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July 21, 2008

The Honorable Robert Byrd  
Chairman  
Committee On Appropriations  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Robert:

As the Committee proceeds with consideration of the upcoming supplemental appropriations act, I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest, consistent with the requirements of Paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, in any congressionally directed spending item that I request from the Committee on Appropriations.

The assistance you have provided with this matter and other initiatives is sincerely appreciated, and I look forward to working with you throughout consideration of the fiscal year 2009 spending bills.

Sincerely,



THAD COCHRAN  
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April 4, 2008

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Dear Robert:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest, consistent with the requirements of Paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, in any congressionally directed spending item that I requested from the Committee on Appropriations for the FY 2009 Appropriations Bills.

The assistance you have provided with this matter and other initiatives is sincerely appreciated, and I look forward to working with you throughout consideration of the fiscal year 2009 spending bills.

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Dear Robert:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest, consistent with the requirements of Paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, in any congressionally directed spending item that I requested from the Committee on Appropriations for the fiscal year 2008 Supplemental Appropriations Bill.

The assistance you have provided with this matter and other initiatives is sincerely appreciated, and I look forward to working with you throughout consideration of the fiscal year 2008 supplemental bill.

Sincerely,



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