

Public Comment on H.51, H.175, H.214
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To the House Energy and Technology Committee:

Supporting H51 is a good start in moving toward a more defined, committed climate policy aimed at mitigating environmental demise. We have been too tentative in our efforts so far. We need to follow this belated initiative with major investments in renewable energy sectors such as carbon capture, grid flexibility, concentrated solar installations, conservation agriculture and distributed energy storage. Vermont is a small state but we can still distinguish ourselves as a national leader in drawing down carbon. For me environmental degradation is the single most important issue there is.

Thank you
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