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Dear Dr. Mason:

Thank you for the opportunity to review the NIOSH document on workers' home contamination that will be submitted to Congress. It provides a useful and much needed review of an extremely complicated subject matter.

The report would benefit from additional attention to readability, formatting, and ease of use. I suggest that the document be carefully edited, and that definitions of technical terms and available reference ranges for environmental and biological exposure measurements be included.

Thank you again for the opportunity to review this report. I hope these comments are helpful.

Sincerely yours,

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