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Re "[Bald Eagles in Catskills Show Increasing Mercury](#)" (Nov. 25):

Harmful emissions from Midwest power plants were cited as a source of increased mercury levels in the bald eagle population in the Catskills.

However, sources closer to home, like the grandfathered cement plants on the Hudson River, were not mentioned. Many of us living in this area have been concerned with increased activities at these plants (which, until recently, have received little attention

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from the state) not only for the sake of the wildlife, but also the human life that may well be affected by these toxic emissions.

Sarah Saul
Germantown, N.Y.

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