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## Readers Report

### **HOPES AND HAZARDS OF THE BIOTECH CENTURY**

The possibility of cloning the human species raises grave concern. Will there be anybody to control or regulate the outcomes of such research in order to avoid unpredictable catastrophes? Or will it even be possible, considering our experience trying to regulate nuclear proliferation or cyberspace? The consequences of human cloning will certainly be much worse than the problems we encounter with computer hacking or virus infestation. Our experience in cyberspace should give us an indication of the possibilities and the problems associated with human cloning.

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