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The Department of Environmental Protection has received the following comments on Proposed Rulemaking: CO2 Budget Trading Program (#7-559).

Commenter Information:

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Comments entered:

I write in opposition to Governor Tom Wolf's proposed regulation, CO2 Budget Trading Program as published in the Pennsylvania Bulletin on November 7, 2020 (50. Pa.B. 6212), which will join Pennsylvania to the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI). I urge the Independent Regulatory Reform Commission (IRRC) to reject Governor Wolf's proposed RGGI tax. It appears science is mixed on this issue:

* Water vapor accounts for approximately 95% of the gas in the atmosphere.

* Human activity contributes very little to the amount of water vapor.

Why do we need to place such a costly burden on small business and families, especially during a pandemic? I believe it would be a grave mistake to implement this regulation!

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Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely, Jessica Shirley Jessica Shirley Director, Office of Policy PA Department of Environmental Protection Rachel Carson State Office Building P.O. Box 2063 Harrisburg, PA 17105-2063 Office: 717-783-8727 Fax: 717-783-8926 ecomment@pa.gov