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To: Climate Change@EPA
Subject: question about AB 74 study

Dear CalEPA -

My name is Kyle Meng and I am a faculty member at the Bren School at UC Santa Barbara.

There are many interesting issues covered by this proposed scope of work. However, much remains unknown when it comes to clean energy transitions and their economic and equity impacts, in large part because of the unprecedented nature of California's 2045 climate goals. Is there scope in these AB 74 studies for conducting rigorous, new research on questions around energy transitions? Or would most of the AB 74 studies consist of summaries of what is currently known (of which the answer is: very little).

Thank you.

Sincerely, Kyle Meng

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