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The Department of Environmental Protection has received the following comments on Proposed Rulemaking: CO2 Budget Trading Program (#7-559).

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Comments entered:

Having made a living that provided for my family and educated my children from my 20 year career at one of the Indiana county generating stations, I think RGGI would be devastating to the already struggling plants.

Not only these jobs at the plants, but the spin off jobs have been a big part of Indiana county. While easy for officials in Harrisburg to say "they can just get another job" i would reply the question "where?" equal pay and benefits. Not just another job.

These plants have spent millions to comply with every regulation that has been enforced, and I agree, these plants should clean up there act.

These plants have removed every thing from the exhaust emissions except Carbon. The plant returns water to the streams cleaner than they received it. The technology is still young for carbon sequestration but if the government would fund that technology that could be advanced and the carbon removed also instead of just taxing them to death.

People could stay working at family sustaining jobs, not Walmart's, the carbon emissions could be removed and electricity could stay affordable and plentiful.

People making a living in the industry don't want to pollute, they just want to make a good living

and provide for their families.

RRGI is not the answer to carbon emissions!

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Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,
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