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Dear Nuclear Regulatory Commission,

I am writing regarding dry cask storage of spent fuel at Palisades nuclear power plant in Michigan. I feel that this is an unacceptable system and I regret that our country has been unable to solve the problem of rapidly accumulating nuclear wastes. I feel that the only viable solution to disposal is to stop producing it.

Meanwhile, storage of such lethal waste next to Lake Michigan is setting a bad precedent. I worry about the eventual cracks & leaks and feel that even though the casks may be intended as temporary storage, they may well be in use for decades or more, exposed to Michigan's weather and eroding shorelines. Please consider as an alternative simply shutting down operations at Palisades, permanently.

Thank you.

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