

Air Quality Technical Advisory Committee

to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection

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September 12, 2012

Honorable Michael L. Krancer
Secretary
Department of Environmental Protection
Rachel Carson State Office Building
P.O. Box 2063
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Re: Proposed rulemaking amendments for Title V Emission Fee

Dear Secretary Krancer:

On September 12, 2012, the Air Quality Technical Advisory Committee (Committee) discussed the proposed rulemaking to revise the Title V emission fee in *25 Pa. Code* Chapter 127, Subchapter I (relating to plan approval and operating permit fees). Minor clarifying amendments are proposed for § 127.701 (relating to general provisions). A revised base Title V emission fee is proposed for § 127.705 (relating to emission fees), to be collected beginning with emissions occurring in calendar year 2013 and for each calendar year thereafter.

The Committee voted 16-2-1 to concur with the Department's recommendation to present the proposed rulemaking amendments to the Environmental Quality Board for consideration for publication as a proposed rulemaking.

Sincerely,



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Chair