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The Honorable Robert C. Byrd
Chairman
Senate Committee on Appropriations
S-131 United States Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Thad Cochran
Ranking Member
Senate Committee on Appropriations
S-146A United States Capitol
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chairman Byrd and Ranking Member Cochran:

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 that I requested from the Committee on Appropriations for fiscal year 2008.

Sincerely,

John F. Kerry

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