Letter to the Editor

The Letters Editor,

Physicist Advocates Return To Commonsense

This morning's news informs us that the PM and Treasurer are determined to press on with their CO2 tax. It is intended to cut the use of power by Australians.

Dr. Gregory Young, Neuroscientist and Physicist, is a theoretical and experimental physicist and leader of a biophysics engineering research group.

Together with 12,850 scientific degree holders, he recently wrote that it is time for responsible States and news reporters to have a re-examination of:

- The IPCC fable they have been peddling for decades.
- Real climate science versus pseudo-science.
- Scientific economics versus Sternsian, and Garnetarian pseudo-economics.
- The very notion that we face some kind of climate catastrophe due to carbon dioxide emissions, is ridiculous. Especially considering that the CO2 content of the atmosphere is a mere 385 parts per 1,000,000.
- All living matter on earth needs this concentration to survive. Plant life thrives on any increases and any huge excess injected naturally by undersea and surface volcanoes and other means are absorbed by the vast oceans of the planet.
- To any politically unbiased scientist or normally observant person, the sun is the contributor to changes in temperature due to its variable energy output and hence the climate on the planet.

And as the climate has changed and will continue to change, humans and other planetary species have developed a remarkably ability to adapt to changes, whether they be warmer or cooler.

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