

To whom this may concern,

I hope this email finds you well.

I am a citizen of this great country that we call Australia. You might ask what makes Australia unique. I can proffer one suggestion: honesty. A fair go. There is nothing more Australian than that.

Ask yourself this question: is Nuclear being fairly treated? I would be surprised to find one person in your organisation that would answer "yes".

Imagine if as a country we took the same approach in our court system. Would you want to live in that world? Why do you expect the courts to dispense fairness, but you, as a political entity, do not implement a fair process? Whatever your justification is, it is not valid. No one or thing should ever be prevented from fair self-advocation. The only explanation is politics, and if that is the case you should be ashamed of yourself.

All I ask is for Nuclear to be fairly judged on its merits, and with reasonable cost assumptions. This includes a real analysis of Gen III+/IV and SMR reactors. The hysteria around Nuclear is patently insane, it is your job to be the bulwark to this madness.

At the end of the day you must all reflect on the outcome. If Nuclear is not given a fair go, the consequences of this decision lie at your feet, no one else. History will not view you kindly.

Kind regards,

James Coppe