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TO: Joint Committee on Transportation
FROM: Senator William N. Brownsberger *W.N.B.*
RE: Senate Bill S1636
DATE: October 29, 2013

I am writing in favor of S1636, An Act reducing permitted idling times.

S1636 would reduce the lawful length of vehicle idling time from five minutes to two minutes, thereby limiting exhaust and carbon emissions. This simple measure would have a positive environmental impact.

I hope you will report this bill favorably.

