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Honorable Joe Nguyen Honorable Drew MacEwen Senate Environment, Energy & Technology Committee

Honorable Beth Doglio Honorable Mary Dye House Environment & Energy Committee

Dear Senators Nguyen and MacEwen and Representatives Doglio and Dye:

The Climate Commitment Act (RCW 70A.65.200(10)) directs the Office of Financial Management to submit a report to the Legislature summarizing two categories of state laws: laws that regulate greenhouse gas emissions from stationary sources and laws whose implementation may effectuate reductions in greenhouse gas emissions from stationary sources.

I am pleased to transmit the <u>Washington State Laws Affecting Greenhouse Gas Emissions Study Report</u> that was prepared by Hammerschlag LLC.

If you have any questions, please contact Jim Cahill, Senior Budget Advisor, at <u>jim.cahill@ofm.wa.gov</u> or (360) 790-2630.

Sincerely,

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Director

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