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The 2020 Nolympics?

Reuters reports from Copenhagen on the latest global-warmist alarm, sounded by Shintaro Ishihara, governor of Tokyo, which is competing against Chicago for the 2016 games:

"It could be that the 2016 Games are the last Olympics in the history of mankind," Ishihara told reporters at a Tokyo 2016 press event ahead of the vote.

"Global warming is getting worse. We have to come up with measures without which Olympic Games could not last long.

"Scientists have said we have passed the point of no return," said Ishihara.

If global warming makes it too hot to hold the Olympics in the summer, why not just hold them in the winter? It works for the Super Bowl.

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