

Appendix A. Analysis Request Letter

Congress of the United States
Washington, DC 20515

May 2, 2006

The Honorable Guy Caruso
Administrator
Energy Information Administration
1000 Independence Avenue S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20585

Dear Administrator Caruso,

We are writing to request an economic and industry analysis of the impacts that would result from enactment of H.R. 5049, the Keep America Competitive Global Warming Policy Act. A similar analysis was done by EIA concerning S. 139, the Climate Stewardship Act and subsequent amendments to that policy.

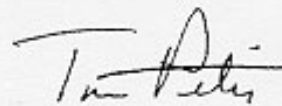
H.R. 5049 is a new approach to the global warming issue, more modest than its predecessors. The policy we set forth in our legislation takes steps to minimize the negative effects greenhouse gas emissions policy might have on the American economy. For example, greenhouse gas emission allowances are allocated to energy producers and those individuals and communities who are potentially dislocated by the policy. In short, we believe our policy will not cost Americans their jobs. The bill also employs a policy device known as a safety valve to limit cost run-up in the cap and trade allowance system, providing certainty to investors in the energy sector.

This matter is of increasing importance to the American people and we would appreciate a timely response in order to better inform debate on the House floor.

Sincerely,



Tom Udall
Member of Congress



Tom Petri
Member of Congress