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Dear DEEP Staff,

We are very concerned for the well being of the residents in Cromwell and the surrounding towns who have had considerable and unnecessary exposure to excessive amounts of volatile organic compound emissions in 2014 and 2016. Additionally, Enbridge's failure to file a necessary compliance plan speaks to pure negligence in owning up to and taking the initiative to assure corrective actions.

Our belief is that, in the best interest of the residents in all the towns that are impacted by release of VOCs from the Cromwell facility, CT DEEP must be absolutely certain that the corrective technological equipment, processes and procedures are implemented at the highest level to assure the public's physical health from these pollutants. Additionally before consent is provided, it might be best to arrange for reliable, independent, frequent ambient air monitoring in Cromwell to assure its residents of their health safety.

We are relying on CT DEEP to consent only after the greatest assurances are provided so there is little chance of future VOC emission failures under strict adherence to RACT standards, frequent independent ambient air monitoring (as noted above) and perhaps engagement through community involvement with DEEP concerning impact on the residents living in the region of the compressor station.

Respectfully,

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