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Quick Quotes

Secretary Kerry Leads in Promoting Junk Science



John Kerry AP Images

"The world has come together around an agreement that will empower us to chart a new path for our planet."

Secretary of State **John Kerry** has spent much of the past year negotiating behind the scenes with Chinese and Indian counterparts to get them to sign on to the agreement just reached in Paris.

Longtime Promoter of Global Warming Criticizes Paris Agreement

"It's a fraud really, a fake. It's just bull****.... There is no action, just promises."

Retired NASA climate scientist/activist Dr. **James E. Hansen**, often referred to as "the father of global warming," charges that the Paris Agreement does not go far enough.

More Than Three Dozen Senators Send Complaints to White House

"Our constituents are worried that the pledges you are committing the United States to will strengthen foreign economies at the expense of American workers. They are also skeptical about sending billions of their hard-earned dollars to government officials from developing nations."

In a letter also signed by 35 Senate colleagues, Senators **James Inhofe** (R-Okla.) and **John Barrasso** (R-Wy.) protested the plans of President Obama to deal with what they believe is a non-problem: global warming.



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The CFR Has a Climate Specialist

"The world finally has a framework on climate change that's suited to the task. Whether or not this becomes a true turning point for the world, though, depends critically on how seriously countries follow through."

Described as an expert on energy and climate-change policy at the Council on Foreign Relations, **Michael Levi** promotes the claim that humans are causing global warming.

Australian Climate Scientist Deflates UN CO₂ Balloon

"If you talk to most scientists, they will acknowledge that carbon dioxide is not a pollutant. Indeed, it's grotesque to call it a pollutant. It's an abuse of logic, it's an abuse of language, and it's an abuse of science.... Carbon dioxide is literally the stuff of life."

Speaking to The New American at the Heartland Institute's summit in Paris, **Dr. Robert Carter**, an eminent palaeontologist/marine geologist and former chief of the School of Earth Sciences at James Cook University, slammed the UN's politicized "science."

Democrat Senator Says Republicans Cannot Impede Obama's Rules

"The Republicans do not have the votes to overturn the President's clean-power rules."

While in Paris for the climate conference, Senator **Edward Markey** (D-Mass.) assured delegates from other countries that there are not a sufficient number of GOP climate-change skeptics in the Senate to block President Obama's EPA mandates to massively cut fossil-fuel usage.

Chinese Climate-change Negotiator Cheers Paris Agreement

"The agreement is not perfect and there are some areas in need of improvement. It is fair and just, comprehensive and balanced, highly ambitious, enduring and effective."

Xie Zhenhua, representing China, which emits almost twice as much CO_2 as the United States does, praises what even he stated is "not perfect."

Blame the Republicans

"The GOP is spiraling ever deeper into a black hole of denial and anti-science conspiracy theorizing. The game-changing news is that this may not matter as much as we thought."

New York Times Nobel Prize winner **Paul Krugman** customarily dispenses either ignorance or deliberate misinformation regarding economics. Now, fashioning himself a climate expert, he stubbornly ignores real science and descends to name-calling.



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