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I am writing this email this morning to ask our government to please put a pause on this proposed bill during the short session. We, as Oregonians, cannot afford to push this agenda through without a bipartisan debate of a) what is our current impact/where is our rating on United States & Global Emissions; b) thorough evaluation of possible long term emissions impacts in the State of Oregon/United States/Globally; c) how this bill will grossly impact other forms of revenue and jobs in the State of Oregon. This bill can and will destroy everything Oregonians are proud of in this state; most specifically our farming. Oregon's contribution to global agriculture is irrefutable. We are a specialty-crop state that provides more than 200 commodities, ranking us #2 in the United States. While you may think this is the answer "now" and we "must act", the effects of this proposed bill will be catastrophic for our State and it's people, and the ripple effect that would be created is something we may never recover from. Please, stop viewing through tunnel vision, as there is much more at stake. If you care about Oregonians at all, the bill would be killed at this point, but if that isn't going to happen, put it on the ballot for voters. And if you won't do that, at least show good faith to your constituents and address in a long session, where it can be fully debated in a bipartisan matter. There are better ways to collect income from Oregonians, without completely destroying our state

Thank you,

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