

Energy-Intensive and Trade-Exposed Industries Advisory Panel - Monday, October 5, 2020

The Energy-Intensive and Trade-Exposed Industries Panel met for a second time on Monday, October 5, 2020 to review the emission reduction goals and key assumptions of its work plan. Specifically, the Panel will look at emissions reductions of on-site fuel combustion, on-site non-combustion, and electricity use from manufacturing, construction, and mining. Additionally, the Panel will work with the Just Transition Working Group's subgroup on business impacts developing policies to mitigate leakage and anti-competitiveness. In the discussion on the scope of work, Panel members raised concerns over of the E3's Pathways analysis – the basis of the sector reductions goals. They also suggested engaging with experts and manufacturers and to consider issues of attracting manufacturers out of state, energy constraint load pockets, and power quality and reliability. Members also requested key information on fuel types. manufacturing production, and locations of industries in relation to impacted communities, to inform the workplan. The Panel, which meets next in November, will be taking public input via email and convening a virtual forum in January 2021. Presentations and notes from past Advisory Panels and Working Groups meetings can be found here.