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To: neil.jacobs@noaa.gov; julie.roberts@noaa.gov

Subject: NOAA's Poor Decision

To Mr. Jacobs and Ms. Roberts,

I am incensed by your kowtowing to politics as Hurricane Dorian approached, when Americans turned to their government for factual, science-based forecasts. With your actions -- sending a message that whatever lies Trump spews are the new reality -- we draw a little bit closer to becoming North Korea, where truth is corrupted. Your readiness to shortchange science for politics is shameful, an affront to the public and to your staff that still believes in the integrity of government service.

I look forward to you losing your jobs in 2020. You want to scrape and bend before a demagogue? Move to Russia.

Sincerely, Susan DeFord Silver Spring, MD

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