

Attention: Oregon House Committee on Climate, Energy & Environment

Re: Advanced Clean Truck Rules

Dear Co-Chairs McLain, Gorsek and Members of the Committee,

My name is Troy Jones and I have worked in Industrial Construction until my recent retirement. Our company was based in Albany, Oregon and installed wood product facilities around the United States for over 60 years.

As an introduction to the workplace, I worked on my aunt and uncle's farm near Harrisburg, Oregon. This is where I learned my values and work ethic. I believe this personal and learned experience led to my overall success in life.

I am writing you, today, to please delay the Advanced Clean Truck legislation.

In so many instances, with newer technology, we can get "ahead of ourselves"; not realizing or understanding the full "downstream" impacts of such a rule.

Facts are, we do not currently possess adequate technology, infrastructure and affordable equipment with the ability to properly meet Construction and/or Farming needs. Should these industries be forced to take these actions, it will have a huge negative impact on our State and Country by driving already inflationary costs upward.

As a State, we must not take action that will negatively impact these valued industries and our citizens by passing laws that will cripple, two already extremely competitive and struggling industries. Construction and Farming are so essential to our overall well-being and a healthy work force.

Please take appropriate action to delay the Advanced Clean Truck rules until we have a much clearer path for success for such a law.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Troy Jones', is written over a horizontal line. The signature is stylized and somewhat cursive.

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