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Subject: *Kyoto Protocol Implementation Act and the Criminal Code*

Mr. Saunders:

The *Kyoto Protocol Implementation Act*, S.C., 2007, c. 30 is not followed. Serious harm can follow to individuals and the environment.

The offence under subsection 126(1) of the *Criminal Code*, disobeying a statute, seems to apply:

Disobeying a statute

126. (1) Every one who, without lawful excuse, contravenes an Act of Parliament by wilfully doing anything that it forbids or by wilfully omitting to do anything that it requires to be done is, unless a punishment is expressly provided by law, guilty of an indictable offence and liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years.

Attorney General of Canada may act

(2) Any proceedings in respect of a contravention of or conspiracy to contravene an Act mentioned in subsection (1), other than this Act, may be instituted at the instance of the Government of Canada and conducted by or on behalf of that Government.

As this is a matter that falls under par. 3(3)(e) of the *Director of Public Prosecutions Act*, could you please give me some information and your opinion on this issue. Thank you.

Sincerely,



François Lareau