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I would like to say that the proposed rule relating to zero-emission vehicles is not a good idea. I don't need to go into the technical failures of such vehicles, nor do I need to say anything about the out-of-range cost to the average consumer. I simply want to say that to mandate ANY MINUMUM number of sales is to reduce or remove freedom of choice on behalf of the buyers. We thrive on freedom of choice in every aspect of our lives and to minimize the freedom is to infringe on our constitutional rights as citizens.

Thank you. Kenneth Hinkley Dixfield, ME