

November 1, 2013

The Honorable Barbara Boxer
Chairman, Committee on Environment
and Public Works
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Madam Chairman:

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Sincerely,

/RA Amy Powell for/

Rebecca L. Schmidt, Director
Office of Congressional Affairs

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cc: Senator David Vitter

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The Honorable Fred Upton
Chairman, Committee on Energy
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United States House
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Washington, DC 20515

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cc: Representative Bobby L. Rush

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