

Dear Energy and Technology Committee member,

March 4, 2020

ATTN: Energy & Technology Commission

RE: SB 10, Climate Change Recommendations, Natural Gas Infrastructure Accountability (HB 5350) High Performance Green Building Standards (HB 5008)

SB 10, HB 5350, and HB 5008 are integral part of the serious challenges we face and decisive actions needed regarding Climate Change. Even those who dispute it, should not ignore that we are experiencing extreme weather patterns, more forest fires, rising seas, loss of habitats, and concomitant impacts to our air and water quality and inevitably human health..

Moreover, putting CT on track to achieve greenhouse gas commitments energizes our economy with state of the art technologies and opens new doors for 21st century jobs. Paired with the Green New Deal (SB 354), this bill will signal that Connecticut is willing to take the lead on Climate Change challenges and is serious about protecting our Environment and human health.

If Connecticut wants to be the go-to state and a desired place to live, we must ensure it attracts with high standards of living, top notch infrastructure (HB5350), and high Green Building Standards (HB 5008), and proactive stands for human health.

I ask that you endorse the merits of SB10, HB5350, HB 5008 Sincerely, Ann Beaudin Windsor, CT

Sincerely,

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