Comments

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There are other places to store nuclear waste, such as the underground nuclear bomb test site in Nevada, which is already saturated with nuclear waste and radioactivity. Seek alternative uses for spent nuclear waste. Fund creative uses of weaker radioactive material.

Response

The Yucca Mountain site, when it becomes operational, will be the nation's repository for high-level radioactive wastes. Transuranic wastes that are not high-level wastes would be disposed of at the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant in New Mexico. Hanford, Nevada Test Site, and certain other major DOE sites will be used for disposal of LLW and MLLW.