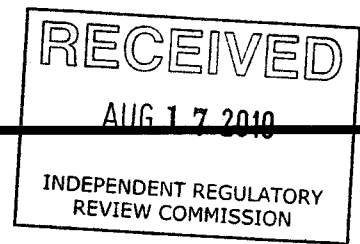


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From: MIKE [mclaughlin2@comcast.net]
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Subject: CH 78 Regulations

I commend the Environmental Quality Board on proposing changes to regulations governing drilling in Pennsylvania's Marcellus shale. I would very much like to see tighter regulations in regard to protecting our environment with requirements (1) that any well be drilled with a Blow-Out Preventer, (2) that compressive strength standard for cement be 72 hours and at least 1,200 psi for well bores that pass through aquifers and drinking water and (3) set a real life timeframe to address complaints filed in regard to pollution of water supplies as a result of drilling or operating a gas well.

After reading the proposal by the Harvey Consulting report I would ask that the Environmental Quality Board of the PA Department of Environmental Protection include the language proposed by their report.

I wish to see Pennsylvania prosper from the vast Marcellus Shale and would like this to happen without any harm to our environment and human life.

Respectfully Submitted,
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