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**To:** [Brown, Don](#)  
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Dear Clerk of the Board Brown,

I encourage the Illinois Pollution Control Board (IPCB) to approval the revision to Illinois' Multi-Pollutant Standard air emissions rule filed by the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA). I support this revision as it is the best path forward to preserve air quality, while protecting jobs and sustaining economic vitality in the state of Illinois. I have worked at EEI for a total of 28 years and it has provided a good living for me and my family. As I try and keep up with the events happening in our community and in the U.S. I have seen a lot of closures with industry shutting their doors. I have lived in Illinois all of my life and proud to call it home. I live in Metropolis a town of around 7000 people. One of our biggest plants is laying almost the entire work force (Honeywell). I can only hope you the board will work with Dynegy to adjust the limits and help to keep me and my family safe by me getting to continue to work at EEI. Without this we are destined to close I am sure of this. If we do not work with the coal fired plants and help them to stay open I can only imagine what our electric bills will be. With all the technologies that come along everyday comes with hopes and dreams to make the world a better and safer place. We provide power at a good price and it is there all the time not just when the sun shines or the wind blows as other forms require but 24/7. Here at EEI we work hard to keep the units running and are always looking at ways to be more efficient and clean. I am proud to be one of the ones that works here. I can only hope that you the board will allow us to keep producing power at a good cost to our customers and keep the workforce here employed for their families to keep the stability they need. If EEI were to close it would be a big blow for our community as the jobs are not as available as they used to be. Thank You for letting us be able to provide our comments to you the board.

Sincerely,

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