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Pardon me, but can I just say that this took an awfully long time. Should have been doing this months ago, and in a much more public way. Select committee on science and technology is too limited of a forum for this.

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HEARING 12/2: State of Climate Science

UPDATED MEDIA ADVISORY FOR 10 AM, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2009

Contact: Select Committee, 202-225-4012  
Select Committee Hearing: State of Climate Science  
Drs. Holdren, Lubchenco to Show Urgency of Impacts, Risk

\*\*This hearing will be WEBCAST LIVE.

WASHINGTON – With the international climate change talks in Copenhagen fast approaching, there is real urgency to reach diplomatic consensus on a planetary solution. In a hearing this Wednesday, the Select Committee will explore with climate scientists from the Obama administration the urgent, consensus view on our planetary problem: that global warming is real, and the science indicates that it is getting worse.

At the hearing, Chairman Edward J. Markey (D-Mass.) will host two of America's preeminent climate scientists, Dr. John Holdren and Dr. Jane Lubchenco.

Dr. Holdren is the Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, and was formerly a professor at Harvard University and the director of the acclaimed Woods Hole Research Center.

Dr. Lubchenco is the Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), the United States' leading climate office.

The past decade has been the hottest in recorded history, with all of the years since 2001 being in the top 10 of hottest, according to NASA. This summer, the world's oceans were the warmest in NOAA's 130 years of record-keeping. Meanwhile, global heat-trapping pollution continues to rise.

WHAT: Select Committee hearing on the State of Climate Science

WHEN: 10 AM, Wednesday, December 2nd, 2009

WHERE: B-318 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC  
and on the web at [globalwarming.house.gov](http://globalwarming.house.gov)

WHO:

Dr. John Holdren, Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy  
Dr. Jane Lubchenco, Administrator, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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