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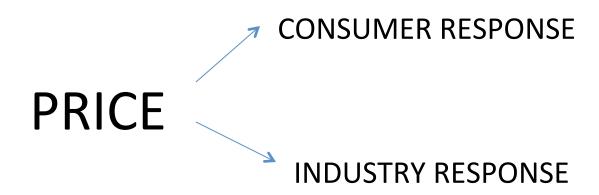
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"Socialism collapsed because it did not allow prices to tell the economic truth. Capitalism may collapse because it does not allow prices to tell the ecological truth."

- Oystein Dahle, retired VP of Esso Norway

By and large, we consume as much as our incomes allow. What this means is that changes of the kind I advocate...cannot take place without constraints that apply to everyone rather than everyone else. Man made global warming cannot be restrained unless we persuade the government to force us to change the way we live.

- George Monbiot, <u>Heat</u>



NOT DOING SOMETHING THAT IS NECESSARY

IS SUFFICIENT

TO ENSURE FAILURE.

IF SOMETHING EXISTS, IT IS POSSIBLE.

October 15, 2012, 8:10 am Norway Increases
Carbon Tax on Domestic Production
By CHRISTOPHER F. SCHUETZE

Norway will nearly double the carbon dioxide tax rate for its offshore oil and gas production in 2013, the country's environment ministry announced <u>last week</u>.

By raising the tax rate from 210 Norwegian Krone to 410 Krone (or €28 to more than €55) per ton of CO₂, the Norwegian government is setting one of the highest carbon tax rates in the world.

JUSTICE FAIRNESS EQUITY

SPEED

IN THE THREE PRESIDENTIAL DEBATES, FALL 2012:

TERM

NUMBER TIMES MENTIONED

CLIMATE 0

CARBON

GREENHOUSE 0

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