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MR. SULLIVAN: I don't really have a comment prepared. I do plan on submitting a written comment.

1 Um, I just wanted to say that -- I don't know. [The whole Yucca Mountain thing is kind of screwed. We
are talking about 10,000 years that they are saying that we are willing to, you know, invest time and
interest into this whole thing. They haven't said anything after the 10,000 years, although they do say that
high-level waste lasts for 250,000 years, so I would like the final DEIS to address the fact that radioactive
waste lasts that long.]

2 [I'd like the DOE to tell us how much money they are receiving from the nuclear industry to do this
project. I think they are getting, you know, lots of millions of dollars. In the 2001 budget for the United
States government, we are going to be spending 300 some odd million dollars on Yucca Mountain alone
and 90 million for weapons production, and maybe 20 on weapons production and 90 million on the
3 waste. [And why aren't we dealing with the waste? Why don't we stop producing it? I think the DOE
needs to present a side of not just no action, but, you know, stop making the waste, look at what you have.
You know, add it all up, see what the metric tons are of what's out there, because by the time they actually
get the waste to Yucca Mountain, we will have that much more -- you know, we will have to deal with it.]

4 [And they say they have another repository that they can build or whatever. They have got to deal with it;
but that's not going to stop the waste production. All we are going to do is give the nuclear industry an
excuse to create more waste, and I would like for them to address the seriousness of this decision on
whether or not to go forth with Yucca Mountain or to, you know, deal with it in whatever ways possible.

5 Right now none of us will be alive, you know, when it actually comes down -- when the problems start to
happen. You know, there's not any -- [I can't think of any man-made material that will last 10,000 years
other than the radioactive waste that they are going to be putting in these canisters, so I would like for
6 them to, you know -- I want to know what they are actually going to be doing, you know. [Because they
keep lying to us. The DOE lies all the time. I mean, I think they should address the fact that they lie.
And once you tell a lie, you can't, you know, you can't have trust from the people that are paying for their
jobs.]

7 So I think that's pretty much it. And I would just like to reiterate, [stop producing the waste. [Hold the
8 nuclear industry accountable for the waste that they have made and, you know, make them pay for it, not
me.]

MS. SWEENEY: Thank you, sir.

FACILITATOR HOLMES: Thank you.

Lou De Bottari, and John Charff is next after him.