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To: Senator Norman Needleman, Co Chair Energy and Technology Committee
Representative David Arconti, Co Chair Energy and Technology Committee
Senator Gary Winfield, Vice Chair Energy and Technology Committee
Representative Raghiv Allie- Brennan, Vice Chair Energy and Technology Committee
Senator Paul Formica, Ranking Member Energy and Technology Committee
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From: Ben Candea, Norwalk, CT

Re: Testimony in Favor of S.B. 882 and S.B. 952

I am in support of both S.B. 882 and S.B. 952 but I believe the Committee should consider changes to S.B. 882.

S.B. 882 in its current state doesn't have provisions to ensure that electricity will be zero-carbon by 2040. We must stop construction of fossil fuel power plants in the state moving forward; doing so allows us to ensure zero-carbon electricity.

We must take every available action to find solutions to climate change for future generations. I'm asking that we consider our future, our legacy, and the need to prevent a climate catastrophe.

Sincerely,

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