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Katherine S. Dykes
Commissioner, Connecticut Department of Energy and Environmental Protection
79 Elm Street
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SUBJECT: Extension of Public Comment Period

Dear Commissioner Dykes,

I hope this letter finds you well. I appreciate your prompt attention to the matter discussed in my previous correspondence regarding the rescheduling of the electric vehicle mandate hearing. While I understand the complexities involved, I am disappointed to learn that my request for a one-week delay and an in-person session with remote participation option has been denied.

In light of this, I am writing to respectfully request a commonsense extension of the public comment period pertaining to the proposed electric vehicle mandate. Given the current circumstances and the limitations of virtual engagement, it is imperative that we provide ample opportunity for individuals to articulate their opinions and provide input on this significant policy proposal. I firmly believe that by extending the public comment period, we can uphold the principles of inclusivity, transparency, and effective governance that our great state stands for.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. I look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

Jeff Gordon State Senator 35th