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Measure: SB85

Please pass SB 85 with the -1 amendment. Methane exhaust is a problem for us all related to short term climate effects and as important is the health and well-being of the people who live in rural communities and have to drink water that has been tainted by runoff from CAFO's, and the dust and smell. I am sure that all of you legislators and most of the rest of the state who currently do not have to deal with this would choose not to do so. Smaller animal raising farms must be supported in their business and not be pushed out by large corporate polluting entities. The economic and social fabric of rural communities are at risk. For examples look to Delaware and Pennsylvania for what can happen if the door is wide open to CAFOs. Please keep this important bill strong.