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> Secretary of the Commission U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington D.C., 20335 ATT .: Docketing and Service Branch Dear Sir:

We are writing to convey to you our strongest disapproval of the proposed action to exempt contaminated smelted alloys from the licensing requirements. The number of sources from which we are exposed to radiation are constantly growing. We have grown tired of being told not to worry about radiation exposure. The stakes are too high to allow ourselves to be pacified. It is unfair to enable contaminated metal to be sold as scrap metal to be mixed in the metal of consumer goods. This takes away our freedom of choice in that we wouldn't even know when we were using contaminated goods. Furthermore it is not established what the end results of accumulated exposure to radiation in small doses will be on living beings. Please protect our planet and our civilization ... before it is too late.

> Sincerely yours: The Alexander Family

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