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Dear IL Pollution Control Board Assistant Clerk,

I can only hope you see, that to make America greasy we cannot go backwards to the polluted days of yesteryear. We must go forward by supporting renewable energies like wind and sun. How is it anyone can be a climate change denier with such horrific changes taking place around the world? If you are one please try to understand: It is the burning of fossil fuel that is the major cause of the arctic melting, sea levels rising, ocean temps and acidic levels rising, warmer temps around the globe, major floods, and horrific forest fires. Please do not lower emotions standards for coal operators. Its too bad, but its time to put the coal industry to a greatly reduced usage. Thank you for doing your utmost to do what is right for the world, and not what is right for an obsolete industry. Thank you

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and Dynege's proposal to amend the Multi Pollutant Standard (MPS) is unnessecary and would give Dynege the option to increase air pollution (NOx and SO2) at certain individual Dynege plants. The proposal includes Baldwin, Coffeen, Duck Creek, Edwards, Havana, Hennepin, Joppa, and Newton coal fired power plants. Any increase in pollution would place an undue public health burden on the communities surrounding the plants and the people who live there.

A high number of Dynege's plants are located in Environmental Justice communities so a potential increase in NOx and SO2 pollution from individual Dynege plants presents Environmental Justice concerns. Both pose serious health risks, especially for vulnerable community members like infants and small children, the elderly, and asthmatics.

For these reasons, the Illinois Pollution Control Board should reject the regulatory changes that the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and Dynege are proposing.

Sincerely,

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