

To Senators on the Senate Select Committee on Climate Policy

There's only one question really - do we take action or hope the whole problem will go away? The Victorian bushfires, Queensland floods and the NSW drought are just a taste of what will happen unless we get serious about the reality of climate change.

Please start putting our children's future ahead of short-term vested commercial interests.

The CPRS as it stands is a pay-the-polluter scheme, not a polluter-pays scheme. By providing Australia's worst polluters with billions of dollars of compensation in cash and free permits to pollute, the CPRS will protect the profits of Australia's worst climate offenders at the expense of clean industries.

Yours sincerely

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