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I am writing this letter to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission concerning the deregulation of nuclear waste materials. It seems absurd to both myself and many others that such dangerous materials could be even considered for recycling purposes which would allow such hazardous materials to come into contact with the public and our wilderness areas.

Furthermore, I strongly suggest that the NRC not rely on limited research to base its decisions concerning the management of such dangerous substances. Additional research is needed in order for the NRC to make responsible decisions and develop a more positive public image.

I definitely do not want kids playing in a playground that could potentially have harmful traces of radioactivity due to unsafe recycling practices, and I would not want to cook breakfast in a frying pan made from recycled nuclear waste, just so the nuclear industry can make more money at an expense to others. I would ask the NRC to please take this into consideration.

A concerned citizen,



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