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- 1 [-->We are particularly concerned about transportation since one route travels right through our area of Northeast Georgia. We find the DEIS lacking in clearly characterizing the risks involved. It should include site-specific data to show the effects of accidents, particularly in rural areas such as ours where the terrain would make it difficult to retrieve a leaking cask, or where sharp curves might cause accidents.]
- 2 [The great majority of the shipments would be spent fuel from nuclear power plants, very little of which have ever been shipped before. The routes should also be included in the DEIS., along with the number of shipments expected, the destination and origin.]
- 3 [Georgia has yet to provide training for emergency response personnel, and the DEIS does not specify what would be needed nor what the impacts might be in the event of an accident. Our local communities have no special equipment to handle rdioactive contamination.]
- 4 [The DEIS should identify specific minority or low-income communities along the routes that could be affected.]
- 5 [In general, the DEIS is difficult to read, difficult to understand, difficult to get through. We trust some editing will be done to make it accessible to readers such as our group. Thank you.]