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

The Honorable Thad Cochran
Ranking Member
Senate Appropriations Committee
S-146 A
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.

Kindest regards,

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