

June 24, 2013

Committee on Energy and Commerce  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Majority Staff  
Ford House Office Building, Room 316  
441 D St SW  
Washington, DC 20024

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In accordance with the Instructions for Responding to Committee Document Requests, two bates-stamped paper copies are provided in a form that may be copied by standard copying machines. A disk with all responsive documents in .pdf format is also provided.

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Sincerely,

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