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Dear Sir,

Would like to express our opposition to the increasing federalism that seeks to prohibit states from reviewing and taking action against projects in their waters. Many resources have been expended to provide pollution control and limit trash dumping in the North East States on the Atlantic Ocean.

We believe that proposed changes in the Coastal Zone Management Act are just another effort by the Federal Government to create another bureaucracy who has no concern over state's rights and the economic benefits of tourism that can be destroyed by unilateral action.

Your efforts to preserve the present legislation would be welcome by those of us who live close to the sea and appreciate its' beauty and cleanliness.

If the U.S. is so short of fuel perhaps they can consider the Athabaska, Canada Tar Sands or Colorado Oil Shale as a source of crude oil or expend further National Resources in developing Fusion Power that would make Hydrogen Fuel a reality.

Thank you,



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Cc: Clean Ocean Action  
NJ Governor James McGreevey

