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The Honorable Thomas R. Carper Chairman Committee on Environment and Public Works 410 Dirksen Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Shelley Moore Capito
Ranking Member
Committee on Environment and Public Works
456 Dirksen Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Carper, Ranking Member Capito, and members of the Committee on Environment and Public Works,

The undersigned organizations support the *Providing Reliable, Objective, Verifiable Emissions Intensity and Transparency (PROVE IT) Act* introduced by Sens. Chris Coons (D-DE) and Kevin Cramer (R-ND).

As trade associations and nonprofit organizations who prioritize a strong U.S. economy and global emissions reduction, we urge your support of the PROVE IT Act. The PROVE IT Act directs the Department of Energy, in coordination with other agencies, to conduct a study to compare the U.S. carbon efficiency for dozens of products to the emissions of those same goods in certain foreign countries, including China.

We believe this study will highlight that American-based businesses are among the world leaders in carbon efficiency. The PROVE IT Act will be a useful tool in defending and promoting U.S. commercial interests, lowering global emissions, and ensuring U.S. products are not unfairly treated in global markets.

Sincerely,

American Conservation Coalition Action American Iron and Steel Institute American Petroleum Institute Bipartisan Policy Center Action Center for Climate and Energy Solutions Climate Leadership Council Industrial Energy Consumers of America Steel Manufacturers Association Third Way Ultra Low-Carbon Solar Alliance United States Chamber of Commerce