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## Statement by Sen. Kathleen Taylor on Clean Energy Jobs bill

SALEM – Sen. Kathleen Taylor, D-Portland, released the following statement today regarding the progress of the Oregon Clean Energy Jobs bill:

“It’s an exciting time to be working on a policy like Clean Energy Jobs. We know it’s a critical moment for our state to shift to a clean economy and a tremendous opportunity for growth. We’re able to build on the work of those who have researched policy options for years in the Legislature and across our region, and complete the unfinished business by getting the details right.”

The Clean Energy Jobs bill is being refined by four bipartisan work groups – made up of legislators and stakeholders from a wide range of industry and interest groups – in advance of the upcoming 2018 Session, which kicks off in February.

More information about the bill is available online at <https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/helm/Pages/clean-energy.aspx> and statements about the progress of the bill from chief sponsors Sen. Michael Dembrow, D-Portland, and Rep. Ken Helm, D-Beaverton, are available at <https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/senatedemocrats/Documents/CleanEnergyJobsStatement.pdf>.

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