
GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP AND SPENT FUEL MANAGEMENT IMPLEMENTER'S VIEW

-
-
- The Nuclear Fuel Cycle Closure is the Key for the Nuclear Renaissance
 - There will be no Further Nuclear Power use without Spent Fuel / HLW Repositories

UNFORTUNATELY

This is also known to nuclear opponents

- *THEIR STRATEGY OFTEN AIM AT DISRUPTING REPOSITORY PROGRAMS*
- *THE FEAR OF WASTE IMPORTS IS OFTEN INSTRUMENTALIZED*

-
-
- International Repositories appear to be unfeasible in the Short / Medium Term

NO HOST COUNTRY

- ARE THERE ANY ALTERNATIVES?

Yes, provide technical assistance for backend closure instead of disposal services

→CATT (Cooperation and Technology Transfer on WM for member states with small programmes)

→SAPIERR

-
-
- When national repositories become available the issue will cool down
 - Spent fuel transfer from the small and the poor to the big and the rich will then become accepted
 - This will not happen during our lifetime

Why not start with disused medical sources from developing countries?