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I am glad that the bill limits the use of offsets, since a great deal of research shows they are very difficult to implement effectively. In particular, the California forest rules have led to significant problems about leakage and additionality. I am opposed to our adopting them wholesale, and would like to see our program emphasize lengthening rotations, supporting the rapid replanting of burned areas, and planting new forest on suitable land.