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Subject: IDL regarding Proposed Rules for Oil and Gas Conservation, Docket No. 20-0702-1601
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Dear Mr. Wilson,

This e-mail relates to Section 211.02 - Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs), as follows:

Section 211.02 – Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs)

Mature oil and gas states do NOT allow ANY injection of BTEX chemicals into any well regardless of its proximity to water tables. Once injected, there is absolutely no way to prevent seepage, leaks or migration of those contaminants into whatever pathway is opened naturally, or by fracturing. NO BTEX chemicals, or any other VOC, should be allowed to be injected because there is no way to control its migration or recover the contaminants to prevent them from polluting water or soil. VOCs are generally either toxic, neurotoxic and/or carcinogenic, and pose significant health risks to humans and animals, sometimes even in small dose exposures. These facts have been well established by Dr. Theo Colborn and The Endocrine Disruption Exchange, as presented to the US Congress, and documentation for these facts can be found at <http://endocrinedisruption.org/>.

I most strongly urge you to prohibit the introduction of even small amounts of VOCs into ANY well.

Please make sure this e-mailed information is included in the official record of public documents submitted to IDL regarding Proposed Rules for Oil and Gas Conservation, Docket No. 20-0702-1601, as required by federal and state laws.

Most sincerely,

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"We only have one environment. When we destroy it we will become as extinct as the dinosaurs!"