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Dear Members,

As a Pennsylvania resident I am greatly concerned with the quality of our rivers and streams, and demand that our state regulators take thorough measures to ensure our water is protected. I urge the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (IRRC) to reject the final-form Triennial Review of Water Quality Standards, due to the lack of any standard for levels of chlorides in our rivers. We need to make sure a chloride standard is included in our state water quality standards.

It would be unacceptable for Pennsylvania to look the other way on this matter. Companies dumping oil and gas wastewater containing millions of pounds of salt should have to treat their wastewater, just like everyone else.

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