

JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE ON CARBON REDUCTION

September 25, 2018
12:00 PM

Hearing Room F

MEMBERS PRESENT: **Sen. Peter Courtney, Co-Chair** **Rep. Tina Kotek, Co-Chair**
 Sen. Cliff Bentz, Co-V Chair **Rep. Karin Power, Co-V Chair**
 Sen. Michael Dembrow, Co-V **Rep. David Brock Smith, Co-V Chair**
 Chair **Rep. Ken Helm**
 Sen. Lee Beyer **Rep. John Lively**
 Sen. Fred Girod **Rep. E. Werner Reschke**
 Sen. Alan Olsen **Rep. A. Richard Vial**
 Sen. Elizabeth Steiner Hayward

MEMBER(S) VISITING: **Rep. Deborah Boone**

STAFF PRESENT: **Beth Reiley, LPRO Analyst**
 Beth Patrino, LPRO Analyst
 Shelley Raszka, Committee Assistant

EXHIBITS: Exhibits from this meeting are available [here](#)

MEASURES/ISSUES: **Informational Meeting**
 Carbon Taxes/Regulations: Economic and Climate Impacts
 Exploring Linkage with Western Climate Initiative

00:00:09 Meeting Called to Order
00:00:10 Co-Chair Kotek

00:00:59 **[Carbon Taxes/Regulations: Economic and Climate Impacts -](#)**
 [Informational Meeting](#)
00:01:00 Co-Chair Kotek
00:01:18 EXHIBITS 1-7: Kevin Dayaratna, Senior Statistician and Research
 Programmer, Center for Data Analysis, Institute for Economic Freedom
 and Opportunity, The Heritage Foundation

00:13:34 Sen. Girod
00:14:34 Co-Vice Chair Power
00:16:08 EXHIBITS 8-9: Co-Vice Chair Dembrow
00:25:11 Rep. Lively
00:27:55 Sen. Olsen
00:30:19 Rep. Vial
00:34:07 Sen. Steiner Hayward
00:37:45 Co-Vice Chair Brock Smith

00:41:09 Rep. Helm
00:45:44 Sen. Beyer
00:48:10 The following is submitted for the record without public testimony:
EXHIBIT 10: Dave White, Chemical Engineer, Climate Change Truth, Inc.

00:48:25 **Exploring Linkage with Western Climate Initiative - Informational Meeting**

00:48:26 Co-Chair Kotek
00:49:48 EXHIBIT 11: Greg Tamblyn, Executive Director, Western Climate Initiative, Inc. (via telephone)
01:00:56 Elizabeth MacKay, Québec Government Representative, Los Angeles
01:11:19 EXHIBIT 12: Jean-Yves Benoit, Carbon Market Division, Québec Ministry of Sustainable Development, Environment and the Fight Against Climate Change (via telephone)
01:30:21 France Delisle, Carbon Market Division, Québec Ministry of Sustainable Development, Environment and the Fight Against Climate Change (via telephone)
01:33:14 Sen. Olsen
01:41:29 Sen. Steiner Hayward
01:46:54 Co-Vice Chair Power
01:53:35 Rep. Boone
01:54:59 Meeting Adjourned