

Dear Members of the panel,

As CT does not produce gas and it doesn't have fracking within the state, I hope you will approve the ban on importing wastewater from fracking done in other states.

I think the use of fracking has expanded much more quickly than environmental policies about it so people in various parts of the US are suffering from known and unknown problems stemming from fracking. From health and environmental issues to not being able to sell a home because of the location, fracking seems to be causing many problems, partly due to a lack of regulation and understanding of fracking's impact.

Sincerely,

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