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Dear friends:

A clever, economical way to get rid of nuclear waste seems to be to redefine as "Below Regulatory Concern" some materials and wastes that are radioactive.

We, as members of the public, do mind being exposed to 10 millirems a year from each BRC waste stream, product and practice. We must have a limit on the number of BRC deregulations granted. There must be an enforceable procedure to verify the amount of exposure. There must be a way to detect violations.

Any exposure to radiation increases a person's health risk.

Did you choose the "10 millirems" a year because of the amount of waste it will justify deregulating?

How do you propose to verify or measure the radiation in waste materials?

Isolating waste and radiation from any activity should be a part of the cost of doing business.

Sincerely,

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