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We very much object to, and are alarmed by, the newest-old thinking in this area. Please DO NOT move forward with your misguided guidance on cost-benefit analysis (known as the OMB Draft Guidelines for the Conduct of Regulatory Analysis and the Format of Accounting Statements).

You know that one life should not be valued more than another. Young over old or vice versa. We fear that this analysis could water down anti-pollution regulations and harm the health of senior citizens. As a 'baby-boomer' generation rolls forward we remind you, that believe it or not, wrinkles or not, we are extremely educated, valuable citizens and do not think of our human lives as worth only 63% of those other younger, less experienced bodies we live amongst.

sincerely,
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