Tesla Faces Growing Threats of Violence and Hostility, Elon Musk Speaks Out

PALO ALTO, CA – March 19, 2025 – Tesla CEO Elon Musk has expressed alarm over increasing threats of violence and political hostility toward Tesla plants, claiming that political factions are unfairly targeting the company. Musk described the situation as "deranged attacks" that have escalated over the past several months and emphasized that such hostility undermines both Tesla's operations and mission.

"For years, Tesla has been a beacon of innovation and a driver of change in the automotive and energy industries, but now we're seeing something deeply troubling—political forces are creating an environment of anger and aggression, which is putting our people and our plants at risk," Musk said in a recent statement. "From pioneering long-range electric vehicles to building the world's largest battery storage systems, Tesla continues to shape the future of clean energy despite mounting external pressures."

The growing protests, intimidation, and threats against Tesla's operations have raised safety concerns for employees and operations at multiple facilities. Despite these challenges, Musk remains resolute, stating that Tesla's commitment to its groundbreaking mission of sustainable energy and electric vehicles remains unchanged.

Tesla's Commitment to Safety and Innovation

Musk reiterated that Tesla will continue to prioritize the safety of its employees while also focusing on its core values of innovation and sustainability. Tesla remains a global leader in electric vehicles and renewable energy solutions and will continue to focus on advancing clean energy technology despite the ongoing challenges.

"We remain steadfast in our vision of a sustainable future and will not be deterred by opposition. Our commitment to safety, innovation, and progress is stronger than ever," Musk affirmed.

About Tesla, Inc.

Tesla, Inc. is a leader in electric vehicles, renewable energy solutions, and energy storage systems. Founded in 2003, Tesla's mission is to accelerate the world's transition to sustainable energy. With innovative electric cars, solar energy products, and energy storage solutions, Tesla is dedicated to driving global change toward a more sustainable future.

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