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I commend the Pew Center for initiating the Climate Dialogue that brought senior policy makers from 15 countries together to address how to sustain and advance the international climate effort beyond 2012. At DuPont, we are very much aligned with the Dialogue's report and recommendations.

Climate change presents a long-term challenge: how to address its causes and prepare for its potential consequences. At the same time it presents business an opportunity to develop the new products and technologies that will reduce greenhouse gases – to grow a business while addressing a societal need. That is what DuPont's mission of sustainable growth is all about. We are committed to aggressively reducing our own greenhouse gas footprint while enthusiastically developing innovative products and services to help our customers reduce their carbon emissions.

The Climate Dialogue recognizes that climate protection must be achieved in ways that are compatible with economic development. Consistent with the Dialogue findings, we support the need for a long-term effort that encourages approaches for each sector of the economy and involves all major emitting nations. We support the need for market-based mechanisms, and we have participated in emissions trading both in regulated and voluntary frameworks such as the UK emissions trading scheme and the Chicago Climate Exchange. We agree that bringing climate-friendly technology into the marketplace is essential.

At DuPont, we will devote our knowledge, tools and resources to develop products and services that reduce carbon emissions and impacts. We believe that climate policy and energy policies need to be integrated. We are currently leading a research program with the support of US Department of Energy to develop an integrated corn bio-refinery process that will convert the entire corn plant into bio-derived chemicals and bio-fuels.

The Climate Dialogue sets a clear direction for the long-term effort to address global warming and climate change. DuPont will continue to play an active role in meeting this challenge as we pursue sustainable growth.