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**From:** Barbara Ray <bfr4152@gmail.com>  
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**To:** Hernandez Maria  
**Subject:** SB 990

Dear Maria I. Hernandez:

I have sent the following letter to each of the members of the House Committee on Energy and Environment. Please make sure my testimony is recorded prior to the hearing on SB 990:

The high-level radioactive waste generated by the light-water reactors that are part of this system is identical to waste generated by the current fleet of 99 nuclear power plants in the United States for which there is no permanent disposal site.

Given that this reactor system is unproven and it proposes to generate the same waste that subjects other proposed nuclear power plants to the state moratorium, it makes no sense to ignore Oregon's voter-passed law. I urge you to oppose SB 990 or any other legislation with similar aims.

Thank you.

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