



**THE SENATE
OF THE PARLIAMENT OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC
9TH TERM**

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RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE

Delivered on the 4th session held on 31st January 2013

**on the Proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council
amending Directive 2003/87/EC clarifying provisions on the timing of auctions
of greenhouse gas allowances
(Senate Press no. N 185/08)**

The Senate of the Parliament of the Czech Republic

I.

Follows

in the long term the issues concerning greenhouse gas emission allowances trading in the European Union, which it regards to be one of the available mechanisms for reducing the greenhouse gas emissions;

II.

1. Believes

that any unforeseeable intervention by the European Commission into the emission trading system functioning could bring about disorder in the system and thus hinder the long-term planning by the subjects within the system;

2. Demands

that approval of any intervention by the Commission into the European Union's emission trading system's functioning should always be subject to consent of all Member States of the European Union (in accordance with Article 23(3) of Directive 2003/87/EC);

3. Holds the view

that potential interventions into allowances' volume within the trading term should be supported by sufficient argumentation and detailed impact assessment prepared for the different Member States;

III.

Authorises

the President of the Senate to forward this Resolution to the European Commission.

Milan Štěch
sign manual
President of the Senate

Hassan Mezian
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Senate Verifier