

ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND

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Dear Concerned Citizen:

I am writing to ask you to become a member of the Environmental Defense Fund. I make this request for three reasons:

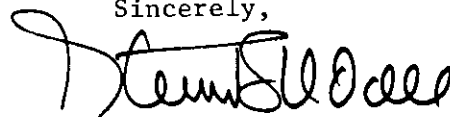
- 1) EDF is a one-of-a-kind organization. It is a coalition of scientists and lawyers bringing superbly documented cases of unnecessary environmental destruction before courts of law and government agencies. It documents not only what is wrong but what the preferable alternatives are to achieve the legitimate goals of the person, corporation or agency being sued.
- 2) The effort to preserve our environment is one on behalf of you and your children - and it is a long, continuing and costly one.
- 3) The more individuals like yourself who participate in this struggle through membership in EDF, the greater EDF's legal "standing" will be in court cases against those whose actions or inactions endanger the earth's natural resources.

EDF is a legal action arm for the scientific community and the environmental movement. EDF's lawyers and scientists work together to convert scientific evidence into court action. It has been in the forefront of a great many of the important environmental battles in recent years: against persistent pesticides, the preservation of free-flowing rivers; the halting of the Trans-Alaska pipeline until the least damaging route can be found; the challenges against cancer-producing food additives. EDF is currently involved in over 70 major cases, many of which are listed on the back of this letter.

EDF is for progress. Not just progress toward more material goods, but toward a better quality of life including a clean, diverse environment. Its basic goal is to require government and industry, through legal action to give adequate consideration to environmental consequences at the planning stage of new projects or products. This route, our experience has demonstrated, is the most effective way to bring about environmental reform.

We hope you will "appoint us your representative" in the courts of this country by becoming a member of EDF. Minimum membership is \$15, but any amount, large or small, will be appreciated and put to good use in our efforts.

Sincerely,



Stewart L. Udall

P.S. After you have looked over the list of cases appearing on the reverse side of this letter, please send your tax-deductible membership contribution in the enclosed reply envelope. Thank you.

SOME OF EDF'S ACTIVE CASES

POWER-ENERGY

Atomic Energy Commission, Regulatory Proceedings
Electric Utilities Pricing Structure, Rate Case
Four Corners Powerplants, Southwest
Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant No. 2, Hudson River, N.Y.
Trans-Alaska Pipeline, Alaska North Slope

LAND USE

Amendments to the Grazing Regulations, Dept. of Interior
Connecticut Wetlands, Redding
Half Moon Bay, Coastside Co., Calif.
Joyce Kilmer Memorial Forest, Slickrock Creek Drainage
Area, N.C.
Kosanke Sand Corp., Strip Mine Land Patent, Calif.
New Orleans Bridge
The 160 Acre Limitation, Calif.
Oregon and Calif. Forest Harvest
Tennessee Valley Authority Strip Mining

SPECIAL CASES

Amchitka Sea Otters
Application of NEPA to the Agencies for International De-
velopment
Fairness Doctrine, Notice of Inquiry
Predator Control
Railroad Freight Rate Structure, Interstate Commerce
Comm.
Washington Nat'l Airport, Noise
Whale Preservation
"Whistle Blowing" by Nuclear Power Plant Employees
(plant safety)
Federal Trade Commission Rule-Making, Gasoline Octane

PESTICIDES

Aldrin-Dieldrin
DDT-Suspension
DDT-Cancellation Proceedings
Gypsy Moth Control Program, Northeastern U.S.
Mirex Fire Ant Control, Southeast
2,4,5-T Herbicide Deregistration Proceeding at EPA

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

Airborne Lead Pollution, Calif.
Air Resources Board
Airborne Lead Pollution, Environmental Protection Agency
Blue Plains Sewage Treatment Plant, Washington, D.C.
DEP (Diethylpyrocarbonate), Beverage Preservative
Lead Poisoning, Lead Based Paint
DDVP-Pesticide, Hexachlorine-Germicide, Freedom of In-
formation
DES (Diethylstilbestrol), Cattle Feed Additives
Long Island Water, Environmental Protection Agency
Noise Research, Environmental Health
PCB, Polychlorinated Biphenals
Sodium Nitrite, Freedom of Information

WATER RESOURCES

Cache River Channelization, Arkansas
California Water Plan
Cross Florida Barge Canal
East Bay Municipal Utilities District, (MUD), California
East Side Division, Water Resources, Calif.
Gillham Dam, Arkansas
Truman Reservoir, Osage River, Mo.
Falmouth Dam, Licking River, Ky.
Normandy Dam, Duck River, Tenn.
Oakley Dam, Illinois
Public Works Project Discount Rate, Water Resources Guide-
lines Hearings
Tellico Project, Tennessee
Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterways, Miss.
Tocks Island Dam, Delaware River

HIGHWAYS

Century Freeway, Los Angeles, Cal.
Interstate 78, Lehigh Valley, Pa.

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