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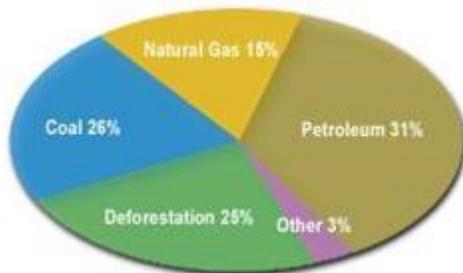
Subject: SCR 28 Workgroup - Comments/Recommendations from The Nature Conservancy

Importance: High

SCR28 Workgroup Members,

I would appreciate your consideration of the attached memo which represents The Nature Conservancy's position with respect to auction allocation percentages and uses of revenue in Delaware.

As one can see from the chart below reforestation and preservation of forest land represents a significant opportunity to offset CO2 emissions. Unfortunately, Delaware currently loses forests at a rate of 3,000 acres per year. Using a portion of revenue from Delaware's auction allocation to fund our state Forestland Preservation program could help reverse this trend.



Global CO2 Sources

I will be at tomorrow's meeting, if anyone has any questions. Thank you for your consideration of our comments.

Regards,

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