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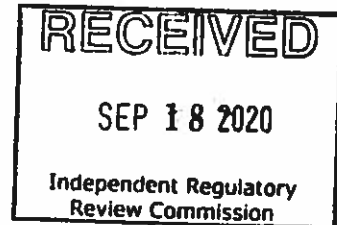


Re: eComment System

The Department of Environmental Protection has received the following comments on Proposed Rulemaking: Water Quality Standards for Manganese and Implementation (#7-553).

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Comments entered:

The Environmental Quality Board published a proposed regulation to adopt a manganese water quality toxic substances standard that is more protective of public health in the July 25 Pa Bulletin for public comment. We wholeheartedly support the change from 1.0 mg/l to 0.3 mg/l. The Board should reject any change in the point of compliance as it is based on bad science, is deleterious to the health of the Commonwealth's citizens and aquatic life, places the financial burden on water suppliers and citizens rather than the polluters, and stems from a constitutionally infirm statute.

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Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,
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