

To Senators on the Senate Select Committee on Climate Policy,

Minister Penny Wong has described the 'Carbon Pollution Reduction Scheme' as 'better than nothing'. In my view, what she is really saying is "as long as we do something (or be seen to be doing something) it's ok".

Didn't the Rudd Government use the same line "it's better than nothing" for their so called stimulus package with ridiculous cash handouts ?

This type of comment from a government is pathetic and not good enough for such important issues.

They should rethink their policies and take serious note of the Greens views.

We need a strong, ambitious and fair emissions trading scheme, not a plan that protects polluters and prevents the changes which are essential for our future.

We don't want "better than nothing", we want the best we can get, which is not what the government is offering in the CPRS.

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