

## Singh, Angela K (DOA)

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**From:** Colombie, Jody J (DOA)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 15, 2013 9:47 AM  
**To:** Singh, Angela K (DOA)  
**Subject:** FW: Please review rules regarding fracking

**From:** Laura Brooks [<mailto:homerlaura@gmail.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 14, 2013 7:57 PM  
**To:** Colombie, Jody J (DOA)  
**Subject:** Please review rules regarding fracking

Dear Ms. Colombie,

I've lived in Alaska for over 25 years and have recently become a grandmother; Please consider the following and weigh your decisions for future generations rather than short sighted gains.

Under the Alaskan constitution, residents own the fish and the rivers and the oceans, and we have a right to use them responsibly. With those rights come responsibilities to protect them for future generations. AOGCC we need stronger fracking rules! We need rules that:

- Require before-and-after water monitoring around each well that is subject to fracturing operations within a half-mile of a freshwater source.
- Require full disclosure where and when fracking fluids will be used, what toxic constituents the fracking fluids may contain, and what amounts of chemicals will be used BEFORE and AFTER fracking operations commence.
- Allow no trade secret exemptions from the requirement to disclose the constituents of fracking fluids prior to or after their use.
- Provide broad public access to fracking-related information, and not rely solely on the problematic FracFocus website to disseminate fracking fluid information to the public.
- Provide landowners adequate notice and opportunity to secure their water rights prior to the use of fracking fluids.

Sincerely,  
Laura Brooks

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