



LCV (0:30 TV – SPANISH): “ARIZONA ASTHMA ATTACK”

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<p><i>Children running in a field.</i></p> <p>Origen: ALA, Arizona Asthma Burden Report, 2016</p>	<p>El 10% de los niños en Arizona padecen asma.</p> <p><u>Translation:</u> 10% of children in Arizona suffer from Asthma.</p>	<p>10.9% Of Children In Arizona Suffer From Asthma. According to the American Lung Association, “10.9% of Arizona youth (17 years and younger) currently have asthma. This equates to 174,146 Arizona youth. The prevalence nationally among children is 9.2%.” [ALA, Arizona Asthma Burden Report, 2016]</p>
<p><i>Portraits of Flake and Pruitt, with smog surrounding them.</i></p> <p>SENADOR JEFF FLAKE</p> <p>SCOTT PRUITT</p> <p>Origen: PN44, Vote 71, 2/16/17</p>	<p>El voto del Senador Jeff Flake para poner a Scott Pruitt a cargo de la EPA sólo empeorará las cosas.</p> <p><u>Translation:</u> Senator Jeff Flake’s vote to put Scott Pruitt in charge of the EPA will only make things worse.</p>	<p>Flake Voted To Confirm Scott Pruitt To Be EPA Administrator. In February 2017, Flake voted to confirm Scott Pruitt to be Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency. The nomination was confirmed 52-46. [PN44, Vote 71, 2/16/17]</p>
<p><i>Portrait of Pruitt, with smog surrounding him. Image of power plant.</i></p> <p>SCOTT PRUITT</p> <p>3 MILLONES DE DÓLARES DE LOS MAYORES CONTAMINADORES (\$3 million from the biggest polluters)</p> <p>Origen: CQ MoneyLine, accessed 12/20/16; National Institute on Money in State Politics, accessed 12/20/16; Politico, 1/6/17</p>	<p>Con la ayuda de Pruitt se han recaudado más de 3 millones de dólares de parte de los mayores contaminadores.</p> <p><u>Translation:</u> Pruitt has helped raise over \$3 million from America’s biggest polluters.</p>	<p>Fossil Fuel Industries Gave More Than \$3 Million Directly To Scott Pruitt, To Groups He Led, And To Groups For Which He Fundraised</p> <p>Scott Pruitt Has Received \$345,246 In Campaign Contributions From Fossil Fuel Interests. According to the National Institute on Money in State Politics, in his career, Scott Pruitt has received \$345,246 from fossil fuel industries. This total includes \$42,385 from electric utilities; \$26,250 from mining; and \$276,611 from oil and gas. [National Institute on Money in State Politics, accessed 12/20/16]</p> <p>Fossil Fuel Interests Donated More Than \$2 Million To RAGA While Scott Pruitt Held Leadership Positions. RAGA raised \$2.48 million from fossil fuel interests between January of 2014 and February of 2016. During this time, Pruitt was a member of RAGA’s Executive Committee. [CQ Political MoneyLine, accessed 12/20/16]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • March 2012 – January 2014: Scott Pruitt Served As Chairman Of RAGA. Scott Pruitt was elected chairman of the Republican Attorneys General Association in March 2012, and re-elected to that position in February 2013. South Carolina Attorney General Alan Wilson took over the role in 2014. [Journal Record, 3/7/12; OK Atty Gen’s Office, 2/25/13; Associated Press, 11/29/13] • Nov. 2014 – Feb. 2016: Pruitt Was On RAGA’s Executive Committee. [RAGA, 11/17/14; Form 8871, 1/29/15, 2/1/16]



		<p>Two PACs Closely Associated With Pruitt Raised Nearly \$250,000 From Fossil Fuel Interests; He Helped Fundraise For Them. In January 2017, Politico reported, “Liberty 2.0, a super PAC launched in 2015 by Pruitt supporters, raised more than \$168,000 from energy interests, more than a third of its \$450,000 fundraising haul so far, according to a POLITICO review of Federal Election Commission records. A separate federal leadership PAC run by Pruitt, Oklahoma Strong Leadership, raised \$72,000 from energy interests out of the \$391,000 it's raised since it was founded in 2015, just weeks before the super PAC was set up.” [Politico, 1/6/17]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pruitt: “I Solicited Funds For Oklahoma Strong PAC From A Broad Array Of Individuals And Corporations.” Scott Pruitt wrote, “I solicited funds for Oklahoma Strong PAC from a broad array of individuals and corporations representing many different industries. While I do not recall specific solicitations, given my state's deep ties to farming and oil and gas, I do not doubt that I at some point fundraised from individuals with some connection to those industries. Staff members of the Oklahoma Strong PAC may have records of such solicitations, so requests for details would have to be made to that entity.” [Senate Environment and Public Works Committee, Questions for the Record, 1/18/17] • Pruitt: “I Have On Occasion Solicited Funds For Liberty 2.0.” Scott Pruitt wrote, “I have on occasion solicited funds for Liberty 2.0, and records of those solicitations may be maintained by the staff of that organization, so requests for details would have to be made to that entity. I do not recall the contents of any specific conversations that I may have had in this context” [Senate Environment and Public Works Committee, Questions for the Record, 1/18/17]
<p><i>Grand Canyon.</i></p> <p>DEMANDANDO A LA EPA 14 VECES (Sued EPA 14 Times)</p> <p>Origen: New York Times, 1/14/17</p>	<p>¿Qué hizo Pruitt? Demandó a la EPA 14 veces.</p> <p><u>Translation:</u> What did Pruitt do? Sue the EPA 14 times.</p>	<p>Pruitt Sued EPA 14 Times. According to an article in the New York Times, “[Pruitt’s] antipathy to federal regulation — he sued the Environmental Protection Agency 14 times — in many ways defined his tenure as Oklahoma’s attorney general.” [New York Times, 1/14/17]</p>
<p><i>Child in breathing mask.</i></p> <p>850 MIL ATAQUES DE ASMA (850,000 asthma)</p>	<p>Pruitt incluso trató de anular reglas que evitarían hasta 850,000 ataques de asma.</p>	<p>Pruitt Systematically Opposed Several EPA Rules That Would Prevent 850,000 Asthma Attacks</p> <p>EPA: Cross-State Air Pollution Rule Would Prevent 400,000 Asthma Attacks. An EPA fact sheet on the Cross-State Air Pollution Rule stated that emissions reductions from the final rule would, when</p>



<p>attacks)</p> <p>Origen: EPA, accessed 1/21/17; Tulsa World, 12/8/16; OK Atty. Gen., 3/20/15, 8/5/14; Utility Dive, 12/7/16</p>	<p><u>Translation:</u> Pruitt even tried to overturn rules that would prevent up to 850,000 asthma attacks</p>	<p>fully implemented, prevent 400,000 cases of aggravated asthma every year. [EPA, accessed 1/21/17]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2011: Oklahoma Joined States to Sue EPA Over Cross-State Pollution Rule. [Tulsa World, 12/8/16] <p>EPA: Clean Power Plan Will Avoid 90,000 Asthma Attacks. According to the EPA, “The Clean Power Plan has public health and climate benefits worth an estimated \$34 billion to \$54 billion per year in 2030, far outweighing the costs of \$8.4 billion. Reducing exposure to particle pollution and ozone in 2030 will avoid a projected: 1,500 to 3,600 premature deaths, 90,000 asthma attacks in children, Up to 1,700 heart attacks, 1,700 hospital admissions, 300,000 missed school and work days.” [EPA, 7/14/16]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2014: Oklahoma Joined Suit with Eleven Other States Over Proposed Clean Power Plan. [Oklahoma Attorney General, 8/5/14] <p>EPA: Meeting The 70 Ppb Standards Of Ozone Rule Will Prevent “320 To 660 Premature Deaths, 230,000 Asthma Attacks In Children” Annually Starting In 2025. According to the EPA, “EPA estimates that meeting the 70 ppb standards will yield health benefits valued at \$2.9 to \$5.9 billion annually in 2025 nationwide outside of California. These annual benefits include the value of avoiding a range of harmful health effects, including: 320 to 660 premature deaths, 230,000 asthma attacks in children, 160,000 days when kids miss school, 28,000 missed work days, 630 asthma-related emergency room visits, and 340 cases of acute bronchitis in children.” [EPA National Ambient Air Quality Standards, 10/1/15]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pruitt Called on EPA to Withdraw Ozone Rule. [Scott Pruitt Press Release, 3/20/15] <p>EPA: Mercury And Air Toxics Standards Will “Avert Up To...130,000 Asthma Attacks Every Year.” According to the EPA, “Continuing to improve our air quality with the new Mercury and Air Toxics Standards means the difference between being sick and being healthy - in some cases, life and death - for hundreds of thousands of people. These new standards will avert up to 11,000 premature deaths, 4,700 heart attacks and 130,000 asthma attacks every year.” [EPA, accessed 1/4/17]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pruitt Sued The EPA Over The Mercury And Air Toxics Standards Rule. [Utility Dive, 12/7/16]
<p><i>Portrait of Flake, with</i></p>	<p>Llame al Senador Jeff</p>	



<p><i>smog surrounding him.</i></p> <p>LLAME AL SENADOR JEFF FLAKE (Call Senator Jeff Flake.)</p> <p>(202) 224-4521</p>	<p>Flake y pídale que se enfrente a los contaminadores. Nuestros niños confían en nuestro apoyo.</p> <p><u>Translation:</u> Call Senator Jeff Flake and tell him to stand up to polluters. Our children are counting on our support.</p>	
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