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MEMORANDUM

May 31, 2024

To: Members, Committee on Oversight and Accountability

From: Committee Staff

Re: Hearing titled “Oversight of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency”

On Wednesday, June 5, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. ET in 2154 Rayburn House Office Building, the Full Committee on Oversight and Accountability will hold a hearing titled “Oversight of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.”

I. BACKGROUND:

Throughout the 118th Congress, the Committee on Oversight and Accountability has explored the impacts of excessive regulation, including environmental regulation, on U.S. consumers, small businesses, and industries. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has been at the leading edge of the Biden Administration’s historic level of regulatory activity, particularly through the Administration’s climate initiatives, putting forth regulations that attempt to transform entire sectors of the U.S. economy while increasing costs to both businesses and consumers.

II. HEARING PURPOSE:

The hearing will allow Members to obtain information from EPA on the Biden Administration’s environmental regulatory activity and EPA’s mission to protect human health and the environment.

III. WITNESS:

The Honorable Michael S. Regan
Administrator
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency