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FYI...from a nuclear trade publication...

For the National Nuclear Security Administration, the House and Senate bills provide essentially the \$12.9 billion the White House requested. Both bills deny the White House's request to cancel the Mixed Oxide (MOX) Fuel Fabrication Facility at the Savannah River Site near Aiken, S.C., but the House bill provides more money for the plant in 2017 — \$340 million, compared with \$270 million in the Senate proposal.

Meanwhile, while the Senate's bill would provide some \$60 million for the White House's consent-based siting effort for high-level nuclear waste-disposal, the House bill rejects that effort entirely and instead would provide \$170 million to carry out licensing activities for Yucca Mountain. DOE maintains Yucca Mountain, effectively cancelled by the Obama administration in 2010, is unworkable.

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