

TO: The Honorable Members of the PA Senate Environmental Resources and Energy Committee

FROM: Amy Brinton, Director, Government Affairs

DATE: October 20, 2025

RE: **PA Chamber memo: Support S.B. 1068**

On behalf of the Pennsylvania Chamber of Business and Industry (PA Chamber), representing nearly 10,000 member companies of all sizes from across all commercial and industrial sectors, I am writing to express our **support for Senate Bill 1068**, which is scheduled for before the Senate Environmental Resources and Energy Committee today.

Senate Bill 1068 withdraws Pennsylvania from the Regional Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI), a multistate cap-and-trade program designed to reduce carbon emissions from power plants. By doing so, the bill reduces unnecessary financial burdens on businesses in Pennsylvania, promoting a more competitive business environment, and fostering economic growth.

Eliminating costly carbon taxes that have disproportionately impacted energy-intensive industries, such as manufacturing and power generation will not only lower operational costs for businesses, but encourages investment in new energy generation projects in the Commonwealth. For these reasons, we believe Senate Bill 1068 is a critical step toward supporting Pennsylvania's business.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Please contact Amy Brinton via email at abrinton@pachamber.org or at 717-720-5565, should you have any questions or concerns.

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