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## General Comment

The proposed rule is politically driven to shut down to coal industry! The intent is not to increase revenue but to replace rules that provide significant revenue to the United States with rules that will drive costs to the point that they will shut down the energy industry.

The Proposed Rule

1. Creates significant uncertainty
2. Gives the Secretary of the Interior too much power
3. Punishes miners that sell to small industrial customers and export coal, and hurts coal cooperatives and captive mine power plants
4. Discourages federal lands energy production
5. Needs more study and review