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Subject: Last kick at the cat!

Dear Friends:

We have had a very tiring experience the last while and keeping our breathe! I feel that we have done a Great job from all participants in our very fight for Social Justice. I tip my hat to all!

We may have missed a very crucial portion of our concerns to CEC. Therefore I am appealing to all and see if they can add on my humble submission .

The fact is that a large portion of nitrogen evaporates into the atmosphere from the lagoons and upon spreading. The U of M states up to 80% is lost; Iowa State University states up to 88 %. There as well is a loss during spreading since that is when we smell it most. Thus the reason for all the dumping to bring the nitrogen nutrient level to desired limits. This in fact transfers to phosphorous overloads. The ammonia, methane, hydrogen sulphide etc. while evaporating join up with other pollutants to cause acid rain. This concoction travels at it's will and deposits whenever rain, fog, mist or Acts of Nature are in action. These deposits when dumped on Lakes and other waterways cause alga blooms far more then the conventional method by leaching and draining off fields. It may be that the latter is only responsible for a small amount as compared to aerial transfer when such a large amount evaporates. Although what I am submitting needs more research, I feel that we have more knowledgable people to make corrections and submit to CEC. To add we should well see that like rain or snow it deposits far and wide. It is also fact that crops and pastures get "fertilized" this way.. We are also asked to wash our home grown vegetables thoroughly. We are breathing this concoction 24- 7- 365 !Is it not similar to drinking polluted water ? Please excuse me for any errors and Good Luck.

Thank You All
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