

APPENDIX D

Indiana Water Pollution Control Board

Definition of the Water Pollution Control Board:

“The Water Pollution Control Board (WPCB) was established as an independent board under Indiana Code 13-18-1. State statutes provide authority for the WPCB to adopt rules regarding various water pollution matters. Indiana Code 13-18-3-2 provides the board the authority to adopt rules necessary for the implementation of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act and the Federal Safe Drinking Water Act. Indiana Code 13-18-3-1 provides the board the authority to adopt rules for the control and prevention of pollution in waters of Indiana and prevent any aquatic life or any beneficial animal or vegetable life from being destroyed or injured.

The board has eleven (11) members. The first two (2) are a technical secretary, and a legal counsel. The technical secretary and legal counsel are not voting members of the board, and may not be state employees. There are three (3) ex officio representatives on the board, who represent other state agencies and interests in water regulations. The remaining eight (8) members are representatives of various constituencies, and are appointed by the governor. The procedure the board and the department must follow in adopting rules is also set out in statute, in Indiana Code 13-14-9.” (IDEM, <http://www.in.gov/idem/water/planbr/rules/wpcbmembers.html>)

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Group 1 = Unrestricted consumption (at-risk population - limit consumption to 1 meal/week)*

Group 2 = Limit consumption to 1 meal/week (at-risk population - limit to 1 meal/month)*

Group 3 = Limit consumption to 1 meal/month (**at--risk population -- DO NOT EAT**)*

Group 4 = Limit consumption to 1 meal/2 months (**at--risk population -- DO NOT EAT**)*

Group 5 = DO NOT EAT

*At--risk populations include children under 15, pregnant or nursing women, and those women planning to have children within 6 years

County Name River, Stream, Lake, or Reservoir Name	Fish Species	Fish Length (inches)	Contaminant PCBs Hg (Mercury)	Group (1-5)	
Delaware County					
All Indiana Rivers and Streams (unless otherwise specified)	Carp	15-20	PCB, Hg	3	
		20-25	PCB, Hg	4	
		25+	PCB, Hg	5	
Buck Creek	Longear Sunfish	5-6	PCB	3	
		6+	PCB	4	
			Hg	3	
Mississinewa River	Smallmouth Bass	14+	Hg	3	
		White Sucker	14+	PCB	3
		Green Sunfish	6+	PCB	3
West Fork of WhiteRiver	Rock Bass	7+	PCB, Hg	3	
		Black Bullhead	9+	PCB	3
	Carp	14-16	PCB	3	
		16+	PCB	4	
	Channel Catfish	14-16	PCB	3	
		16+	PCB	4	
	Largemouth Bass	10-15	PCB, Hg	3	
		15+	PCB, Hg	4	
	Quillback	13-18	PCB	3	
		18+	PCB	4	
	Smallmouth Bass	13+	PCB, Hg	3	
	Spotted Sucker	11-13	PCB	3	
13+		PCB	4		
White Sucker	10-15	PCB	2		
	15+	PCB	3		

(Indiana Dept. of Health. 2004. 2003 Indiana Fish Consumption Advisory.
http://www.state.in.us/isdh/dataandstats/fish/fish_adv_index.htm.)