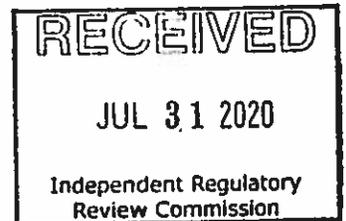


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Oral comments given at 23 June 2020 testimony. See emailed written comment below:

I am not going to give you a list of statistics, graphs or pie charts. You know all of that. But you just don't care. You appoint a number, a dollar amount, to these important figures and you make your decisions on corporate profit, not on the health or safety of the public. My name, where I live, my race or income doesn't matter, this is a global issue. The methane problem affects you and your family for generations to come. As well as mine and others across the earth that you have never met. I, alone, am in charge of my health, I don't recall giving any person, organization or government office permission to over ride my decisions on what is good or bad for me. And I am speaking for the others that have no voice as well.

Stop looking at what is legal or illegal, focus on right or wrong. Common sense should be the trump card.

I don't understand why it should take five minutes to explain why this is important, 30 seconds is all that I need.

There are dozens of global problems that need fixing; poverty, racism, wars, viruses.... the list goes on and we wish we knew how to fix them. To consider adding to this is evil.

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Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,
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