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Secretary of the Commission
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Dear Mr. or Ms. Secretary:

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I am writing as a citizen very concerned about nuclear safety to as you to support both proposed rules to ensure that the first line of defense at nuclear reactors is staffed by workers who are free from both fatigue and fear of illegal discrimination. The two proposed rules are essential to:

- prevent fatigue from impairing nuclear plant worker performance
- prevent fatigued workers from repairing, inspecting, and testing safety equipment when nuclear power plants are operating or shut down
- prevent fear from causing nuclear plant workers to remain silent about safety problems
- prevent supervisors, managers, and directors from using "ignorance of the law" as a shield for their illegal actions
- protect the public and the environment from a nuclear power plant accident.

Please use your authority to ensure that these proposed rules become law.

Thank you.

All the Best for the Holiday Season,



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