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I am a published novelist, but my concern is not just as a writer, but also as a reader. Being able to browse in a book store is culturally important. Our interest is spiked, we buy a book, which leads to another, perhaps by the same author, perhaps on the same subject. That isn't an online habit and one which will not be cultivated any time soon. We ask that you reconsider and not allow Amazon to have the monopolistic power that it now does. Thank you for your time. Beverly Gologorsky