Gentlemen:

Please be advised that as a retiree from the fossil fuel power generation industry the case for moving rapidly toward construction of alternative sources of power is in the national and public interest.

For far to long this country has ignored the reality of Arab oil dependency because of costs. In my opinion, we have stood by and rationalized two wars to insure an uninterrupted supply of oil. Wind power will incrementally reduce air contamination and Arab oil dependency.

The technology is here and now and will create employment. The employees that will be involved with wind generation will not get cancer from breathing furnace gas as I have. Like my former work associates who have died from cancer early, I am sure that I have shortened my life by working in the fossil fuel generation industry.

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