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**Consolidated Interim Storage (CIS)**

**From:** Ted Quinn  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 07, 2018 9:45 AM  
**To:** 'David G. Victor' ; Manuel Camargo ; Maureen Brown ; Tom Palmisano ; 'Dan Stetson'  
**Subject:** (External):FW: Proposed N.M. storage site could start taking used fuel by 2021

Great news on the New Mexico site!

Best regards,

Ted Quinn  
ANS Past President  
IEC SC45A WGA9 Convenor  
President, Technology Resources

**From:** Nuclear Energy SmartBrief  
**Sent:** Wednesday, March 7, 2018 7:10 AM  
**To:** Ted Quinn  
**Subject:** Proposed N.M. storage site could start taking used fuel by 2021

*Attachment:*

*1 - Fed regulators look at New Mexico as a site for nuclear waste. Will it take San Onofre's?, San Diego Union Tribune, March 6, 2018*

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**From:** Ted Quinn  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 06, 2018 8:18 AM  
**To:** 'David G. Victor' ; Manuel Camargo ; Maureen Brown ; Tom Palmisano ; 'Dan Stetson'  
**Subject:** (External):FW: Will We Actually Get A Place To Store Our Nuclear Waste?

Good article on the acceptance by NRC of the HOLTEC application for CIS!

Best regards,

Ted Quinn  
ANS Past President  
IEC SC45A WGA9 Convenor  
President, Technology Resources

**From:** Jim Conca  
**Sent:** Tuesday, March 6, 2018 8:10 AM

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**To:** Van Snyder  
**Cc:** Jeff Tollefson  
**Subject:** Will We Actually Get A Place To Store Our Nuclear Waste?

**Will We Actually Get A Place To Store Our Nuclear Waste?**

It certainly looks like it. The NRC accepted Holtec's license application for its proposed centralized interim storage facility for spent nuclear fuel. To be located in NM, the facility would store spent nuclear fuel until a final disposal facility is built or until we build our new fast reactors that will burn it.

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/jamesconca/2018/03/06/will-we-actually-get-a-place-to-store-our-nuclear-waste/#2fb066d923a0>

*Attachments:*

*2 - Will we actually get a place to store our nuclear waste?, Forbes, March 6, 2018*

*3 - NRC letter on Holtec International's Application for Specific Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation License for the HI-STORE Consolidated Interim Storage Facility for Spent Nuclear Fuel – Accepted for Review, February 28, 2018*

**Other Attachments on Consolidated Interim Storage:**

*4 - The quiet fight to finally send nuclear waste to Yucca Mount, Washington Examiner, March 13, 2018*

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**Transportation**

**From:** Tom Palmisano  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 13, 2018 8:31 PM  
**To:** Manuel Camargo ; ALBERT BATES  
**Subject:** Interesting lessons learned article on shipping spent fuel

Manuel & Al,  
Attached is an interesting article on the shipment of commercial spent fuel from the West Valley New York reprocessing facility to Idaho.

Manuel: for future CEP reading.

Tom

*Attachment:*

*5 - Lessons Learned from the West Valley Spent Nuclear Fuel Shipment within the US, September 2004*

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## Used Fuel Management

**From:** Tom Palmisano  
**Sent:** Wednesday, February 07, 2018 1:59 PM  
**To:** ALBERT BATES ; Manuel Camargo  
**Subject:** FW: (External):NRC Responses to Questions re: Oyster Creek

Al & Manuel,

Attached is part of a NRC response letter to Sen. Booker over questions he asked related to Oyster Creek's closure and spent fuel storage. The questions and responses are good information to share with our CEP.

Tom

**From:** Tim Smith  
**Date:** Wednesday, February 7, 2018 at 3:18 PM  
**To:** "Mr. Bob Capstick" , "Mr. Lake H. Barrett" , "Mr. Loren Sharp" , "Mr. David M. Gilbert" , "Mr. Wayne Norton" , "Mr. Brian D. Rude" , "Ms. Jacqueline Carney" , "Mr. Steven Scheurich CAE" , "Mr. David C. Brown" , "Ms. Allison L. Graves" , "Mr. Michael S. Callahan" , "Ms. Jessica C. Hogle" , "Mr. Joe Fay Esq." , "Mr. Eric Howes" , Amy Pressler , "Mr. Michael P. Gallagher" , "Ms. Elizabeth Whitney" , "Ms. Phyllis Dixon" , Qiana Charles , "Mr. Paul Paradis" , "Mr. Michael B. Sewell" , Matthew Miller , "Mr. John Gordon" , "Mr. Jeffrey A. Dunlap" , "Ms. Harmony Barbera" , "Ms. Donna Kahler" , "Ms. Cheryl Olson" , "Ms. Carol Peterson" , "Mr. Brad Gacke" , Tom Palmisano , "Mr. Thomas Craig" , "Mr. Terry Hobbs" , "Mr. Rob M. Palmberg" , "Mr. John Carr" , "Ms. Colleen K Moss" , "Mr. Anthony Orawiec" , "Mr. Corey R. Daniels" , Dan Tallman  
**Subject:** (External):NRC Responses to Questions re: Oyster Creek

Just as an FYI for everyone, attached are responses the NRC has transmitted to Senator Booker (D-NJ) regarding several questions about the planned shutdown of Oyster Creek. Do not believe there is anything startling in here, either as relates to questions or responses, but typical of "baseline" inquiries from Congress to agency about plant closures.

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Tim Smith  
Governmental Strategies, Inc.

*Attachments:*

*6 - NRC response cover letter to Senator Cory A. Booker, December 14, 2017*

*7 - NRC response to request for information from Senator Cory A. Booker, December 14, 2017*

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*Additional Attachments:*

*8 - Mayor of San Clemente letter to Senator Kamala Harris regarding San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station, February 7, 2018*

*9 - Forbes: Emergency Managers are well prepared if a Fukushima-Like Nuclear Incident Happens in the US, Feb 25, 2018*