

Statement
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Hello. My name is Steven Quarles. I'm from Philadelphia. I support the proposal by the D.E.P. that would decrease mercury pollution by 90% by the year 2015. Mercury is a serious threat to public health, and can even be hazardous in small quantities. It causes all kinds of problems, and shouldn't even be there. The main way that we expose ourselves to mercury is through fish consumption so we should make certain that our fish don't have it. If we have the technology to drastically reduce the mercury in our waterways, and get it out of our fish which are worthy of a state-wide advisory, then I think we should use it.

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