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Dear Mr Yeo,

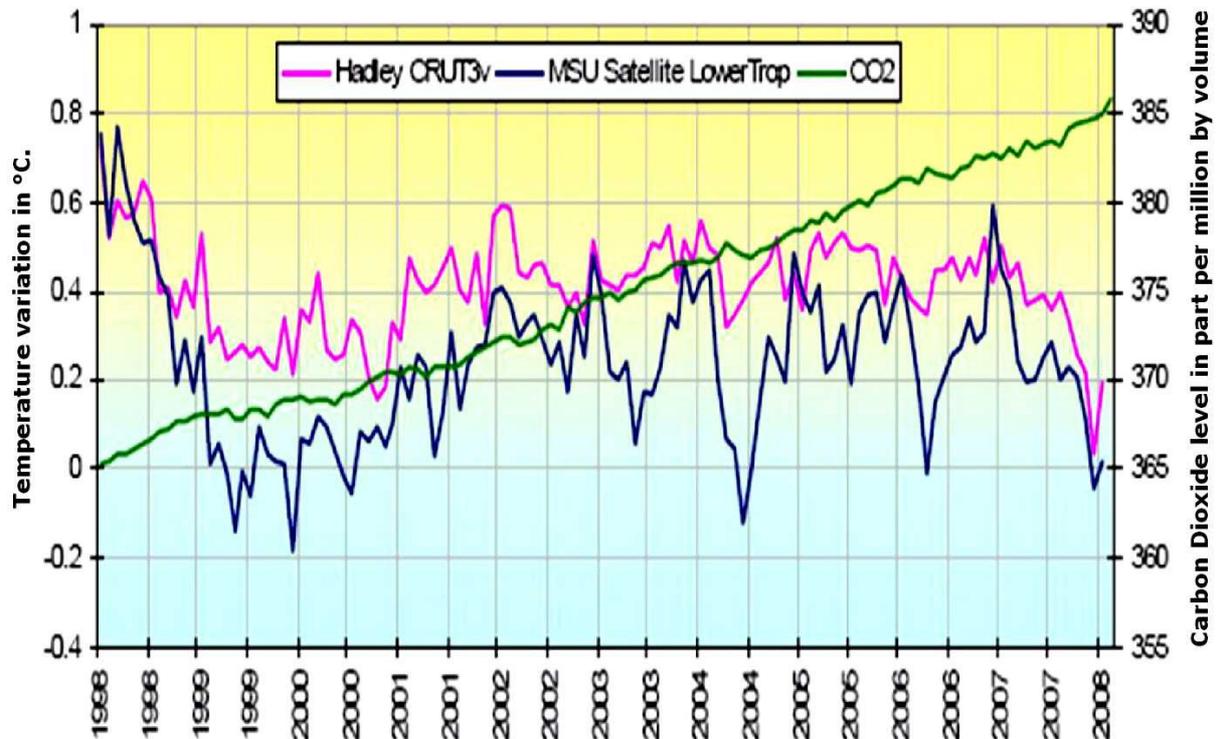
**RE: CORRELATION BETWEEN CARBON DIOXIDE AND TEMPERATURES**

Following on from your Committee's warning to the British Government regarding the need to show greater commitment to tackling Climate Change, please inform me what evidence your Committee has for carbon dioxide increases raising temperatures.

The graph below which is based on official data shows that while CO<sub>2</sub> has risen dramatically over the last ten years world temperatures have decreased. Since there is no Global Warming arising from increased CO<sub>2</sub> then there can be no Climate Change consequent on that supposed Global Warming.

Please explain on what evidence you base your recommendations.

**World Temperatures Falling Whilst CO<sub>2</sub> Keeps Rising**



Yours sincerely,

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## Information on the graph showing world Temperatures falling while CO2 keeps rising over the last ten years

The up-dated temperature measurements have been released by the NASA's Microwave Sounding Unit (MSU) [1] as well as by the UK's Hadley Climate Research Unit (Temperature v. 3, variance adjusted - Hadley CRUT3v) [2]. In parallel, readings of atmospheric concentrations of CO2 have been released by the Mauna Loa Observatory in Hawaii [3]. They have been combined in graphical form by Joe D'Aleo [4]. These latest temperature readings represent averages of records obtained from standardized meteorological stations from around the planet, located in both urban as well as rural settings. They are augmented by satellite data, now generally accepted as ultimately authoritative, since they have a global footprint and are not easily vulnerable to manipulation nor observer error. What is also clear from the graphs is that average global temperatures have been in stasis for almost a decade and may now even be falling.

1. <http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/oa/climate/research/msu.html>
2. <http://www.cru.uea.ac.uk/cru/data/temperature>
3. <http://www.esrl.noaa.gov/gmd/ccgg/trends/>
4. <http://icecap.us/index.php/go/experts> Joseph D'Aleo, Certified Consultant Meteorologist, Fellow of the American Meteorological Society (AMS), Executive Director Icecap.us

The graph is also contained in a letter sent to the UN's Climate Change Committee (the IPCC) and available on the UNCAPSA site: [http://www.uncapsa.org/Topics/IPCC\\_letter\\_14April08-1.pdf](http://www.uncapsa.org/Topics/IPCC_letter_14April08-1.pdf)