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Dear Rear Admiral Scarce

Terms of Reference

I write to tender my submission regarding the Terms of Reference for the Royal Commission into Nuclear Industries. For years I have been an advocate for a modern and safe nuclear industry in our State.

The Royal Commission should have scope to consult with a broad range of South Australian industries. Our state has one of the largest uranium deposits in the world, complete with the skills and technology required to play a role in the nuclear fuel cycle. A high-tech nuclear waste facility in SA has the potential to provide enormous economic benefits and should also be investigated.

I would also encourage the Royal Commission to look into the possibility of thorium-based nuclear power. Thorium, a non-fissile material, has potential advantages over uranium such as reduced waste and cannot be refined for weaponisation.

I look forward to seeing the progress of the commission's work with great interest.

Yours sincerely

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