

**Talking Points by Lucy M. Knowles, Chief Counsel
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Natural Resources Defense Council et al v. South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control et al. (South Carolina Administrative Law Court, 2007)

- **Appeal of SC Landfill Permit for Saltstone Disposal Facility**
- **Automatic stay when appeal filed - potential 9 month delay in processing salt waste**
- **Also possibility of follow-on litigation in state and federal court**
- **Settlement signed and processing started - delay reduced by at least 3 months**
- **Recent (9/09) visit and tour by NRDC very successful**

Aiken County v. DOE

- **Suit filed in 2005 because of delay in building MOX facility**
- **DOE'S motion to dismiss granted because DOE had no imminent plans to ship Plutonium**
- **Discussions with County after EM decided to ship to SRS (2007)**
- **Agreement to stay case with six months review**
- **Tour in 2009 to show progress on MOX**
- **Case dismissed in 2009**