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[EXTERNAL] Arctic Refuge

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Please register my opposition to the Trump Administration plan to open up Alaska's pristine Arctic Refuge to oil drilling. The obvious risk to wildlife habitat and irrevocable environmental hazards are shortsighted and reckless, and far outweigh any gains in our nation's oil reserves. History tells us that accidents will happen despite well-laid plans. Please do not risk the inevitable on our watch!

The challenging problem of smart energy production requires progressive, creative solutions. Now is precisely the right time for leadership to step foot into clean energy research and production, instead of relying on finite resources like oil and gas supplies. Our future must not be dictated by large oil company lobbyists who aim to squeeze every last drop of oil from our unspoiled public lands. Research and development into clean energies such as wind, solar and alternative fuels would provide job creation, new economies and engender pride and confidence in America's future for generations to come. I strongly encourage this leadership and commitment to our future, and oppose any regressive action towards oil drilling in the Arctic Refuge. Please hear my voice!

Respectfully yours,
Jennifer Kennard