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ABOUT: This Hydrogen Fusion system is ready to provide all the energy the world needs:

What an unbelievable situation.

In the last 25 years, there have been thousands of hoax nuclear fusion stories in the public eye.

Now, a story of nuclear fusion that has undeniable scientific proof goes totally ignored because of all the hoaxes that have proceeded it.

I write to you with the hope that you might investigate this powerful story and alert the public to the reality. The undeniable evidence is at ...

www.fusionpeery.com

Sincerely,

Ruth Pyren

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This letter for Hydrogen Fusion Systems, LLC explains some of the most significant details of the nature of what we have discovered and how we have objective evidence, which scientifically proves that our Hydrogen fusion process is able to very efficiently fuse common Hydrogen to form Helium and heavier elements with the release of large amounts of thermal energy, much greater than any other known chemical or nuclear process.

Early in 2012 we filed three provisional patents with United States Patent Office and in early 2013 we filed the finalized version of the main and secondary patents and will soon file the finalized version of the third patent which cover various

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Following are some brief details of this amazing discovery:

- 1. Because our common Hydrogen's fusion mechanism's drive energy is thousands of times less than all other fusion processes, it does not produce any ionizing nuclear radiation exterior to the reactor.
- 2. Our solution to the problem of how to fuse Hydrogen to form Helium is totally different from the processes proposed by the worlds' Nuclear Physicists and all other proponents of Hydrogen Fusion, where they, in a sense, attempt to duplicate the physical conditions used for the successful detonation of Hydrogen bombs.
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- 10. Here is the only reasonable solution for solving the world's energy problems and the problem of climate change.
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We look forward to further contacts.

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