of Energy by February 9, 2000. To the extent practicable the Department will consider comments received after February 9.