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Hello,

My name is Noah Miska, and I'm a student at University of California, Santa Cruz. I wish to comment favorably on a petition, Docket No. PRM-51-13; NRC-2010-0088, which requests that the provisions that govern temporary storage of spent fuel after cessation of reactor operation be revoked, that licensing of new nuclear power plants cease, and that existing operating nuclear power plants be phased out. These provisions are necessary to make up for the loss of the proposed Yucca Mountain nuclear waste storage facility. On a larger scale, the only way to address the question of what to do with spent nuclear fuel is to stop creating it. The byproducts of nuclear power production represent too great a risk to the public's well being to justify their existence. The reduction in nuclear power capacity could be made up for by a simultaneous introduction of economic incentives for investment in wind and/or solar infrastructure, which could potentially create many thousands of new jobs.

Best,
Noah Miska

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