

Consultation on setting New Zealand's post-2020 climate change target

My submission

You should establish a Minister for Climate Change -with no other portfolios – to show your seriousness.

You should show the costs to future generations of the current virtual inaction. What will be costs to my grand children ?

Stop public subsidies to polluters and non-renewables. Subsidise good behaviours.

Agree a target of at least 5% carbon reductions pa.

End the ETS. Introduce a carbon tax so the full costs of undesirable behaviour is shown.

Go local. Start regional production of, say, solar energy systems.

Give the public some sense of leadership and action.

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