

TO: Senate Budget & Taxation Committee

RE: SB 76/HB 33 The Climate Crisis and Education Act

Support

Dear Members of the Budget and Taxation Committee:

I am responding in favor of SB76/HB33, the Climate Crisis and Education Act.

People of color have been the first to be hurt by pollution, and the last to be protected. As a white person, I have observed that housing and education for this group have never been as good as what is available to whites. This bill will ensure that people of color make a just transition to a clean energy economy and builds resilient infrastructure in these communities. It is time for this inequality and unfairness to end.

Please pass HB33/SB76 as a step toward a restoration of justice that is sorely needed.

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