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SD Department of Environment and Natural Resources
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523 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501-3182

Dear Sir:

Please accept this letter as a written objection to approval of an application by Powertech (USA) Inc., from drilling 30 exploration and condemnation holes for uranium in the Inyan Kara Formation located approximately 13 miles northwest of Edgemont, SD. To my knowledge, this company is asking for more permits to drill when, as promised, they have not cleaned up from prior sites! This alone should be a red flag as to what PowerTech will do in the future.

I will not be able to attend the hearing and wish that my strong objection to this project be accepted per this letter.

Thank you.

Sincerely,



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