

Dear Mr. Marcus:

Thank you for your letter regarding your Sweden's actions regarding emissions of carbon dioxide.

President Bush takes the issue of global climate change very seriously. The President believes efforts to improve our environment must be based on the best science and sound economics. He has directed a Cabinet-level review to thoroughly examine the full range of issues related to climate change. This group is meeting regularly in its efforts to complete the review and make recommendations to the President.

I appreciate your taking the time to explain what you see is happening in Sweden.

Sincerely,

John L. Howard, Jr.
Associate Director