

Strongly urge the committee, the DOE, the DEQ, and other relevant state agencies to refrain from using the term “air purification systems”.

Many devices or systems labelled as air “purification” systems, portable and permanent, are not tested or certified, can ionize particulates and some even create ozone, often increasing or altering particulate in a home or building.

More accurate term would be “air filtration systems”, which includes HEPA filtration, UV filtration, etc., none of which create particulate or ozone, and will reduce particulate in indoor spaces.

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