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Subject: 2008 Building Energy Efficiency Standards Docket # 07-BSTD-1

Dear Mr. Gekas -

I have learned recently of proposed changes to 2008 Building Energy Efficiency Standards Docket # 07-BSTD-1 which will require new homes and remodels to install the PCT (Programmable Communicating Thermostat.) This horrifying change comes straight out of George Orwell's *1984* novel and seems much more like something a socialist country would inflict on its citizens. I urge you to strike this ludicrous change from the proposed building energy efficiency standards and let the free market deal with the problem in a much less draconian manner that will also preserve individual freedom.

Thank you,
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"Not to oppose error is to approve of it.
Not to defend truth is to suppress it,
And indeed to neglect to confound evil men,
When we can do it,
is no less a sin than to encourage them."
Pope Felix III