

WASHINGTON – Congressmen John W. Olver (D-1st District) and Edward Markey (D-7th District)

Olver said, “For decades, the northeast has borne the brunt of pollution from generating plants far

Markey said, “These changes to the enforcement of the Clean Air Act are unacceptable and endan

Twenty-six million Americans have been diagnosed with asthma and 8.6 million of them are under

The EPA’s proposed changes to the New Source Review would:

- Permit a facility to choose a baseline of emissions that would allow actual pollution to increase d
- Change the definition of routine maintenance, which will both substantially increase air pollution
- Allow emissions to rise at any industrial facility, including power plants; and,
- Make it more difficult for states to limit air pollution and to meet tough new standards for fine part

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