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Expressing the sense of Congress that a carbon tax is not in the economic interest of the United States.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 7, 2012

Mr. POMPEO (for himself, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. FINCHER, Mr. FLEISCHMANN, Mr. GIBBS, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. HUELSKAMP, Mr. JONES, Mr. LANDRY, Mr. LANKFORD, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. OLSON, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. TERRY, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. AUSTIN SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. FLORES, Mr. MULVANEY, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. MASSIE, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. BRADY of Texas, and Mr. NUNNELEE) submitted the following concurrent resolution; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means

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CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Expressing the sense of Congress that a carbon tax is not in the economic interest of the United States.

Whereas a carbon tax is regressive in nature and would unfairly burden those vulnerable individuals and families in the United States that are already struggling under a stagnating economy;

Whereas a carbon tax would increase the cost of every good manufactured in the United States;

Whereas a carbon tax would harm the entire United States manufacturing sector;

Whereas the increase in production of domestic energy resources on private and state-owned land has created significant job growth and private capital investment; and

Whereas affordable and reliable energy sources are critical to maintaining the United States global competitiveness: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That it is the sense of Congress that a carbon tax would be detrimental to American families and businesses, and is not in the interest of the United States.

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