

Table J-2. DOE responses to comments on Draft EIS (continued)

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<p>TESTIMONY OF SAM SCHILLACI APRIL 30, 1986, BEFORE THE ALTERNATIVE COOLING WATER DRAFT EIS PUBLIC HEARING</p>		
AK-1	<p>I was just going to state about the same thing I stated last time, which you can read in the documents that went out. But, just to kind of briefly go over it, I'm a former employee with Savannah River Plant, and I was retired because of mental problems, and I question everybody here for listening to me, because I'm insane. But, that's beside the point. I did get a pension from the government, so I can't complain. O.K. My stress was brought on because of all the stress that the government, any government employee, can tell you about. Well, anyway, I had six months off without pay, and had time to think a lot, write, which I enjoy, and also I went into business for myself, which has been a plus for me. But, I'd like to correct the grammar here, on the statement, It says, "I like to drink a lot," but that's wrong, "I like to think a lot." I do drink a little bit, not much, but, really, I can't complain. And see, the reason, because my insanity is because I talk to the powers that be. And this accident that happened recently, we really shouldn't worry, because mankind usually works itself out for the best. And all she's wondering about is she would like to have a pony someday. (sic) Way in the future, plus some land to ride it on. But, anyway, that's the insane part. The only thing different I wanted to add today, if I could, is read one of my short stories if that's possible.</p> <p>And I wrote it—I'd like to be a cartoonist someday, but I doubt if I am—I'll just show you, this is an album cover that—I'll show it to the back of the room, here---it's a couple of men. And</p>	Comments noted.

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	<p>they look like they're men from Earth, and that's the name of the album cover, but we've got a problem with the world today. There's a lot of men in the world, plus women. But, this is my short story about these two people that I made up.</p>	
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	<p>THE KINGDOM OF SOD or A COUPLE OF SONS OF MEN FROM THE GEORGIA BACKWOODS</p>	
	<p>"Hell, Luke, whereabouts we be delivering all this god-durn hay?"</p>	
	<p>I hate to be so dramatic, but I...</p>	
	<p>"Some durn fool wants it for the land and the stinking horses."</p>	
	<p>"Luke, here I am suffering and dying while this here vomit feeds horses with our blood!"</p>	
	<p>"I know, I'm sick and tired of it. Horses are for working, anybody can tell you that. Not for tickling somebody's underpanties. Even Will Rogers knew that an airplane would take him to heaven. There's just too many snakes in the heads nowadays. Hell, we're all just living on a dream and a prayer. Just like this god-durn government and this kingdom of sod or whatever it is these sons of gad preachers are talking about."</p>	
	<p>"Well, hell Luke, let's say we burn this god-durned hay, and then we get rid of that durned fool and take the land. Then, we could live in that durned farm house like we was virgins."</p>	
	<p>Marco--that's the other guy's name, I named him Marco.</p>	

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	<p>"I'm hungry for action. I'm sick and tired of this nowadays love. Let's get a moving."</p>	<p>I speak crazy a lot, but to me it makes sense. But, anyway, I'd like to just stress to the government that they should really take their time with all their plans, and sometimes they think too much, and maybe a sabbatical will help some people. Who knows. It's up to the individual. I know it's not all for some people, they're in it for the money. But, for other people like myself, I'm here for a good time. So, to end my story, here, I'll repeat my demands, but I've reduced them a little bit. I'll take a quarter of a million dollars, a reporter named Lois, and an Indian princess probably named Lily, and I don't care about going to New Zealand, because they've probably got reactors down there anyway, and I'll shut my mouth. But I think the plant won, because my father came to move me back to Birmingham. Thank you. I have been a thorn in the side of the plant, and they can attest to that, too.</p>