Subject: I support the IEPA mercury rule From: "fholla@artic.edu" <fholla@artic.edu> Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 17:34:44 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

PC#6100

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Modern, inexpensive pollution controls can capture 90% of the mercury from power plants. IEPA's rule would simply require Illinois coal-fired power plants to use this technology. Please support the rule to make it clear that putting our children at risk for brain damage is not an acceptable cost of doing business in Illinois.

Sincerely,

Fredrick Holland 1312 N. Greenview Chicago, IL 60622

From: "fiesta ware@yahoo.com" <fiesta ware@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 11:52:28 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

PC #6101

Mercury is a known neurotoxin that already contaminates fish in all Illinois waters—and its main source is coal-fired power plants. Studies have shown that mercury exposure harms the human brain, heart, and immune system.

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Sincerely,

Jeanne Klein 5 Ridge Road Streator, IL 613641428

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From: "firstchurchlady@yahoo.com" < firstchurchlady@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 23:07:17 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

PC #6102

Mercury is a known neurotoxin that already contaminates fish in all Illinois waters-and its main source is coal-fired power plants. Studies have shown that mercury exposure harms the human brain, heart, and immune system.

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Sincerely,

Lois Snyder 5475 S. Ridgewood Ct. Chicago,, IL 60615

From: "kwaeck@hotmail.com" <kwaeck@hotmail.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 10:29:32 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

PC#6103

Mercury is a known neurotoxin that already contaminates fish in all Illinois waters—and its main source is coal-fired power plants. Studies have shown that mercury exposure harms the human brain, heart, and immune system.

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Sincerely,

Kathryn Waecker 1731 N. Dover Lane Arlington Heights, IL 600044208

From: "kwotal@burnsmcd.com" <kwotal@burnsmcd.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 14:09:41 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

PC #6104

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Sincerely,

Kathi Wotal 1014 N Ridgewood Ln Palatine, IL 60067

From: "l_wand@yahoo.com" <l_wand@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 08:25:55 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

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Sincerely,

Lisa Wand 5533 W. Higgins Avenue #203 Chicago, IL 606302110 PC #16/05

From: "laelliott@ameritech.net" <laelliott@ameritech.net>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 08:33:55 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

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Sincerely,

lucy elliott
330 River Bluff Rd.
elgin, IL 601202422

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From: "lalialsi@comcast.net" < lalialsi@comcast.net>

Date: Sun, 16 Apr 2006 13:08:32 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

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Sincerely,

Laura Lapinskas 6029 Ridgeway Drive Woodridge, IL 605171028 Pc #6107

From: "lanlan27@Gmail.com" <lanlan27@Gmail.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 16:37:03 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

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PC #6108

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Sincerely,

Lanlan Hoo 198 Danada Dr Wheaton, IL 601871043

From: "julia.rosenthal@ey.com" <julia.rosenthal@ey.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 14:24:16 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

Thank you for taking the time to listen to my views. As a Chicago mom, I would like to let you know my views on a very important proposed rule from the IEPA.

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

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Sincerely,

Julia Rosenthal 1727 S Indiana Ave #413 Chicago, IL 60616

From: "escheet@yahoo.com" <escheet@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 15:43:33 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

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Sincerely,

Elizabeth Scheet 23W007 Tamarack Drive Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

From: "esimsohn@imrf.org" <esimsohn@imrf.org>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 14:05:06 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009. PLEASE, PLEASE DO THIS!!!

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Sincerely,

Ellen Simsohn 452 Elm St Glen Ellyn, IL 60137

From: "everett@mesaconsulting.org" <everett@mesaconsulting.org>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 17:20:52 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

From: "evilbchris@yahoo.com" <evilbchris@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 14:58:20 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Chris Klarer 213 Stone Lake Dr. Makanda, IL 62958

From: "fairrat4@yahoo.com" <fairrat4@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 08:18:25 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

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Sincerely,

Julie Barbosa 1435 Megan Ave Algonquin, IL 601023764

5/5/2006 6:25 PM

From: "fateejones@yahoo.com" <fateejones@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 15:06:41 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

C #6115

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Sincerely,

Alexis Adler 6456 N. Greenview #1 Chicago, IL 60626

5/5/2006 6:25 PM

From: "FDHI@SBCGLOBAL.NET" <FDHI@SBCGLOBAL.NET>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 07:13:12 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

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Sincerely,

robert davis 7418 Churchill St Morton Grove, IL 60053-1901

5/5/2006 6:25 PM

From: "fenian b@sbcglobal.net" < fenian b@sbcglobal.net>

Date: Sat, 15 Apr 2006 09:22:17 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

PC #6117

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Sincerely,

Tim McKeever 209 E. Center St. Yorkville, IL 605601251

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From: "feurzeig@ilstu.edu" <feurzeig@ilstu.edu>

Date: Sat, 15 Apr 2006 12:03:08 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

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Sincerely,

David Feurzeig 311 Garfield Dr Bloomington, IL 61701-2125

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From: "fheeman@yahoo.com" <fheeman@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 21:49:42 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

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Sincerely,

Michael Finley 825 Osage Terrace Wauconda, IL 600841141

5/5/2006 6:25 PM

From: "fvsimon@sbcglobal.net" <fvsimon@sbcglobal.net>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 12:33:34 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

PC#6120

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Sincerely,

Frederick Simon 3728 N. Sacramento Ave. Chicago, IL 606183529

5/5/2006 6:25 PM

Subject: I support the IEPA mercury rule **From:** "g.lapin@ieee.org" <g.lapin@ieee.org>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 14:11:40 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

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Sincerely,

Gregory Lapin 1206 Somerset Ave Deerfield, IL 60015

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From: "g2enterprises@hotmail.com" <g2enterprises@hotmail.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 18:44:57 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

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Sincerely,

Gretchen Gharrett 1555 N Sandburg Ter #304 Chicago, IL 60610

From: "g2knee@hotmail.com" <g2knee@hotmail.com>

Date: Mon, 17 Apr 2006 10:07:47 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

As a human race, we are contaminating ourselves. Please, take whatever action is necessary to insure that mercury emissions are reduced as much as possible. Please, don't give in to corporate lobbyists who care only about the profits of their company. There are millions of citizens just like me who care little for money but are very concerned about the overall well being of this country, its land, and its future generations who will inherit the land, air, and water after us. The world as we know it is dying. We, as a race, are changing so fast that the earth and her ecosystems can't keep up with us. I have not lost faith that the human race can create a sustainable culture through responsible living. It's not too late to act responsibly with long-term effects in mind.

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What will happen if we do not reduce mercury emissions? Do you think the problem will go away? No, it will build up in our air, lakes, rivers, and streams. The problem will get worse. We have to keep our environment clean, or we will eventually suffocate ourselves with our own industrial filth. The long-term should not be ignored. Please think twice.

Sincerely,

Gary Teune, Jr. 5239 W Belle Plaine Chicago, IL 606411460

5/5/2006 6:25 PM

From: "gailmerritt@yahoo.com" <gailmerritt@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 16:34:23 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Gail Merritt 727 S Dearborn St Ste 712 Chicago, IL 606053826

5/5/2006 6:25 PM

From: "galegros@core.com" <galegros@core.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 20:16:06 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Gale Grossman 1500 Oak Ave Evanston, IL 602014279

5/5/2006 6:25 PM

From: "ericscartier@yahoo.com" <ericscartier@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 16:36:28 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

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Sincerely,

Eric Cartier 1457 West Foster Ave. Apt. 3F Chicago,, IL 60640-2168

From: "erinillinois@hotmail.com" <erinillinois@hotmail.com>

Date: Thu, 27 Apr 2006 04:09:04 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

PC #6127

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Sincerely,

erin roberts 3830 n troy chicago, IL 606183427

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From: "erinmaiorca@sbcglobal.net" <erinmaiorca@sbcglobal.net>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 12:16:11 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Erin Maiorca 1031 huber lane glenview, IL 600252636

5/5/2006 6:25 PM

From: "erogers@reallyboring.net" <erogers@reallyboring.net>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 14:05:06 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am writing to urge you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009.

PC #6129

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Sincerely,

Eric Rogers 553 W Oakdale Ave, Apt 307 Chicago, IL 60657

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From: "fitzwell@hotmail.com" <fitzwell@hotmail.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 07:08:34 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Scott Dalebroux 6014 Fox Lake Rd McHenry, IL 600506256

From: "Flickerstick73@aol.com" <Flickerstick73@aol.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 12:16:44 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

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A= #6131

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Sincerely,

Christine Kamradt 785 Whispering Oaks Dr. Palatine, IL 600742354

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From: "flutterbybabygirl@yahoo.com" <flutterbybabygirl@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 20 Apr 2006 17:10:14 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Rena Baldwin 6943 S. Prairie Bsmt. Apt. Chicago, IL 606374635

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PC #6/32

From: "flutterbybabygirl@yahoo.com" <flutterbybabygirl@yahoo.com>

Date: Tue, 25 Apr 2006 17:24:09 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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From: "fms333@comcast.net" < fms333@comcast.net>

Date: Sat, 15 Apr 2006 10:20:38 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Frank Shannon 876 Riding Ln St Charles, IL 601744716

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From: "fnpaulo@aol.com" <fnpaulo@aol.com>

Date: Sat, 15 Apr 2006 19:36:46 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Frank Paulo 5038 N St Louis Ave Chicago, IL 606255529

From: "foisym@yahoo.com" <foisym@yahoo.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 09:08:28 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Mark Foisy 2623 Prairie Ave. Evanston, IL 60201-1488

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From: "formargaretn@earthlink.net" < formargaretn@earthlink.net>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 11:20:06 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

Dear Pollution Control Board members,

I am signing on to this electronic message because it says it all. It urges you to support the IEPA mercury rule to reduce power plant mercury emissions by 90% by 2009. Knowing your excellent environmental record, I am sure that you already support the rule. But you will probably want to hear from constituents who support it too.

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Sincerely,

Margaret Nagel 631 Hinman Ave Evanston, IL 602022514

From: "fowen04@unity.edu" <fowen04@unity.edu>

Date: Wed, 19 Apr 2006 18:10:40 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Felix Owen

Felix Owen 421 Ravine Dr. Winthrop Habor, IL 600961333

From: "frankkalmar@comcast.net" < frankkalmar@comcast.net>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 21:42:32 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

frank kalmar 1216 caryn terrace northbrook, IL 60062

From: "groomk@sbcglobal.net" <groomk@sbcglobal.net>

Date: Mon, 17 Apr 2006 17:47:25 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Sincerely,

Karen Groom 9019 Embassy Lane Des Plaines, IL 600167011

From: "gruven42@yahoo.com" <gruven42@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 14:11:47 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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Paul Hofferkamp 512 Heritage Dr Oswego, IL 60543

From: "gedgafov@hotmail.com" < gedgafov@hotmail.com>

Date: Fri, 14 Apr 2006 08:55:44 -0500

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Vladimir Gedgafov 2150B Rugen road glenview, IL 600255522

From: "gebmk@yahoo.com" <gebmk@yahoo.com>

Date: Thu, 13 Apr 2006 18:26:34 -0500

To: max@illinoispirg.org

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