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To the NRC:

You have asked for comments concerning the control of nuclear waste of various kinds.

I am horrified at any hint that nuclear wastes might be recycled, reused, or otherwise -- in any form -- allowed to come into contact with our people, our air, our soil, or our environment.

Decades of experience with nuclear waste and byproducts have shown that they are unspeakably dangerous! Please do not relax your standards or allow these wastes to be recycled or re-used, period.

Sincerely,

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