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Mr. Samuel Chilk  
Secretary of the Commission  
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Washington, D.C. 20555

Dear Mr. Chilk,

I would be remiss in my responsibility should I fail to advise you that I am in complete agreement with the petition as issued by the Non-Destructive Testing Management Association to Appendix E of 10 CFR, Part 71.

Appendix E to Part 71 will place an additional unnecessary cost burden on the industry. These costs will invariably be passed on to the customer. This regulation only serves to further fan the flames of double digit inflation.

Sincerely

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