

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION ON ENVIRONMENTAL AND ECONOMIC STEWARDSHIP

Representative **Rebecca P. Edwards** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 2, Lines 45 through 54:*

45 WHEREAS, the Department of Health has issued a report outlining the increased risk  
46 of extreme weather events, including wildfires, water scarcity, and flooding;

47 {~~WHEREAS, the Department of Health has reported an increase in the prevalence of~~  
48 ~~health concerns such as elevated asthma rates and other respiratory illnesses as a potential~~  
49 ~~consequence of a changing climate;~~}

50 WHEREAS, the impacts of a changing climate may {~~negatively~~} affect Utah citizens and  
51 impair productivity in key economic areas;

52 WHEREAS, any efforts to mitigate the risks of, prepare for, or otherwise address our  
53 changing climate and its effects should not constrain the economy nor its global  
54 competitiveness; and