

Subject: Comment on Docket 2022-R-A-0011, Regulation 1140

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To: HearingComments, DNREC (MailBox Resources)

In re: to Proposed Regulation 1140:

I urge you to NOT adopt the California Clean Cars II regulation.

Please consider the following points.

1)Limited capacity of ALL (including fossil fuel) sources to produce enough electricity to meet demand needs.

2) Woeful lack of the grid capacity (both voltage carrying capacity and the availability of transformers) to meet delivery requirements.

3)The hypocrisy of using 10's of thousands of gallons of diesel fuel to mine, refine, manufacture, ship and install the raw material for 1 EV battery.

4)The huge burden the cost of this regulation will be on our underserved, disadvantaged and poorer communities.

5)Safety: a) Fire safety of exploding and intensive battery failures.
b) Highway vehicle safety due to heavier vehicle weights.

Thank you for your consideration. Please do not move forward with Regulation 1140.

Rep Charles Postles