

PRO H5217

All Rhode Islanders have a right to clean air. Pollution is not a climate solution.

Rhode Island's current policy allows for weather modification--this needs to be corrected, and will be by the carefully written bill H5217.

H5217, the Clean Air Preservation Act, addresses weather modification policy. Rhode Islanders never voted for or gave consent to federal weather control. Atmospheric experimentation is a harmful use of technology and therefore must be banned in order to protect people and nature. I urge you to correct RI's weather modification policy by passing H5217.

The number of states that are working to ban cloud seeding activities is now at twenty-two. Rhode Island must act responsibly and pass this pollution preventing policy this year. With the passage of H5217, Rhode Island will continue to lead the nation in environmental protection.

Thank you in advance for voting to pass this crucial legislation out of committee so that it can be voted on by the entire House.

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