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Honorable Nunzio J. Palladino  
Chairman,  
U. S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
Washington, D. C. 20555  
Dear Chairman Palladino:

OF SECRETARY  
OF DEFENSE  
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I am writing to commend you for your proposal  
to convert U. S. research reactors for highly enriched  
uranium (HEU) fuel to low enriched uranium (LEU) fuel.

HEU, which can be used in an atomic weapon, poses an  
unnecessary threat to national and international security.  
Conversion to LEU is the most effective and sensible solution.

I urge the Commission to adopt the conversion requirement rule, and to implement it as soon as possible.

Sincerely yours.

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