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Mr. T. Christopher Wright  
3100 Thomas Avenue N.  
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Dear Mr. Wright:

Thank you for your letter urging that the federal government consider building a nuclear waste repository on the site of former nuclear weapons testing grounds. I appreciated your taking the time to share this proposal with me.

As you know, the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) is now in the process of planning for at least one repository to store the nation's high-level radioactive waste in the future. I have shared a copy of your letter with the DOE and requested that the agency comment on your proposal. When I receive a response from the DOE, I will share it with you.

Sincerely,

Martin O. Sabo  
Member of Congress

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