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## **Clean Energy Jobs bill takes next step toward passage**

SALEM, Ore. -- Tonight, the Joint Ways and Means subcommittee on Natural Resources passed the Clean Energy Jobs bill, HB 2020-101 & 103 on to the full Joint Ways and Means committee for consideration. The path for passage for the bill is an affirmative vote in the full committee, followed by votes on the House floor and Senate floor and a signature from Governor Kate Brown.

"Oregon's effort to cap climate pollution and transition our state to a clean energy economy with significant investment has never felt closer to reality. The policy is in place and now it's time to vote to pass it," said Tera Hurst, Executive Director of Renew Oregon. "The program will generate significant funds to help Oregonians, in communities across the state, make the transition to clean energy, which will result in healthier air, job creation and long-term savings."

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Renew Oregon is a clean energy advocacy coalition of businesses and workers, healthcare professionals and parents, farmers and ranchers, faith and community organizations, and individuals coming together to move our state away from polluting energy to a clean energy economy. We are working to create good-paying jobs for all Oregonians, protect air and water from pollution, and help families stay healthy.

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