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Chair Witt and members of the House Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee,

My apologies for the mass e-mail to the committee. I am unable to attend this afternoon's special committee hearing and was unsure there would be a need to do so regardless, as it was billed as a work session only for HB 2050. I noticed this afternoon that the agenda now notes that there may be public testimony allowed for HB 2050, so I wanted to quickly let you know the Sierra Club's position on it.

In short, we continue to oppose the bill with the proposed amendments. We have previously expressed our concerns about the original bill and those are in the record on OLIS for your consideration. In my opinion, the proposed amendments to the bill do not assuage those concerns and we must therefore continue to oppose House Bill 2050.

Thank you for considering my comments and please let me know if you have any questions about our position.

Sincerely,

Rhett Lawrence

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