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**Re: eComment System**

**The Department of Environmental Protection has received the following comments on Proposed Rulemaking: Radiological Health and Radon Certification Fees; Pennsylvania Radon Mitigation System Tag and Fee.**

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Since the last fee increase and over the past several years the actions of the DEP Radon Division have created an atmosphere of distrust of the Radon Division among radon service providers. Overregulation of radon service providers has already caused radon service fees to consumers to increase. Many Pennsylvania residents opt out of radon testing when purchasing a home due to the cost to test. The radon services industry in Pennsylvania is the most regulated in the nation and it has become more difficult for new radon service providers to enter the radon services field. Further fee increases and a continuance of the excessive regulations and oppressive enforcement tactics of the Radon Division is counterproductive and will leave more residents of the Commonwealth exposed to the harmful effects of radon.

As a radon services provider, I am opposed to the proposed fee increases for radon service providers and to the proposed tag fee for mitigation systems.

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No attachments were included as part of this comment.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,  
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