

## HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 40

By COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND WATER

April 7

1 Delete lines 2 through 13 of the printed joint resolution and insert:

2 “Whereas Dr. Jane Lubchenco has been a member of the Oregon State University faculty since  
3 1977, holds the Wayne and Gladys Valley Professorship in Marine Biology, is a Distinguished Pro-  
4 fessor of Zoology and has contributed greatly to our knowledge of ocean ecosystems and human  
5 well-being; and

6 “Whereas Dr. Jane Lubchenco has received numerous major international and national awards  
7 for demonstrating the importance of ecological sustainability and helping to open a larger dialogue  
8 between scientists and the public, the latter chiefly through her presidency of the American Asso-  
9 ciation for the Advancement of Science and her creation of the influential Aldo Leopold Leadership  
10 Program for enhancement of communications around environmental science; and

11 “Whereas Dr. Jane Lubchenco cochaired the Governor’s advisory group on global warming,  
12 helping to develop an Oregon strategy on climate change, and has provided other valuable leader-  
13 ship through two terms of presidentially appointed service on the National Science Board; and

14 “Whereas Dr. Jane Lubchenco was confirmed by the United States Senate on March 19, 2009,  
15 as Under Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere and as Administrator of the National  
16 Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration; and

17 “Whereas the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration is the lead United States  
18 agency for the study of climate and oceans, the stewardship of coastal jobs and resources and the  
19 provision of vital weather information and services to Americans; and

20 “Whereas Dr. Jane Lubchenco, as head of the agency, will provide vital leadership in analyzing  
21 and shaping administrative policy with regard to key components of our environment; now, there-  
22 fore,”.

23 Delete lines 15 through 17 and insert:

24 “That the Seventy-fifth Legislative Assembly:

25 “(1) Recognizes and thanks Dr. Jane Lubchenco for her service to Oregon and for her valuable  
26 contributions to the science of marine biology and to our collective understanding of climate change.

27 “(2) Wishes Dr. Jane Lubchenco well in her new roles as Under Secretary of Commerce for  
28 Oceans and Atmosphere and as Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Adminis-  
29 tration.”.

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