

I write in opposition to SB 294 as a parent, grandparent and lifelong Ohioan deeply concerned about the need for more real clean energy. Labeling solar and wind as unreliable, as this bill proposes, would hurt Ohio companies that make these renewables available. If passed, SB 294 would reclassify gas and nuclear as “clean,” making it possible for clean energy credits meant for real renewables to be awarded to the newly misbranded ones. Why would any senator seeking to increase jobs in Ohio want to hurt the growing solar panel industry? Why would any legislator who cares about clean air and water want to give unfair advantages to “unclean” or potentially unsafe industries?

I urge you to vote NO on SB 294.

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