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NSW Clean Air Regulation 2022

To whom it may concern:

I am writing to express my concern at the high level of air pollution, emitted by industry, which will continue to be legal under the proposed Clean Air Regulation. The permitted levels for pollutants that harm health (for example, nitrous oxides and mercury) are much higher than in many other countries. Furthermore, it will even be possible for polluting companies to apply for exemptions from the law, allowing them to avoid installing technology designed to protect community health.

I care about air quality because air pollution is not only disagreeable, but dangerous, resulting in the life-threatening condition of asthma for many children, and nearly 800 premature deaths annually.

I would like to conclude by reiterating my points as follows.

Industrial air pollution is harmful to human health.

Australia permits far higher levels of pollution than other developed countries.

Technology exists to lessen pollution, and should be introduced by legal mandate.

Exemptions to the law should not exist.

Thank you for considering my submission.

Yours sincerely,

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