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Senator
The Senate
Parliament House
Canberra ACT 2600

Dear Senator:

RE: DUE DILIGENCE ON IPCC AS BASIS FOR CPRS LEGISLATION

You may feel assured by the government's repeated claims that its policy on global warming is based on reports by the UN's Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC). But from what I've learned, this is reason for alarm.

In the enclosed short article, John McLean shares IPCC data provided by the IPCC itself. The IPCC's data covers the IPCC's 2007 report, including chapter nine's claim that human activity caused global warming. That chapter was endorsed not by 4,000 scientists, but by only five (5) reviewers. And there's doubt they were even scientists. http://mclean.ch/climate/docs/IPCC_numbers.pdf

I'm sure you want to make a scientifically sound decision when voting on the government's proposed CPRS legislation and will be interested in a second succinct paper. In it, McLean shares IPCC data provided by the IPCC itself. That data reveals facts about IPCC reports. Entitled "An Analysis of the Review of the IPCC 4AR WG I Report", it can be obtained from: http://mclean.ch/climate/docs/IPCC_review_updated_analysis.pdf Allowing for charts and tables this contains around 11 pages of easy reading.

A third succinct paper by McLean discusses the IPCC's claim that humans caused the modest global warming that ended around 1998. IPCC data provided by the IPCC reveals the claim to be based on a small, tightly knit group of computer modellers working in contravention of the IPCC's own guidelines and

apparently making conclusions without any hard scientific data of physically measured observations. Available from:
http://www.heartland.org/policybot/results/23573/Prejudiced_Authors_Prejudiced_Findings.html

The IPCC stands exposed by its own data. IPCC reports provide no basis for policy. As confirmed by 'Key Points' and introductory paragraphs of chapter 2 of the Garnaut report, there is no data linking human activity to global warming that ended around 1998.

Ultimately, we all leave behind only our names. I hope you're able to invest a few minutes of your valuable time to read McLean's article(s). And hope that after the CPRS legislation vote you'll be comfortable with your name's position in the enduring parliamentary record.

Yours sincerely,

Malcolm Roberts

Enclosed:

- Chart showing Proportions of Gases in Earth's Atmosphere (1 page)
- Paper entitled: 'The IPCC Can't Count its "Expert Scientists" - Author and Reviewer Numbers Are Wrong' (5 pages)

cc:

The Honourable the Prime Minister, Kevin Rudd
The Honourable Leader of the Opposition, Malcolm Turnbull

Note:

You may be interested in a fourth succinct McLean article: "Why the IPCC Should be Disbanded". Available at:

<http://scienceandpublicpolicy.org/originals/whytheipccshouldbedisbanded.html>