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Dear Dr. Maldonado,

I am writing because you are the President-elect of AAAS

(https://www.universityofcalifornia.edu/news/university-california-leader-theresa-maldonado-elected-president-american-association). I have major concerns about the scientific integrity of AAAS and *Science*. In particular, I have extensive evidence that *Science* has published seriously flawed articles supporting PM2.5-related deaths (http://www.scientificintegrityinstitute.org/Henneman030524.pdf) and the Linear No Threshold (LNT) Model (DOI: 10.1016/j.cbi.2022.109979). However, AAAS and the *Science* Editor-in-Chief have refused to investigate the evidence of serious flaws regarding PM2.5 deaths (http://www.scientificintegrityinstitute.org/Henneman031124.pdf) and the LNT Model (DOI: 10.1007/s12129-017-9660-6). The validity of PM2.5 deaths and the LNT Model is highly relevant to the integrity of AAAS, *Science*, and current US regulatory policy. Thus, I request your help in investigating this evidence and/or facilitating a forum in which this evidence can be presented and objectively assessed.

Thank you very much for your assistance with this important request.

Sincerely yours,

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