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I am definitely in support of the DEP's proposed rule making. Mercury is tremendously affecting the health of not just women and babies, but Pennsylvanians in general. We can not even eat fish from our own water, and that is frightening. It is very scary that we are number two in the nation for having the worst mercury pollution. That should not sit well with anybody. I am of child bearing age. And while I do not plan on having children anytime soon, but fear to have children in this state. Also, I know women who are very close to me that are either pregnant or who have young children and/or babies. I fear what is happening to these individuals and what could potentially happen to them. I do not believe that individuals should have to feel uncomfortable, nervous, or scared to live somewhere. But these mercury issues are making Pennsylvanians feel just that.

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