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I work as a compression mechanical supervisor in the Gillette area, if the restrictive rules you are proposing are approved it would put me and a lot of other people out of work. It would also have a severe effect on royalties and taxes paid to the state of Wyoming. According to the department of environmental quality [ items in appendix 1 item <a>this language would have the effect of prohibiting most, if not all coal bed methane [CBM] discharge to the surface.] which in my belief is your ultimate goal. I understand some problems with some individuals do exist however changing rule to effect the whole industry is not the solution to the existing problems. Holding cbm water to a higher standard than other discharged water as an arbitrary standard has been warned against by the attorney general's office.

Thank you for accepting my comments  
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