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Dear Mr. President:

Today, more youth own and use a cell phone than ever before. Our young people are often the first to jump to new, wireless, mobile technology, but easily disregard warnings flashed before them. This is why it should come as no surprise that cell phone usage among children is growing unchecked, as even among adults, there is very little awareness of the health implications of wireless technologies.

Today's children are part of an unauthorized experiment where there is almost no control. Wireless companies are vigorously pushing wireless gadgets upon our youth, and they are eagerly being accepted. We see this everywhere, of course; it's called capitalism. But this is different; wireless companies know that their products are causing irreparable and irreversible damage to us, and yet, they keep acting like nothing is wrong. Despite the fact that children are *five times* more likely to develop *malignant brain tumors* throughout their lifetime if they start using a cell phone before the age of twenty, children are the first to flock to these sorts of devices. Despite the fact that cell phones can trigger Alzheimers, autism, ADHD, cancer, indigestion, heart palpitations, tinnitus, or worse, children see no problem with the use of these devices. We must remember that their brains are not fully developed until their twenties, and it is harder for them to make rational decisions. Why worry about health now? We must also remember that the radiofrequency radiation emitted from their wireless devices has the ability to damage their DNA, sperm, and thinking capabilities; even adults might have a hard time making a rational decision under these circumstances. Yet, the few teenagers that are aware have come to regard cell phones as a form of birth control, rather than what it really is; a silent killer.

Today, America's youth are exposed to 100 million times more background microwave radiation than our grandparents were, and our grandparents used microwave radiation as a weapon in World War II. Their government is doing nothing to protect them; FCC limits are 3 million times more permissive than levels at which biological effects have been found in humans. Numerous European countries have already banned cell phone usage among children, or at least banned cell phone advertising targeted towards children. Numerous other countries around the world have also banned cell phones and Wi-Fi in schools. The United States is first when it comes to adopting technology; however, we are last when it comes to approaching that technology safely. There is public awareness of the dangers of tobacco, drugs, and alcohol; yet, there is very little awareness among the general public, let alone our youth, that wireless radiation is dangerous.

Today, wireless usage is growing at an alarmingly fast rate. To effectively combat the atrocities that the wireless industry has up their sleeves, we need to approach this technology sensibly. First and foremost, cell phone usage among children should be completely banned, except in a life-threatening emergency where no corded landline is available. Secondly, there should be public awareness campaigns of the dangers of these technologies. Thirdly, we need mandatory warning labels warning a potential buyer that radiofrequency radiation is a Class 2B carcinogen displayed at the point of sale in wireless stores. Warnings are required in the fine print of a cell phone user manual, stating not to put the device against their head, but we all know how much that text gets read. Today, children are putting these two-way microwave transmitters against their head, microwaving their brain, and slipping them into their pockets, irradiating their genitals and reproductive organs. Five generations from now, when we are all sterile, it will be too late to do anything about the damage we could prevent today.

Please make America Safer Again,