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As your constituents, **we are urging you to support the Scientific Integrity Act (S.4545 / H.R.1106)**, in this Congress and the next. The bipartisan Scientific Integrity Act would put into law protections against censorship, manipulation, and politically motivated findings in federal science. It would also require federal agencies that fund, conduct, or oversee scientific research to adopt, enforce, and maintain strong scientific integrity policies.

Scientific integrity is the principle that scientific research and evidence should guide public policy without being censored, manipulated or distorted by political or corporate interests.

Scientific integrity protects important checks and balances and is essential to our democracy, as it allows people to examine evidence behind policy decisions.

Since the start of the second Trump administration, there have been more than 570 attacks on science.* Approximately 33% of those attacks — including political interference in scientific studies, censorship of federal scientists, disbanding advisory committees of experts, and restricting the use of key public health data — are potential scientific integrity violations that could be prevented or remedied with a strong federal Scientific Integrity law — which currently does not exist in the US.

When you return to Washington, D.C. next month, we ask that you robustly support the passage of the Scientific Integrity Act. We know that you will do all you can to defend science from attacks that harm our community, and we appreciate your support!

Sincerely,

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*Union of Concerned Scientists, www.ucs.org/resources/attacks-on-science