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Comments: Dear Dr. Shelby,

I would like to give input in the Public Comment section. Perhaps this is the way to go?

If so, my opinion is to not only ban bisphenol-A, but also phaltates. I also would like to note that these two are not the only problem plastics. Plastics never biodegrade and are destroying habitats, and our whole world.

I would like the world to move toward banning all plastics, or only allowing them in products meant to last over 300 years. I'd like us to use natural materials like wood, metal, glass, and stone. I am a mother who feels so horribly about feeding my two little boys with these clear, hard plastic bottles we had microwaved for them because they were "microwave-safe." I am

appalled at the waste of single-serve packaging of everything from juice bottles to Lunchables to yogurts, all made of plastic that will never biodegrade. Something that takes us one minute to consume will be on this

earth wrecking havoc for over 300 years!

Thank you!

Kim Hughes