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A climate law like the Zero Carbon Act is important because...	The Zero Carbon Act is important because it unites the government with scientific evidence and with New Zealanders fighting for the future well-being of the planet. It is an achievable target and honourable example to the rest of the world. I also feel like it is a positive opportunity for New Zealand both socially and economically. Climate change is the biggest challenge this generation faces. I am a young man working as a nurseryman, growing and selling trees. I have chosen this lifestyle because I wish to make the greatest impact against climate change. It is nice to see organisations like generation zero and the NZ government facing these issues too.
Long-term target	I support the most ambitious target of reducing total greenhouse gases to net zero by 2050. I also support taking a science-based approach to ensure our efforts to reduce emissions are as impactful as possible: we should aim for negative levels of long-lived gases, while reducing short-lived gases to sustainable levels. This target should be reached by reducing our own emissions and not by using international carbon credits.
Climate Commission	I support the establishment of an independent Climate Commission that is made up of experts and provides advice, but does not make final decisions.
Adaptation	I support a plan for adaptation being included in the Zero Carbon Act.
Climate justice	A Zero Carbon Act must be just and fair in that it honours Te Tiriti o Waitangi; ensures a just transition for workers and communities; and avoids passing on the costs to future generations.
Further comments	

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