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The sentence in the draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System permit language, "Adulticides and their residues used for nuisance mosquito control must not be discharged into waters of the state.", must be replaced by "The Permittee is authorized to discharge incidental amounts of adulticides and their residues to waters of the state for nuisance and vector mosquito control." in order to continue the activities of mosquito control districts in the state of Washington. The idea that mosquito pesticide applications constitute "pollutant discharges" is absurd and would value human health, safety, and comfort less than a utopian goal to needlessly prevent any and all man made discharges into state waters.

Please display some common sense and continue to allow the mosquito control districts of the state to protect the citizenry from the very real and serious dangers of uncontrolled mosquito populations. It is impossible to adhere to the proposed permit guidelines and effectively control mosquitoes.

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