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Dear Chairman McColley, Vice Chair Schuring, Ranking Member Martin and members of the committee,

I am writing in opposition to HB434. My tax money has many more pressing and useful ways to meet the needs of Ohio than advancing nuclear power.

Nuclear generated electricity is already far more costly than proven sources such as solar and wind, etc. Environmental, safety, and resultant nuclear waste concerns urge us to oppose it.

The lack of oversight and the murkiness related to HB434 and the unbalanced board it would create are huge red flags for any responsible person to see.

HB434 will not benefit the citizens of Ohio. It will only benefit special interests. I see no good that can come of it—only waste and liability that will be underwritten by citizens and government divorced from the special interests that will profit from it.

Sincerely,

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