

(A) the value of any improvements to the property made by the lessee; or

(B) the possible availability for sale of other property in the Ohana Nui Area that has been declared excess by the Department of the Navy.

(3) The adjusted fair market value shall be reduced by the replacement cost of any improvements to the property made by the lessee.”

In accordance with the requirements of Rule XLIV of The Standing Rules of the Senate, I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the items that I have requested. The committee will not consider any request that is not accompanied by such a certification. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please contact Mr. Nick Ikeda, at 224-6363 or nick_ikeda@akaka.senate.gov. Thank you for your consideration of these requests.

Aloha pumehana,

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DANIEL K. AKAKA
U.S. Senator

Project Title: Arnold Engineering Development Center Power Distribution
Modernization
Project Number: N/A
Request: \$12,500,000
Account: Military Construction
Service Component: Air Force
Location: Arnold Engineering Development Center, Tullahoma, TN

The current power distribution facilities at Arnold AFB were constructed in the early 1950's and do not meet the needs of the test facilities there. Upgrades to the high and medium (161 KV and 13.8 KV) power distribution systems and monitoring equipment are needed to support the base's primary mission of aeronautics testing. Modernization is required to supply power to test cells and provide a reliable monitoring device, controls and equipment to infrastructure systems. The distribution system supplies power to electric motors and heating/cooling systems capable of simulating various flight conditions. The monitoring system is required to monitor these conditions and provide real-time data and initiate alarms to prevent flight system failures.

We certify that neither we nor our immediate families have a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items that we have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. We further certify that we have posted a description of the items requested on our official websites, along with the accompanying justification.

Thank you for your consideration of these important projects to Tennessee. We will be glad to furnish additional information, or your staff may wish to be in touch with Tom Craig with Senator Alexander at (4-8986) or Stacie Oliver with Senator Corker at (4-3344) if you have any questions regarding our request.

Sincerely,



Lamar Alexander
United States Senator



Bob Corker
United States Senator

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Patrick Hayes from my staff at 224-7299.

Sincerely,

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Senator Evan Bayh

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

May 1, 2009

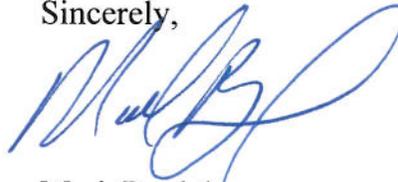
The Honorable Carl Levin
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

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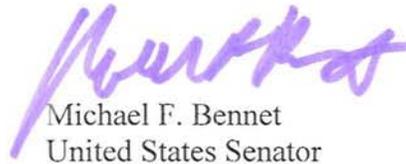


Mark Begich
United States Senator

neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate for the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you need additional information about any of these requests, please do not hesitate to contact me or to have your staff contact Emily Paladino at 228-5907. On behalf of our Armed Services and Colorado, thank you for your leadership and consideration.

Sincerely,



Michael F. Bennet
United States Senator

ROBERT F. BENNETT
UTAH

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Dear Senator Levin and Senator McCain,

I certify that neither I nor any member of my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the items requested in the fiscal 2010 National Defense Authorization Act, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

Sincerely,



Robert F. Bennett
United States Senator

RFB:jrn

United States Senate
May 1, 2009

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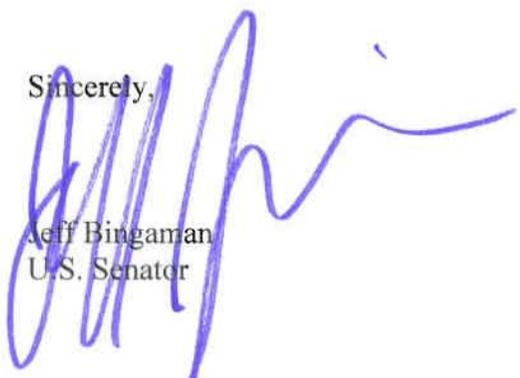
Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

As the Committee begins consideration of the Fiscal Year 2010 National Defense Authorization Act, I respectfully ask support for the attached programs.

As a larger policy matter, the Committee passed legislation in the Fiscal Year 2003 National Defense Authorization Act that reformed the Department's Test and Evaluation enterprise. This legislation was based on the premise that the Major Range Test Base Facilities, (MRTBF) should not be charging upkeep or overhead costs to their test customers but that each service with MRTBF responsibility should allocate sufficient resources so that these national assets serve the Department's needs as whole. While the intent of the legislation was correct, the allocation of funding to the services in the 2003 Act to maintain these ranges was inadequate; the result 6 years later is that MRTFBs are experiencing large backlogs of broken test equipment that fail to serve DOD test needs. I ask the committee to allocate additional funding for MRTBF sustainment to make up for this shortfall. I also ask the Test Resource Management Center, which was created in the 2003 Act to certify the MRTBF budgets be accorded the responsibility of administering these funds as was originally found in the Senate version of the 2003 National Defense Authorization Act so that service interests do not interfere with the larger DOD responsibility of these ranges.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Sincerely,


Jeff Bingaman
U.S. Senator

Center under Department of Defense antiterrorism force protection standards. When NASA terminates the operation of the security gates this year, a large portion of Moffett Federal Airfield, including the 129 Rescue Wing, will not be secured to protect personnel, real property and equipment.

Project Name: Beale Air Force Base Deployment Facility
Request: \$9,800,000
Account: AF Milcon, Air Force
Project Number: BAEY051012
Service Component: Air Force
Project Location: Beale Air Force Base, CA
Project Description:

The Beale Air Force Base Mobility Facility will unite all activities necessary to deploy service members and their equipment. The facility will include cargo and personnel deployment areas, an administrative area, along with the necessary support areas and systems. The current facility is inadequate. Mobility deployments are currently facilitated out of aging aircraft hangers that are classified as airfield obstructions, but have been waived to allow operations. In addition, a future RQ-4 Global Hawk Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) system will require parking space, which is where the current hanger is located.

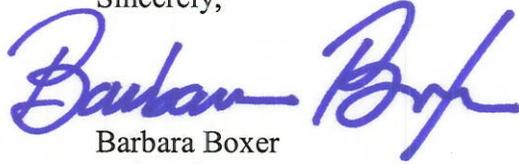
Project Name: Taxiway Mike Bypass Road
Request: \$5,800,000
Account: AF Milcon, Air Force
Project Number: XDAT063010
Service Component: Air Force
Project Location: Travis Air Force Base, CA
Project Description:

This project creates a two-lane bypass road around a priority taxiway at Travis Air Force Base, alleviating safety and security concerns at the base. The current entrance for truck deliveries to the Active Duty Wing on Travis Air Force Base is also the entrance to the hazardous cargo pad for loading and unloading munitions. Potential damage to taxiing aircraft creates an additional safety concern. In addition, traffic is disrupted with the current flow pattern. Traffic must be halted when the taxiway is in use, which disrupts commercial vehicle deliveries and requires the use of additional manpower for directing traffic. This project meets anti-terrorism force protection requirements for flight line and installation security and segregates traffic from congested areas which improves installation safety. Finally, the project will create a point of access for emergency vehicles entering the south gate.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Ann Norris from my staff at 224-8107.

Sincerely,

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Barbara Boxer
United States Senator

SHERROD BROWN
OHIO

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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

May 1, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin, Chairman
Senate Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
228 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Levin,

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending item(s) that I have requested in the fiscal year 2010 National Defense Authorization Act, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

Thank you for your time and consideration. Please feel free to contact me or Diane Wilkinson on my staff at (202) 224-2315 if you have any questions, comments or concerns.

Sincerely,



Sherrod Brown
United States Senator

In addition, I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending item(s) that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

If you have any questions, please contact Josh Carter from my staff at 202-224-0967.

Sincerely,

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Sam Brownback

fitness facilities. If left unchecked, this will adversely impact physical fitness training and conditioning. A new facility will contain a gymnasium, weight room, men's and women's locker rooms, circuit training, equipment storage, administrative space, and an equipment issue room to meet the needs of the base. Reoccurring deployments within 101st Airborne Division have highlighted the need for first rate physical facilities at Fort Campbell. This request would pull forward this project to FY 2010 on the FYDP.

Project Name: Blue Grass Army Depot Flexible Munitions and Weapons
Component Production Facility

Request: \$13,700,000

Account: Military Construction, Army

Project Number: PN 23236

Service Component: Army

Project Location: Blue Grass Army Depot, Kentucky

Project Description: This project will provide the Blue Grass Army Depot (BGAD) with the equipment and facilities necessary to optimize support for the Department of Defense Strategic Transformation and Modernization Plan by establishing a Center of Industrial and Technical Excellence (CITE) for current and future Department of Defense industrial ammunition production. A single, highly efficient and effective industrial ammunition production facility is one of the cornerstones of the depot's strategic, long-term plan to establish BGAD as a preferred ammunition provider for the Department of Defense. The existing BGAD ammunition facilities have reached their design capacity and would be very difficult to expand, due to their age and location, and are not suitable for many of today's hi-tech munitions projects. The new facility will be located in a remote part of the installation, away from other munitions operations, which will enhance its operations capacity terms of Net Explosive Weight. State of the art equipment in the facility will enable the depot to compete for new missions such as precision manufacturing of key munitions components, and the coordinated painting, identification markings, assembly, packaging, and shipment of these projects to meet the demands of the warfighter.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested for the Fiscal Year 2010 Department of Defense Authorization Bill and Conference Report, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

I appreciate your assistance in considering these important Department of Defense projects. If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Kunal Pahwa from my staff at 224-6727.

Best personal regards,



JIM BUNNING
United States Senator

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

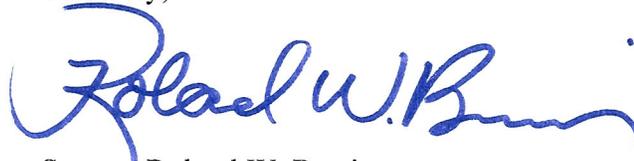
May 20th, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Committee on Armed Services
228 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Levin,

Thank you for all your hard work in the past for the state of Illinois. Please allow this letter to serve as our certification. For requests for the FY 2010 National Defense Authorization bill or report contained in my letter dated May 20th, 2009, I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending item(s) that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

Sincerely,



Senator Roland W. Burris

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United States Senate

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April 30, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

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 item that I requested for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Should you or your staff require any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Jim Tuite, my National Security Policy Advisor, at (202) 228-6425, or Ms. Suzanne Bentzel, Senate Appropriations Committee, at (202) 224-0042.

With kind regards, I am

Sincerely yours,


Robert C. Byrd

RCB:smb

Project Name: Total Force Integration (TFI) Refueling Vehicle Maintenance Facility
Request: \$4,150,000
Account: Military Construction, Air Force
Project Number: 060074
Service Component: Air Force
Project Location: Fairchild AFB, WA
Project Description: The refueling vehicle maintenance facility for Fairchild Air Force Base is currently located two miles from the refueling vehicle parking lot, resulting in an increase in time and energy costs. This request will not only construct a new facility located near the refueling vehicle parking lot, but it will also make important improvements for the maintenance personnel including the addition of heat and restrooms.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Melanie Mihara from my staff at 224-6679.

Sincerely,



Maria Cantwell
United States Senator

United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

April 30, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin, Chairman
The Honorable John McCain, Ranking Member
Senate Armed Services Committee
United States Senate
228 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chairman Levin and Senator McCain:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Sincerely,


Benjamin L. Cardin
United States Senator

BLC:js

shall not be liable for any death, injury, loss, or damage that results from the use of that aircraft by any person other than the United States.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Harlan Geer from my staff at 202-224-3065 or harlan_geer@carper.senate.gov.

Sincerely,

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Senator Tom Carper

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

SENATE COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

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June 2, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

As the Committee continues consideration of the FY2010 National Defense Authorization Act, we have requested support for Piasecki Aircraft Corporation's N40VT Title Transfer for the - X49A VTDP Compound Helicopter.

We certify that neither us nor our immediate family has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items that we have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. We further certify that we have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

As the Senate moves forward with transparency efforts, we stand ready to provide all necessary information to the Subcommittee. As such, you can rest assured that we will provide additional certification as necessary.

Sincerely,



Robert P. Casey, Jr.
United States Senator



Thomas R. Carper
United States Senator

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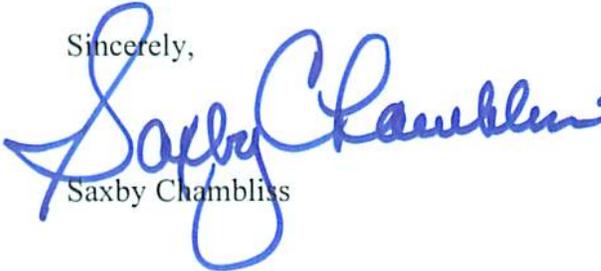
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concrete and earth covered, climate controlled and designed to accommodate the storage of TRIDENT D5-LE missiles. Storage is needed to support the Trident II Atlantic Fleet deployment schedule. Current magazines are not adequate to support the projected Trident II Atlantic Fleet deployment schedule. There are times when all the magazines are completely full causing a chokepoint in the daily schedules and workloads.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Clyde Taylor from my staff at 224-3521.

Sincerely,



Saxby Chambliss

June 3, 2009

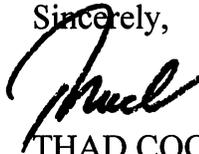
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I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I also certify that I have posted these requests on my website.

Please feel free to call on me if you have any questions about my requests. Adam Telle, a member of my staff, is also available at 224-6408 as the committee staff considers these issues.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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THAD COCHRAN
United States Senator

Project Location: Portsmouth Naval Shipyard Kittery, ME

Project Description:

This project will construct Anti-terrorism/force protection (AT/FP) measures at Gate 2 located at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard (PNSY) to provide the proper AT/FP measures. The project includes construction of a new hardened guard house, active barriers, and a permanent vehicle inspection shelter at Gate 2 for AT/FP measures at PNSY translating into improved security and better protection for base personnel, buildings, and vital submarine repair facilities. Security barriers are required to stop unauthorized vehicles from entering the Shipyard during increased threat conditions. The gates/guard stations are the installation's first line of defense against terrorist attacks. The major threat at PNSY is a car or truck, with a bomb or some other form of weapon, breaching the base's security. The base assets are vulnerable because a speeding vehicle could reach some of the Navy's vital submarine repair facilities within minutes. This project is consistent with the base wide security plan, including Gate 1 security improvements, parking structure to remove vehicles from operating areas, and dry dock caisson security improvements.

Project Name: Berth 11/13 Waterfront Support Facility

Request: \$23,100,000

Account: Military Construction, Navy

Project Number: P-286

Service Component: Navy

Project Location: Portsmouth Naval Shipyard Kittery, ME

Project Description:

This project will construct a 46,005 SF two-story addition on the west side of the existing high bay of Bldg. 174 to support waterfront repair operations for naval nuclear submarines at Berths 11 and 13. This project will provide a state-of-the-art "LEAN" waterfront support facility. Facility will enhance productivity and promote efficiency and teamwork to the production shops, Ships Force Project Teams and Engineering Personnel. This MCON is part of the 2035 vision.

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 projects that I have requested as part of the Fiscal Year 2010 National Defense Authorization Act, as reported by the Committee on Armed Services.

Thank you for your consideration of these requests. For further information on these or any other projects, please contact Chip Kennett at (202) 224-7468.

Sincerely,



Susan M. Collins
United States Senator

We certify that neither we nor our immediate families have a pecuniary interest, consistent with the requirements of Paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, in any item that we have requested for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

We also certify that a description of these items has been posted on our websites.

Sincerely,



KENT CONRAD
United States Senate



BYRON L. DORGAN
United States Senate

Attachment: Spreadsheet

qualify a new, lower cost BMI resin system for use on the F-22 and the F-35 JSF to produce cost savings to the Air Force of up to \$50 million per year for resin costs.

Item: Rapidly Deployable Shelter Systems

Request: \$4,000,000

Account: Operation & Maintenance, Army National Guard

Line: 131

PE: N/A

Suggested Recipient: Tennessee National Guard

Suggested Location of Performance (major portion of the work): Nashville, TN

Purpose/Project Description: With the National Guard taking an ever increasing role in supporting domestic disaster response including hurricanes, tornadoes, wildfires, and earthquakes; modernization of rapid response support systems is needed. Funding for this project will be used to acquire newly developed, multi-purpose, rapidly deployed shelter systems for use in meeting immediate disaster preparedness requirements and for training guardsmen in the use and support of such systems. These systems better equip the Adjutant General in meeting both Army National Guard and FEMA supported disaster response needs.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Stacie Oliver from my staff at 228-5664.

Sincerely,



BOB CORKER
United States Senator

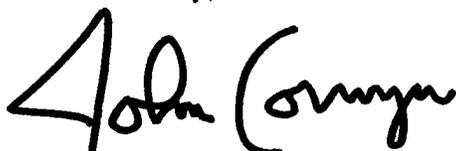
training device, at the lowest cost, while still nesting the development and fielding into the procurement schedule of the prime equipment.

I request the following bill language be included: Competitive contracts for ACAT I procurement of vehicle systems must provide the ability for full and open competition of the training system after a Milestone C decision by providing data to the government sufficient for production of a training system.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Thank you for your consideration of these important defense projects. Please contact Dave Hanke (4-3388) or Russ Thomasson (4-7847) on my staff if we may provide you with any additional information.

Sincerely,

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JOHN CORNYN
United States Senator

MIKE CRAPO
U.S. SENATOR
IDAHO

CO-CHAIRMAN, SENATE RENEWABLES AND
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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

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May 1, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Senate Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
Senate Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chairman Levin, Senator McCain:

In accordance with the Committee's direction, I write to certify compliance with Senate Rule XLIV and Committee guidelines pertaining to congressionally-directed authorization for funding. For my requests for authorization for congressionally-directed funding for projects contained in the Fiscal Year 2010 National Defense Authorization bill, I certify that neither I nor my immediate family, to the best of my knowledge, has a pecuniary interest in such projects as defined in Senate Rules.

As you know, I am a strong supporter of continuing to balance the federal budget and believe sound, effective budget discipline needs to be maintained. I understand that the discretionary budget constraints within which the Committee must operate mean that difficult choices will have to be made and that setting priorities is essential. The projects I have requested meet important needs and, I believe, are priorities that fit within a fiscally-responsible authorization bill.

Thank you for your attention and consideration.

Sincerely,



Mike Crapo
United States Senator

Currently there are no sufficient facilities available to house these companies within the state and the unit's ability to meet its readiness, recruiting, retention and training objectives will be adversely affected if adequate facilities are not provided.

Project Name: MK-48 Torpedo Magazine
Request: \$6,570,000
Account: Military Construction, Navy
Project Number: P848
Service Component: Navy
Project Location: NSB New London, CT
Project Description:

This project will construct a magazine capable of storing up to 36 MK48 torpedoes and an "apron area" to facilitate the delivery of weapons via ordnance delivery truck. MK48 torpedoes are currently stored in multiple steel-arch, earth-covered magazines which are undersized and inefficient. The current method is labor intensive, sometimes requiring personnel to move several torpedoes to access a specific torpedo, wastes man hours and increases the chances of a mishap while moving the heavy loads.

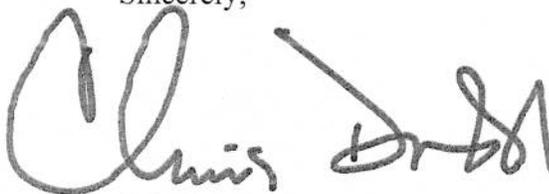
Project Name: MK-48 Torpedo Maintenance Facility
Request: \$14,380,000
Account: Military Construction, Navy
Project Number: P989
Service Component: Navy
Project Location: NSB New London, CT
Project Description:

This project would construct an ordnance maintenance facility capable of supporting MK48 ADCAP torpedoes and tomahawk missiles. The current configuration does not allow torpedoes and tomahawks to be serviced at the same time. The ability to handle and maintain a larger number of weapons simultaneously in the same facility will enable efficient operations and more effectively utilize the ordnance workforce in transferring weapons to the waterfront.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Lindsay George from my staff at 224-1730.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Chris Dodd", written in a cursive style.

CHRISTOPHER J. DODD
United States Senator

kitchen, maintenance, parking and waste handling facilities. Physical security measures will be incorporated to ensure safety and cost effective energy conserving features will be incorporated.

Last, I would ask that you positively consider projects included in the FY10 President's Budget request, including those in Illinois. I would ask that you consider funding the projects at the levels outlined in the President's budget.

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If you have any questions, please contact my staff at 224-2152.

Sincerely,



Richard J. Durbin
United States Senator

JOHN ENSIGN
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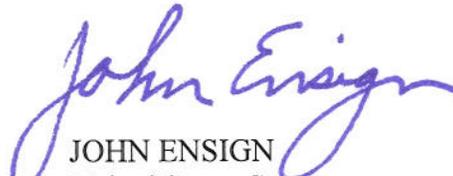
The Honorable Carl Levin
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United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
Armed Services Committee
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending item(s) that I have requested in the fiscal year 2010 National Defense Appropriations bill and report, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate:

Sincerely,


JOHN ENSIGN
United States Senator

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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

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single toilet. The heating system is unreliable and wasteful, lighting is substandard, and latrines are undersized and poorly ventilated.

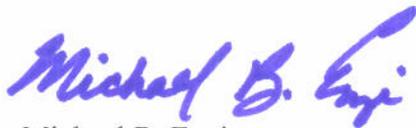
Additional C-130 aircraft and over 200 airmen are now stationed in Cheyenne as the result of the Active-Associate relationship established between the Wyoming Air National Guard and the Air Force. This new facility is necessary to accommodate this new mission. The project is the top priority of Wyoming's Adjutant General and is strongly supported by Air Mobility Command.

We would also note our support for the Missile Service Complex addition for F.E. Warren Air Force Base in Cheyenne, Wyoming (Project Number GHLN053010). This military construction project is listed on the Future Years Defense Plan (FYDP) for FY2010 and we expect it to be included in the President's detailed budget request.

We certify that neither we, nor our immediate families, have 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 we requested for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Thank you for your consideration of these requests. If you have any questions, please contact us, or have your staff contact Wendy Gnehm, Senator Enzi at 224-4776, or Chaz Ziegler, Senator Barrasso at 224-0802.

Sincerely,



Michael B. Enzi
United States Senate



John Barrasso
United States Senate



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May 11, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable John McCain
Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Levin and Senator McCain:

As the Committee continues its consideration of the fiscal year 2010 Defense Authorization bill, I write to request the inclusion of the following report language in addition to the items previously requested.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested for Fiscal Year 2010, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

Consistent Funding at RAND Project Air Force

The budget request contained \$27.501 million in PE0605101F for Project Air Force, the US Air Force's studies and analysis FFRDC operated by the non-profit RAND Corporation.

The committee recognizes the value of rigorous, objective research and analysis produced by Project Air Force for the senior leadership of the Air Force. It is essential that the core program of Project Air Force be effectively and efficiently prioritized and managed. The committee is concerned with the lack of stable funding for this program, and encourages the Air Force in its fiscal year 2011 budget submission to increase funding for this activity.

The committee recommends a stable level of effort based on Congressionally-approved funding levels in PE 0605103A for Project Air Force.

KIRSTEN E. GILLIBRAND

NEW YORK
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May 1, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Committee on Armed Services
228 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Levin:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest, consistent with the requirements Paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, in any congressionally directed spending item that I requested that is contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Sincerely,



Kirsten E. Gillibrand

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May 1, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Committee on Armed Services
228 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Levin:

I certify that to the best of my knowledge neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest, consistent with the requirements Paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, in any congressionally directed spending item that I requested that is contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Sincerely,



Kirsten E. Gillibrand



UNITED STATES SENATE

May 1, 2009

Senator Carl Levin
Chairman
Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
228 Russell Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Levin,

I appreciate the opportunity to serve with you on the Armed Services Committee. As you prepare for the *Fiscal Year 2010 National Defense Authorization Act*, I want to share with you priorities of mine that I would like to see incorporated into the mark. I also 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 have requested in the *Fiscal Year 2010 National Defense Authorization Act*.

Rule of Law

Rule of law is a cornerstone in the stability operations our military is executing in Afghanistan and Iraq. It is one of the key areas in which multiple government agencies and non-governmental agencies seek to develop policy and strategy in pursuit of the same goal. Yet despite the wide recognition of the importance of rule of law, there is no central location within the United States where all of these participants come together to gain understanding and prepare themselves for this unique mission. Accordingly, I have been working with the U.S. Army Judge Advocate General's Corps to develop the resources to address this gap in our nation's support to the war effort. I request you include authorization for this new and necessary effort by adding \$500,000 to be used for development of training in support of rule of law operations.

Reserve Retirement Age

As ranking member of the Personnel Subcommittee, providing meaningful compensation and benefits to active, reserve, and retired members of the military and their families remains a top priority. Accordingly, I believe the current statutory structure for retirement in the Armed Forces reserve should be revised. With the ongoing war and the high utilization of the men and women in the reserve, I would request the Committee support the legislative efforts of the Personnel Subcommittee to lower the retirement age for members of the reserve based on their level of participation.

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The Honorable Carl Levin
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The Honorable John McCain
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

As you begin consideration of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010, I respectfully request your consideration in adding the following projects to be located in Iowa.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with a justification for federal funds.

Project Name: Armed Forces Reserve Center and Field Maintenance Shop
Request: \$2,650,000
Account: Military Construction, Army National Guard
Project Number: 190025 / 190056
Service Component: Army National Guard
Project Location: Davenport, Iowa
Project Description: This project will provide a 450 member training facility with administrative, educational, assembly, library, learning center, vault, weapons simulator and physical fitness areas for four USAR and three ARNG units. This project will also provide for adequate parking space for all military and privately owned vehicles. The current USAR facility is surrounded by commercial development and located adjacent to a city park in a mostly residential area, so there's no capacity for expansion. The existing facilities do not meet current criteria and unit mission requirements. They are antiquated in design and function. If a new facility is not built, the impact to training, recruiting, retention, family support, troop morale and community support will be greatly impacted. The Field Maintenance Shop will provide a 325 vehicle shop, and will include a loading dock, loading ramp, military vehicle parking and security fencing. Cost effective energy conserving features will be incorporated into the design. The total project cost for construction is \$29.5 million. The new facility will be available for use by other components, and the State of Iowa has acquired the land for this project.

RANKING MEMBER,
FINANCE

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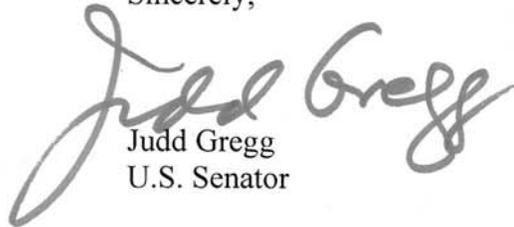
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Similar requests will be sent to Chairman Tim Johnson and Ranking Member Kay Bailey Hutchison of the Subcommittee on Military Construction and Veterans Affairs, Senate Appropriations Committee, for inclusion in the FY 2010 Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies Appropriations bill. Please let me know if you require further information or clarification. I ask that you or your staff keep me informed as to the status of these requests throughout the markup process. My staff point of contact is Brian Miller, 224-1919.

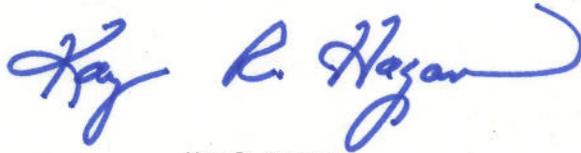
Sincerely,

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Judd Gregg
U.S. Senator

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Sincerely,

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Kay R. Hagan
United States Senator

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Jenny Wing from my staff at 224-2037.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Tom Harkin", with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Tom Harkin
United States Senate

construction of the addition to the LSTF. The addition would house ten Bio-Safety Level Two labs, five Bio-Safety Level Three labs and an aerosol chamber.

Therefore, I respectfully request the Committee's support for this important project.

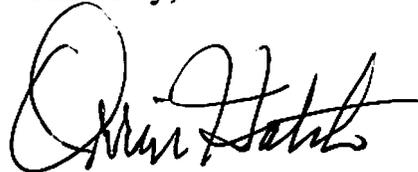
In addition:

"I certify that neither I nor my immediate family have a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending item(s) that I have requested in this letter, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate."

If you have any questions, please contact William Castle from my staff at (202) 224-0815.

Thank you for your consideration of these vital projects that, I believe, will assist in adding significant capabilities to our nation's armed forces.

Sincerely,

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Orrin G. Hatch
United States Senator

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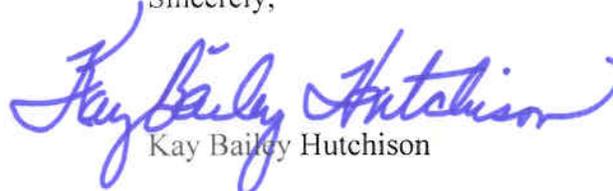
Project Name: Squadron Operations Facility
Request: \$30,300,000
Account: Military Construction, Navy
Project Number: P450
Service Component: Navy
Project Location: Naval Air Station Corpus Christi
Project Description: To construct a unified air training facility that fully conforms to the new "class flow" standard. Project components include a new helicopter parts laydown area, parking, and renovation of Building 1824 TRAWING administrative space.

Project Name: Mission Operations Center
Request: \$12,400,000
Account: Military Construction, Air Force
Project Number: FNWZ053002
Service Component: Air Force
Project Location: Dyess Air Force Base
Project Description: To construct a new facility that will consolidate eight related support functions, including Mission Support Group Headquarters, Services Flight Administration, Transportation Management and Commercial Travel, Military Equal Opportunity, AF Audit Agency Regional Office, Area Defense Counsel, Wing IG, and Wing Plans and Programs.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending item(s) that I have requested for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Thank you for consideration of this request. Please do not hesitate to contact me or my staff should you require any additional information.

Sincerely,


Kay Bailey Hutchison

JAMES M. INHOFE
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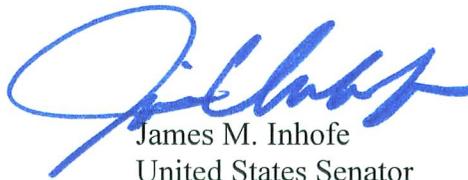
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The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

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 possible congressionally directed spending directed towards the Piasecki Aircraft Corporation's N40VT Title Transfer for the -X49A VTDP Compound Helicopter in the FY2010 National Defense Authorization Act and Defense Supplemental Appropriations Act.

Sincerely,



James M. Inhofe
United States Senator

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May 1, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
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The Honorable John McCain
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United States Senate
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending item(s) that I have requested in the FY10 Defense Appropriations Bill, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Thank you for your leadership on these issues. Should you or your staff have any issues regarding this request, please do not hesitate to contact Brandon Andrews on my staff at (202) 224-1615.

Sincerely,



James M. Inhofe
United States Senator

The Honorable Carl Levin
May 1, 2009
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recommends that when this review is initiated, the Department shall examine the addition of an O-7 billet for the U.S. Army and U.S. Air Force Nursing Corps commensurate with the force structure of the US Navy Nurse Corps. The Committee requests the Department study the Nurse Corps current schedule, which appoints an O-6 to the rank of O-8, its current impact on morale, leadership, career development, and transition to the responsibilities of senior executive medicine; the justification used in promoting from an O-6 to an O-8, and justifying a non-sequential billet as compared to non-Nurse Corps officers. The Department shall examine and report back to the relevant Congressional Committees what responsibilities and duties the addition of an O-7 billet in the U.S. Army and U.S. Air Force Nurse Corps would retain, while maintaining and sustaining the current O-8 billet; impacts such an appointment might have, and if the Department and corresponding service branches conclude such an appointment is not necessary, the justifications and methodology that support such a finding."

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

As you move forward with the FY 2010 National Defense Authorization Act, I look forward to working with you to ensure our armed forces are adequately prepared. I appreciate your thoughtful consideration of my requests. Please do not hesitate to contact my staff, Ms. Mary Yoshioka, at 224-6050, if you have any questions regarding my request.

Aloha,



DANIEL K. INOUE
United States Senator

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Enclosures

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Houston Ernst or Major Ed Mendones from my staff at 224-3643.

Sincerely,

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Johnny Isakson
United States Senator

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

I appreciate the committee's attention to these important requests. I look forward to working with you during consideration of the Fiscal Year 2010 Defense Authorization bill. If you have any questions, please contact Krista Lamoreaux from my staff at 224-7820.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Tim Johnson". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping initial "T" and a cursive "Johnson".

Tim Johnson
United States Senate

(b) CONDITION OF AIRCRAFT. – The aircraft shall be conveyed under subsection (a) in its current, “as is” condition. The Secretary is not required to repair or alter the condition of the aircraft before conveying ownership of the aircraft.

(c) CONVEYANCE AT NO COST TO THE UNITED STATES. – The conveyance of the aircraft under subsection (a) shall be made at no cost to the United States. Any costs associated with the conveyance shall be borne by the transferee.

(d) ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS. – The Secretary may require such additional terms and conditions in connection with a conveyance under this section as the Secretary considers appropriate to protect the interests of the United States. Such terms and conditions shall include a provision providing the Government the right to procure the VTDP technology demonstrated under this program at a discounted cost based on the value of the X-49A aircraft and associated equipment at the time of transfer, with such valuation and terms determined by the Secretary.

(e) NO LIABILITY FOR THE UNITED STATES. – Upon the conveyance of the Navy aircraft N40VT (Bureau Number 163283) under subsection (a), the United States shall not be liable for any death, injury, loss, or damage that results from the use of that aircraft by any person other than the United States.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions about any of these projects, please let me know or have your staff contact Pat Johnson in my office at 224-8529 or patrick_johnson@kaufman.senate.gov.

Sincerely,



Ted Kaufman
United States Senator

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-2101

June 29, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
U.S. Senate Armed Services Committee
Washington, DC 20510-6050

Dear Chairman Levin:

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any pecuniary interests, consistent with the rules of paragraph 9 of the Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, in any congressionally directed spending item that I requested in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Sincerely,



Edward M. Kennedy
U.S. Senator

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May 1, 2009

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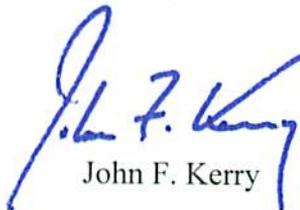
Dear Chairman Levin:

I am writing in support of the following projects for the Fiscal Year 2010 Department of Defense Authorization Act. I recognize the very difficult budgetary constraints under which the Committee is operating this year, but I seek your support for the following projects that are of particular importance to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

I hereby certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any item requested herein to the Senate Committee on Armed Services.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of my requests.

Sincerely,


John F. Kerry

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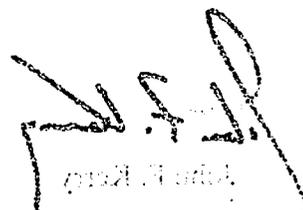
July 1, 1997

The Honorable Earl Warren
U.S. Supreme Court Building
1000 Independence Avenue, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20540

Dear Chairman Warren:

I am pleased to learn that you will be reviewing the report of the Commission on the Causes and Prevention of the Collapse of Enron. The Commission's report is a landmark study that will help us understand the causes of the Enron collapse and prevent similar disasters in the future. I am confident that your report will provide a clear and comprehensive analysis of the Enron case and offer practical recommendations for reforming the financial markets. I am sure that your report will be a valuable contribution to the ongoing efforts to reform the financial markets and protect investors.

Sincerely,



John F. Kerry

Location: Arden Hills Army Training Site, Arden Hills, MN
Amount: \$10,000,000
Purpose: To construct a Minnesota National Guard campus including headquarters, unit readiness center, maintenance and training site support facilities.

Project: Minnesota National Guard Joint Force Headquarters
Recipient: Minnesota National Guard
Location: Arden Hills Army Training Site, Arden Hills, MN
Amount: \$7,500,000
Purpose: To construct a new demonstration project to house MN National Guard state headquarters.

I certify that I have not knowingly used my official position to introduce, request or otherwise aid in the progress or passage of any congressionally directed spending items, limited tax benefits or limited tariff benefits in the aforementioned Appropriations bills, in principal purpose to further only my pecuniary interest, only the pecuniary interests of my immediate family (which consists of my husband, daughter, siblings, parents and parents-in-law) or only the pecuniary interest of a limited class of persons or enterprises, in which I or my immediate family are members of the affected class or control the affected enterprises. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

Thank you for your consideration of these requests, as well as for your continued advocacy on behalf of Veterans, Veterans' facilities, and military construction projects for our country. I look forward to working with the Subcommittee to support these important requests. If you have any questions regarding these projects, please contact my Military Legislative Assistant, Tom Sullivan at (202) 228-6307.

Sincerely,



Amy Klobuchar
United States Senator

outside the hangar, exposed. With the tail outside, maintenance on that part of the plane can only occur in good weather – which can be in short supply during Wisconsin's winters. This project will expand the hangar and add space for painting, tool storage, and administrative space. This project is the highest priority of the Adjutant General of Wisconsin.

I certify that neither I, nor my immediate family, has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

Thank you for your consideration of these projects. If you have any questions please contact Chad Metzler (4-9914) for more information.

Sincerely,

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Herb Kohl
U.S. Senator

a rising PSA will participate in the study. The U.S. Navy Cancer Vaccine Program's clinical trial will be sponsored by the Naval Health Research Center, San Diego, CA.

63. Item Name: Development of Biodefense Vaccines & Antiviral Peptide Therapeutics

Request: \$3,000,000

Account: Research and Development, Army

Line: 30

PE: 603002A

Language: Report

Intended Recipient: Tulane & Xavier University

Address where major portion of the work is to be performed: New Orleans, LA

Purpose/Project Description:

Infectious diseases remain one of the leading causes of death in adults and children world-wide. Each year, infectious diseases kill more than 17 million people, including 9 million children. In addition to suffering and death, infectious diseases impose an enormous financial burden on society. Although antibiotics and vaccines have been effective at reducing the morbidity and mortality of some infectious diseases, new ones such as AIDS, Lyme disease, West Nile fever, Hanta virus, and Avian Influenza virus are constantly emerging, while others such as malaria and tuberculosis reemerge in drug-resistant forms. Furthermore, we have an aging adult population with diminishing immune function, increased use of immunosuppressive agents for cancer, tissue transplantation, and autoimmune disease, and an upwardly spiraling cost of health care delivery that makes some existing vaccines unaffordable by the populations at greatest risk. In addition, we now face the possibility of bioterrorism with potentially devastating consequences and a limited number of preventative and therapeutic options. Infectious agents are also a substantial threat to the operational capacity of U.S. military forces, whether forward deployed or in garrison.

In addition, I request the following report language be included

"\$3,000,000 for Biodefense Vaccine Development and Engineering and development of Antiviral Peptides"

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending item(s) that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. If you have any questions, please contact my Military Legislative Assistance, Cynthia Jones, at 202-224-0099. Thank you for your consideration of these projects.

Sincerely,



Mary L. Landrieu
United States Senator

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

May 1, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Committee on Armed Services
228 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Levin:

As the Committee begins its consideration of the FY2010 National Defense Authorization Act, I am writing to request support for the military construction projects listed below.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

Project Name: Automated Multipurpose Machine Gun Range
Request: \$9,500,000
Account: Military Construction, Army Reserve
Project Number: 71768
Service Component: Army
Project Location: Fort Dix, NJ
Project Description: This project would construct a new 10-lane Multipurpose Machine Gun Transition Range for support of the M2 Machine Gun and M249 Squad Automatic Weapon (SAW). This state-of-the-art range is necessary to train Reserve and National Guard members at Fort Dix.

Project Name: Joint Base Road Connections
Request: \$3,105,000
Account: Military Construction, Defense Wide
Project Number: 4000918P, 4000748P, 4000778, 4000788P, 4000898P
Service Component: Army
Project Location: Joint Base- McGuire, Fort Dix, and Lakehurst NJ
Project Description: This project would repair and pave the final section of roadway that will connect all three installations comprising Joint Base - McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst internally. The Joint Base needs to have an internal road spanning all three installations to

The Ethan Allen firing range is one of the premiere training ranges in the Northeast. The range serves as the headquarters of the U.S. Army's Mountain Warfare School and the 86th Infantry Brigade Combat Team (Mountain), the only brigade-sized Mountain-fighting-designated unit in the U.S. Army. An addition to the existing officer and enlisted billets will allow the housing of battalion-sized units, greatly facilitating the training and readiness of the brigade.

Project Name: Morrisville Field Maintenance Site design
Request: \$650,000
Account: Military Construction, Army National Guard
Project Number: 500036
Service Component: Army National Guard
Project Location: Ethan Allen Firing Range, Jericho, Vermont
Project Description:

The project involves the construction of a new 27,000 square-foot, two-story maintenance facility to provide adequate organizational maintenance support for vehicles and equipment of the 86th Infantry Brigade Combat Team. The current space is also outdated completed in 1958. There is insufficient space in the current facility for the unit to carry out the full, necessary range of activities. Renovating the existing space would cost more than constructing a new facility. A new facility would provide adequate maintenance, training, storage and administrative areas, boosting readiness. Funding is required to complete design of this important project.

Please note that 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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Daniel Ginsberg from my staff at 4-2404.

Sincerely,



PATRICK LEAHY
United States Senator

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United States Senate

COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES
WASHINGTON, DC 20510-6050

July 1, 2009

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 which is contained in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.



Carl Levin

JOSEPH I. LIEBERMAN
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May 1, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
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United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
Committee on Armed Services
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Sincerely,



Joseph I. Lieberman
UNITED STATES SENATOR

high-resolution uncooled Near-Infrared (NIR) imager, a Long Wave Infrared (LWIR), UV/NIR/LWIR, Inertial Management Unit, and network connectivity.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Brandon McBride of my staff at 224-8575.

Sincerely,



Blanche L. Lincoln

RICHARD G. LUGAR

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May 1, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Senate Armed Services Committee
Senate Russell Office Building, Room 228
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
Senate Armed Services Committee
Senate Russell Office Building, Room 228
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Levin and Senator McCain:

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 items that I requested in the fiscal year 2010 National Defense Authorization Act.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Richard G. Lugar
United States Senator

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Brian Walsh or David Brown from my staff at 228-5116 or 228-5204, respectively.

Sincerely,

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Mel Martinez
United States Senator

Cc: Senator John McCain, Ranking Member

replace old, outdated, physically separated facilities. These funds will ensure that the center is built out ahead of its 2012 scheduled construction so that troops at Fort Campbell can be fully equipped to train for their deployments, and will provide state-of-the-art equipment for troops to receive the highest quality of physical therapy and care.

Location: Fort Campbell, Kentucky
Project Title: Installation Chapel Center
Request: \$14,000,000
Account: Military Construction, Army

Fort Campbell currently meets only 31% of the requirement for chapels, with 33,018 square feet of the required 105,155 square feet. The four existing structures lack adequate space for memorial and funeral services to honor fallen soldiers. This request supports construction of a 32,000 square-foot facility that can support up to 1,200 people and would nearly double the permanent religious facility square footage at the installation.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

Please do not hesitate to contact Andrea Liptak (224-5965) or Reb Brownell (224-5029) of my staff if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



MITCH McCONNELL
UNITED STATES SENATOR

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terminal ballistics of artillery, Tanak guns, mortars, and recoilless rifles in support of joint service programs. Phase I of this project was funded in the FY09 budget.

Project Name: Soft Recovery System Facility
Request: \$26,000,000
Account: Military Construction, Army
Project Number: PN65051
Service Component: Army
Project Location: Picatinny Arsenal, NJ
Project Description: This project would construct a state-of-the-art Soft Recovery System Facility that analyzes how ammunition reacts under given conditions. This will produce data that will fine tune the precision and accuracy of these weapon systems.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

If you have any questions, please contact Keith Roachford from my staff at 224-4744.

Sincerely,



ROBERT MENENDEZ
United States Senator

WaterSentinel would provide a low-cost tool to monitor water quality and facility operation for signs of contamination and equipment failure. In addition to providing information critical to water quality, WaterSentinel can be employed by the agricultural industry to detect premature rot in fruits and vegetable. This capability would improve product safety, increase shelf-life, and decrease operating costs.

Additionally, 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 we requested in this letter.

Thank you for your consideration of these worthy projects. I appreciate your strong and continued leadership and look forward to working with you this year on funding vital to our nation. If you have any questions, please contact Courtney Thompson in my office at 224-3753.

Sincerely,


Jeff Merkley
United States Senator

BARBARA A. MIKULSKI
MARYLAND



May 1, 2009

Senator Carl Levin
Chairman
Senate Committee on Armed Services
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Levin,

This letter is to certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the earmarks that I am seeking in the Fiscal Year 2010 National Defense Authorization bill and report, consistent with paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or Frank Cristinzio of my staff (224-8871) with any questions about this matter.

Sincerely,



Barbara A. Mikulski
United States Senator

3. Certification

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Nathan Bergerbest from my staff at (202) 224-2839.

Respectfully submitted,



Lisa Murkowski
United States Senator

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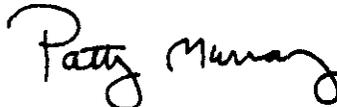
The Honorable Carl Levin
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The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
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United States Senate
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Sincerely,



Patty Murray
United States Senator

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Please also consider authorizing the following Military Construction projects:

Project Name: Construct Joint Forces Headquarters (ANG Portion)
Request: \$3,000,000
Account: Military Construction, Air National Guard
Project Number: NGCB042300
Service Component: Air National Guard
Project Location: Lincoln, Nebraska
Project Description: The ANG State Headquarter portion of a specially designed armed forces reserve center of permanent masonry type construction, brick and concrete block units with concrete floors, and a built up or single membrane roof. A four-story structure with mechanical and electrical equipment. Cost effective energy conserving features will be incorporated into design, including energy management control systems and high efficiency motors, lighting and HVAC systems.

A Portland Cement access road to the JFHQ will be created using existing and new pavements. Work includes approximately 1300 lf of prepared 33-36 ft paved roadway, some with parallel 5-8 ft sidewalk, drainage structures, lighting, landscaping, grading, and the removal and replacement of a culvert underneath an existing roadway.

Project Name: Construct Joint Force Headquarters (ARNG Portion)
Request: \$1,500,000
Account: Military Construction, Army National Guard
Project Number: To be determined – 1391 is expected the week of May 4, 2009.
Service Component: Army National Guard
Project Location: Lincoln, Nebraska
Project Description: for the Army National Guard for minor construction for the purposes of satisfying Army National Guard requirements pursuant to the circulation and parking for construction of the Joint Forces Headquarters, Nebraska, Nebraska, Located in Lincoln, Nebraska.

Regarding all of the funding requests noted above, 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 of the projects for which I am requesting authorization in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

I appreciate your consideration of these requests that will contribute to the current mission requirements and future readiness of our forces. I look forward to working closely with you during our coming mark up. Thank you for your continued leadership on these critical national security issues. If you have any questions, please contact me or Ann Premer or Kate Howard of my staff at 224-6551.

Sincerely,


E. Benjamin Nelson
United States Senator

facilities criteria. Project is to provide all design features for handicapped accessibility in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act standards and to comply with antiterrorism force protection measures and standards as delineated in Unified Facilities Code (UFC) 4-010-01 DoD Minimum Antiterrorism Standards for Buildings. Some highlights include an 82 foot stand off, integrated window and door glazing systems, and air intakes 3m above grade. Seismic planning and design is to comply with Technical Instruction 809-04.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending item(s) that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

If you have any questions, please contact Mr Christopher Caple from my staff at 224-8715.

Sincerely,

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Project Name: C-130 Engine Storage Facility
Request: \$3,900,000
Account: AF Milcon
Project Number: NKAK 08-3004
Service Component: Air Force
Project Location: Little Rock Air Force Base, Arkansas

Project Description:

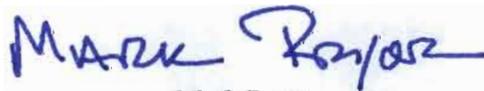
All 19 MOS Engine Regional Repair Center (ERRC) engine maintenance assets, including spares, pre-teardown engines, extra QEC kits, turbine cans, rotor boxes, trailers, and mounts are dispersed and stored in widely separate locations. These facilities are woefully inadequate in meeting engine asset storage requirements. Some locations are enclosed, and lack proper resource protection capability. The majority of these assets are exposed to the elements.

One location, owned by 19 Logistics Readiness Squadron (LRS), is temporarily on loan to 19 MOS and is a large, open sided, sheet metal overhang. Other locations include Defense Reutilization Marketing Office (DRMO) covered storage, where assets are stored in several open storage compartments; the ERRC, where a maintenance bay space is temporarily used for storage; and a parking lot next to the Maintenance Training Flight/Defense Support Services (DS2) contract maintenance facility. These facilities are the only locations available and all have primary functions other than the storage of aircraft engine assets. Long duration storage in these conditions can cause additional damage and corrosion to engine components, potentially negating the beneficial effects of preventative scheduled maintenance, and often requiring that those tasks be re-accomplished.

As a Member of the 111th Congress 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 for inclusion in the Fiscal Year 2010 National Defense Authorization bill and report.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or my staff, Bradford Foley, at 224-4446 with any questions.

Sincerely,



Mark Pryor

Project Name: Submarine Payloads Integration Laboratory

Request: \$11,190,000

Account: Military Construction, Navy

Project Number: P075

Service Component: Navy

Project Location: Naval Station Newport, Newport, RI

Purpose/Project Description: The Submarine Payloads Integration Laboratory will be a two story addition to Building 1246. This first floor will be a "Machine Shop" maintenance area and the second floor will be a "Multi-Purpose Administrative Facility." Construction will include steel framing, concrete floor, insulated panel walls, metal roof deck, single ply membrane roofing. Built-in equipment will include a passenger elevator, rails for three overhead cranes, and conduit and boxes for the electronic security systems and a roof hatch to be cut into the roof of building 1246. Anti terrorism Force Protection measures include parking setbacks, annealed laminated glass and protecting heating ventilation and air conditioning (NVAC) systems. Information systems include telephone and computer network infrastructure as well as an NMCI Telecom Room. The project includes sit development, and relocation of utilities, as well as some demolition costs. This construction will expand operations at the existing facility at Building 123 and conduct software and logistics support from existing labs in building 1371.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Sincerely,



Jack Reed
United States Senator

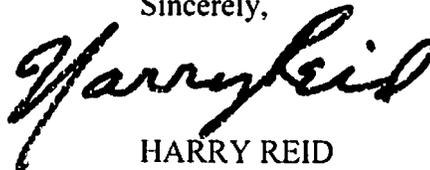
Project Location: NV National Guard, NV

Project Description: This request funds the design and construction of renewable energy projects. The NVARNG is pursuing multiple renewable energy projects in the state. Presidents Executive Order 13423, an order regarding environmental stewardship, mandates that 50% of our agencies energy must be supplied by renewable sources by 2015. As a result, NVARNG CFMO is planning wind, solar, and geothermal projects at six facilities and training sites by calendar end FY10. The major projects include combined energy production totaling three megawatts between Clark County Armory, Las Vegas Readiness Center, and Office Of The Adjutant General (OTAG) facilities. Wind/solar energy generations systems will also be implemented at OTAG in Carson City and the small arms ammunition supply depot.

Consistent with the requirements of Paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested.

If you have any questions, please contact Bob Herbert (8-4578) or Joe Martin (4-6337) from my staff.

Sincerely,

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HARRY REID
United States Senator

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April 29, 2009

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Chairman
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The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

I am writing to certify my compliance with Senate Rule XLIV and Committee direction regarding congressionally-directed authorizations. I certify that neither I nor, to my knowledge, my immediate family has a pecuniary interest or financial stake, as outlined in Senate Rules, in any of the projects I have requested to be authorized in Fiscal Year 2010 bills or reports.

Thank you for your attention and consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,



James E. Risch
United States Senator

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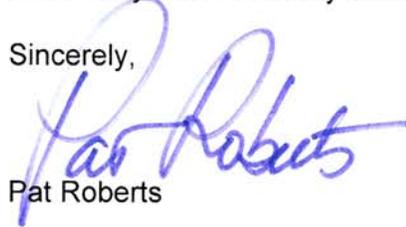
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If you have any questions, please contact Libby Quint from my staff at 224-6558.

Sincerely,

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Pat Roberts

Project Name: Morrisville FMS
Request: \$650,000
Account: Military Construction,
Project Number 500036
Service Component ARNG
Project Location Morrisville, VT
Project Description Morrisville FMS Design Funds

The funds would pay for the design phase of the Morrisville Field vehicle maintenance shop. The new facility will be larger, more modern and conform to the current requirements of their new vehicles.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in this letter, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

If you have any questions, please contact Peter Tyler from my staff at 228-6359.

Sincerely,



BERNARD SANDERS
United States Senator

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

May 4, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Committee on Armed Services
228 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Levin:

I certify to the best of my knowledge that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested in the National Defense Authorization Bill of 2010, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

Should you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,



Charles E. Schumer

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If you have any questions, please contact Sandy Luff from my staff at 224-8035.

Sincerely,

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Jeff Sessions
United States Senator

these additional personnel while improving the command communications and overall efficiency of operations.

Project Name: Gate 2 Security Improvements (AT/FP)
Request: \$7,100,000
Account: Military Construction, Navy (NA Milcon)
Project Number: P266
Service Component: Navy
Project Location: Portsmouth Naval Shipyard, Kittery, ME
Project Description:

This project will construct a new hardened guard house, active barriers, and a permanent POV inspection shelter at Gate 2 for Anti-Terrorism/Force Protection (AT/FP) measures at the Portsmouth Naval Shipyard. This project will improve security for base personnel, buildings, and vital submarine repair facilities. The new gate will also streamline traffic flow onto and off the Shipyard, lowering costs of future service and construction contracts.

Consistent with the requirements of Paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items for which I have requested authorization in the FY 2010 National Defense Authorization Act. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

If you have any questions, please contact Mike Firestone from my staff at (202) 224-2841.

Sincerely,



Jeanne Shaheen
United States Senator

Finally, 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 I requested that is contained in the Fiscal Year 2010 National Defense Authorization Act or accompanying report. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

If you have any questions, please contact Watson Donald from my staff at 224-4034.

Sincerely,

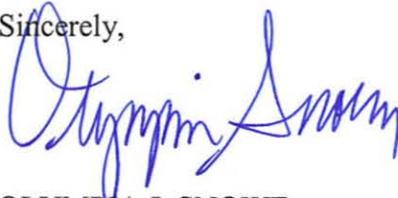
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Richard Shelby

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

In summary, I urge your support for the above items and I thank you for your attention to these important matters.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Olympia J. Snowe". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "O" and a long, sweeping underline.

OLYMPIA J. SNOWE
United States Senator

Gate does not have active vehicle barriers or the proper stacking and reaction distances required for security personnel to recognize and react in the event of a security breach.

Project Name: Technical Training and Aircraft Maintenance Facility
Request: \$38,395,000
Account: Military Construction, Army National Guard
Project Number: 420051
Service Component: Army National Guard
Project Location: Eastern ARNG Aviation Training Site (EAATS), Ft. Indiantown Gap, Pennsylvania

Project Description: This project would construct a permanent structure to execute aviation related training as directed by the National Guard Bureau for enlisted aircraft maintenance qualifications and for maintaining airframes (UH-1, UH-60, CH-47, C-23 and LUH aircraft) in support of Aviator Qualification Training for all 54 States and Territories. There is currently a shortage of 447,760 gross square feet of total required space, which restricts training and utilization. With the new facility, EAATS would be able to meet current and forecasted NGB requirements for aviation training. This project is in FYDP 2013 at \$25,000,000, but we understand incorrect cost planning led to this shortfall of \$13,395,000, which we respectfully request your staff discuss and confirm with the Army National Guard.

We certify that neither we nor our immediate families have 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 we requested for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Thank you for your consideration of these requests. We look forward to hearing from you prior to markup regarding your views on these requests. Please have your staff call Will Wagner in Senator Specter's office (4-2026) or Ed Williams in Senator Casey's office (8-5135) to discuss these projects.

Sincerely,


Arlen Specter


Robert P. Casey, Jr.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Amit Kalra from my staff at 202-224-1613.

Sincerely,

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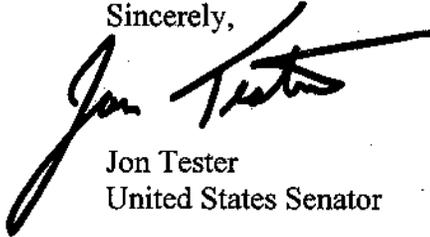
United States Senator Debbie Stabenow

administrative office, and racquetball courts. Meets AF Fitness Center Design Standards and DoD force protections standards. The project is currently on the FY 2010 FYDP

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending item(s) that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

If you have any questions, please contact James Wise of my staff at 228-6279.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jon Tester". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the left and then curves back under the name.

Jon Tester
United States Senator

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

May 1, 2009

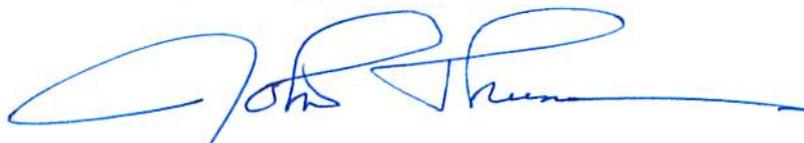
Senator Carl Levin
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228 Russell Senate Office Building
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Senator John McCain
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

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 non-military construction spending item that I requested for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Sincerely,



JOHN THUNE
United States Senator

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

May 1, 2009

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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

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Sincerely,



JOHN THUNE
United States Senator

densely populated area of Peterson Air Force Base and the main gate. The project will also focus on storm water drainage, traffic control, landscaping, signage, and utilities.

Project Name: Watkins, CO, Armory Parachute Facilities, Parking
Request: \$3,569,000
Account: Military Construction, Army National Guard
Project Number: 080213
Service Component: Colorado Army National Guard
Project Location: Watkins, CO, Armory
Project Description: Funding will be used to design and construct a 11,150 square foot parachute facility for the 5/19th SF Battalion. This facility will consist of Parachute Rigging Facility and a Parachute Drying Tower. The space will permit the 5/19th SF Battalion to perform all necessary storage, maintenance, drying and packing of their organic parachutes, which will drastically improve the overall readiness of the unit. The tower and rigging facility will replace temporary and inadequate facilities necessary to support the 5/19th Special Forces Battalion.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

If you have any questions, please contact Jennifer Barrett from my staff at 224-5724.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark Udall". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Senator Mark Udall

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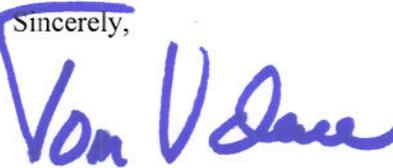
The Honorable John McCain
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

As the Committee begins consideration of the Fiscal Year 2010 (FY10) National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA), I respectfully request support for the attached military construction projects.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

If you have any questions, please contact Pablo Duran from my staff at 4-7750 or at pablo_duran@tomudall.senate.gov.

Sincerely,


Tom Udall
United States Senator

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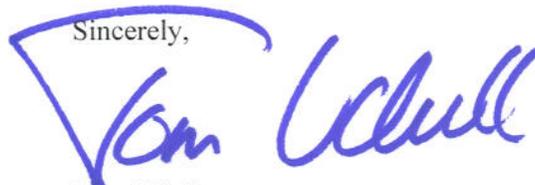
Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

As the Committee beings consideration of the Fiscal Year 2010 (FY10) National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA), I respectfully request support for the attached projects, prioritized according to the corresponding spreadsheet.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in any of the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

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The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Committee on Armed Services
228 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Levin:

As the Committee begins its consideration of the FY2010 National Defense Authorization Act, I am writing to request support for the following programs:

“I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standings Rules of the Senate.”

I have chosen these projects because they demonstrate extraordinary potential. These programs will help not only help Louisiana, but will also help provide solutions and benefits across America and the rest of the world. Please examine these projects closely and I sincerely hope that you are able to appropriate funding for these important projects. If I may be of any assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me personally, or Charles Brittingham, my Projects Director at 202-228-5849 or charles_brittingham@vitter.senate.gov

Item Name: Semi-Submersible UUV for Sensor Enhancements

Request: \$1,400,000

Account: RDT&E, NAVY

Line: Line 26, Air/Ocean Tactical Applications

PE: 0603207N

Suggested Recipient: C&C Technologies

Suggested Location: Lafayette, Louisiana

Project Description:

A near term need outlined in the Navy's Unmanned Undersea Vehicle (UUV) Master Plan is to Evaluate UUV Technology requirements and determine investments that should be made to enable the development of unmanned undersea vehicles and sensor payloads. The UUV Master Plan also recommends that experimentation with unmanned systems be expanded to provide risk reduction for technology and operations.

There is a successful ongoing research program that involves the development of an unmanned semi-submersible vehicle (USS) to evaluate new sensor capabilities, investigate the supervisory control of autonomous undersea vehicles, and mitigate risk. The purpose of this program is to

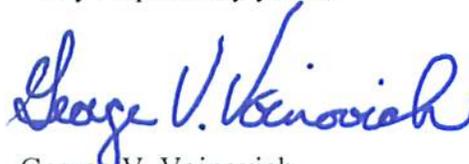
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continue to spend a large quantity of dollars on fossil fuels to provide training to pilots that could be accomplished on the ground in a simulator facility.

Project Name: Construct New Joint Operations Center
Request: \$2,000,000
Account: Military Construction, Army National Guard - Unspecified Minor Military Construction
Project Number: 390261
Service Component: ARNG
Project Location: Beightler Armory – Columbus, Ohio
Project Description: This project would construct a new Joint Operations Center (JOC) to replace the current JOC that was built in 1965. The current JOC is too small to meet the Homeland Security and Peacetime mission of the Ohio Air National Guard. The existing JOC is not suitable for post 9/11 operations, where 24-hour operation is required. The new JOC will provide space, security, and communications ability needed to enhance readiness for the post 9/11 environment.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending items that I have requested, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate.

Very respectfully yours,



George V. Voinovich
United States Senator

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-4606

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Chairman
Committee on Armed Services
228 Russell Senate Office Building
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The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
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228 Russell Senate Office Building
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

I write today regarding compliance with Senate Rules for requests made in the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 2010. I am submitting my request for items jointly with Senator Webb in a letter of this date to the Committee on Armed Services.

After discussions with the Senate Select Committee on Ethics, and pursuant to my best understanding of Senate Rule XXXVII, 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 for fiscal year 2010 that would violate the conflict of interest standards of Senate Rule XXXVII.

Should you or members of your staff have any questions or require additional information, I hope that you will not hesitate to contact me or Mark Brunner (224-2418) of my staff.

Sincerely,



Mark R. Warner
United States Senator

JIM WEBB

VIRGINIA

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April 30, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
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The Honorable John McCain
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Committee on Armed Services
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Should you or members of your staff have any questions or require additional information, I hope that you will not hesitate to contact me or Gordon Peterson (x8-5210) of my staff.

Sincerely,



Jim Webb
United States Senator

ROGER F. WICKER

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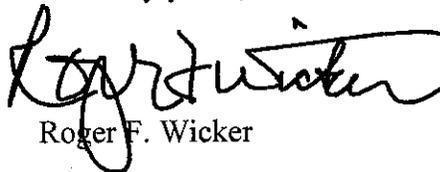
Dear Chairman Levin,

As the Committee begins its consideration of the Fiscal Year 2010 National Defense Authorization Act, I respectfully request consideration for the attached list of programs. Once the Congress receives the President's Fiscal Year 2010 Budget for the Department of Defense, I look forward to working with the Committee to prioritize projects within this list, which meet the national security needs of our armed forces.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has a pecuniary interest, consistent with the requirements of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, in any congressionally directed spending item that I requested for consideration of inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010. I further certify that I have posted a description of the items requested on my official website, along with the accompanying justification.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,



Roger F. Wicker

Line: 10
PE: 0602271N

Suggested Recipient: Maxtek Components Corporation

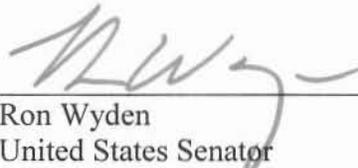
Suggested Location of Performance (major portion of the work): Beaverton, OR

Purpose/Project Description: In collaboration with a team of companies across the United States, this request will fund a portion of the development and demonstration costs of a listen-while-jamming system, using a combination of existing digital receiver technology and appropriate computer interconnect technology to provide a SiGe based radio receiver to enable validation of technical approaches and to enable rapid software development. A Listen-while-jamming system could permit location and identification of Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs) and other threats, while preventing their detonation. Funds will be used to develop and purchase requisite receivers and interconnect technology for the system.

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 for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Thank you for your consideration of these worthy projects. I appreciate your strong and continued leadership and look forward to working with you this year on funding vital to our nation.

Sincerely,



Ron Wyden
United States Senator

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510

March 10, 2009

SENATE COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

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The Honorable Carl Levin
Chairman
Senate Committee on Armed Services
228 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
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Dear Sirs:

We write to you again this year as active supporters of our Army National Guard and the UH-60 Black Hawk helicopter program. The Guard's continued partnership with our active duty Army enables them to perform vital national and state missions. Over the last several years, the Black Hawk H-60 has supported a full spectrum of missions, to include search and rescue, disaster relief, fire fighting and medical evacuation, and on-going deployments to both Iraq and Afghanistan.

The US Army Black Hawk helicopter fleet is the largest flying fleet in our military inventory, having logged more than 830,000 flight hours (more than any other flying platform) supporting Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. The Army National Guard flies the oldest "A" model Black Hawks in the inventory, they are wearing out much faster than planned, and accelerated fielding of new and re-capitalized H-60s is required to keep the Army National Guard Black Hawk Fleet deployable, especially in high altitude theaters like Afghanistan.

It is anticipated that the FY2010 Department of Defense Budget will fund 70 Black Hawk helicopter H-60Ms at \$1.3 billion in Army Aircraft Procurement - UH-60 Black Hawk account and 38 Black Hawk helicopter UH-60A-A to UH-60L conversions @ \$64.6 million in the Army Aircraft Procurement - Utility Helicopter Modifications account. Each UH-60A-A to UH-60L conversion requires a re-capitalized UH-60A helicopter funded in Army OMA Budget Activity 01, Activity Group 12, Sub-activity Group 123.

In order to continue to re-capitalize the Army National Guard Black Hawk helicopter fleet, we respectfully request an increase of \$164.0 million in Army Aircraft Procurement - UH-60 Black Hawk for 10 UH-60M helicopters, and an increase of \$20.4 million for 12 UH-60A-A to UH-60L conversions in Army Aircraft Procurement - Utility Helicopter Modifications both for the Army National Guard.

We appreciate the unwavering support you continue to provide the men and women who faithfully serve our Army National Guard. Thank you for your consideration of this critical equipment issue. We certify that neither we nor our 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 we requested for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Sincerely,



Mil. Johanna Whitmore

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March 27, 2009

The Honorable Carl Levin
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United States Senate
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The Honorable John McCain
Ranking Member
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United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

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 possible congressionally directed spending directed towards the F-16C Block 42 F-100-PW-229 Re-engine program in the FY2010 National Defense Authorization Act and Defense Supplemental Appropriations Act.

Sincerely,



James M. Inhofe
United States Senator



George Voinovich
United States Senator



Sherrod Brown
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

Let us begin by thanking you and the entire Committee for your support of Gulf War Illness treatment research funding in last year's National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA). Because of your constant efforts and those of the Appropriations Committee, \$10 million was authorized and \$8 million was appropriated for the Gulf War Illness Research Program (GWIRP) within the U.S. Army's Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs (CDMRP). This year we are writing to ask you to provide authorization for \$25 million in funding for research focused on identifying beneficial treatments and diagnostic markers for veterans suffering from Gulf War Illnesses (GWI), the complex of chronic symptoms (including widespread pain, cognitive impairment, and persistent fatigue in conjunction with diverse other symptoms and abnormalities) resulting from service in the 1991 Gulf War.

This request has the support of the American Legion, AMVETS, the Association of the United States Navy, the Blinded Veterans Association, the Disabled American Veterans, the National Guard Association of the United States, the National Vietnam and Gulf War Veterans Coalition, the Paralyzed Veterans of America, the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Veterans of Modern Warfare, and the Vietnam Veterans of America.

This request for \$25 million follows the November 2008 release of the 454-page report by the Congressionally-mandated Research Advisory Committee (RAC) on Gulf War Illnesses, which concluded that "*[t]he extensive body of scientific research now available consistently indicates that Gulf War illness is real, that it is the result of neurotoxic exposures during Gulf War deployment, and that few veterans have recovered or substantially improved with time.*" At least 175,000 veterans, one in four of those who deployed, are affected. Similarly, a recent VA-DoD paper noted that "about 25% more Gulf War veterans reported suffering from MSI [Multi-symptom illness] compared with their Gulf Era military peers." The RAC report called for a "*renewed federal research commitment ... to identify effective treatments ... to achieve the critical objectives of improving the health of Gulf War veterans and preventing similar problems in future deployments.*"

Funding at the \$25 million level will provide the program with approximately \$13 million for pilot studies to identify effective treatments and diagnostic tests, \$8 million for clinical trials of

treatments identified as effective in previous pilot studies, and \$4 million for a center of excellence to identify promising candidates for treatments and diagnostic tests.

This request of \$25 million for the CDMRP Gulf War Illness Research Program represents Congress taking the first step to implement the RAC report's recommendation that *"the Administration request and Congress appropriate a minimum of \$40 million annually to the Department of Defense for the Gulf War Illness Research Program managed by DOD's Office of Congressionally Directed Medical Research Programs."* With its independent, merit-based, and peer-reviewed process we are confident that these resources are and will continue to be used in the best interest of our service members and veterans. Importantly, the research awards through GWIRP are open to all interested researchers including public and private universities and federal laboratories.

Unfortunately, exposures to toxins, chemical weapons, and other hazardous substances are a permanent reality for our service members. We need to make sure we have the effective defensive measures and treatments in place for affected service members. Since no substantial treatments are currently available for Gulf War veterans 18 years after the end of the war, clearly, our work is not yet complete.

The Department of Defense historically funded two-thirds of GWI research, reflecting the need to prevent similar problems in future deployments, but funding for new Gulf War illnesses research was eliminated from the DoD budget after the onset of the current wars. Clearly we can all agree that both DoD and VA have a moral responsibility and vested interest in providing funding to advance research into treatments.

We look forward to working with you to ensure that \$25 million in authorization of funding for CDMRP's Gulf War Illness Research Program is contained in the Senate's FY10 NDAA.

Finally, we certify that none of us individually nor our immediate family has a pecuniary interest, consistent with the requirements of paragraph 9 of Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, in this congressionally-directed spending item that we are requesting for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

Thank you for your consideration of this request and for your work on behalf of the members of our Armed Forces, our veterans, and their families.

Sincerely,


BERNARD SANDERS
United States Senator

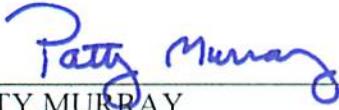

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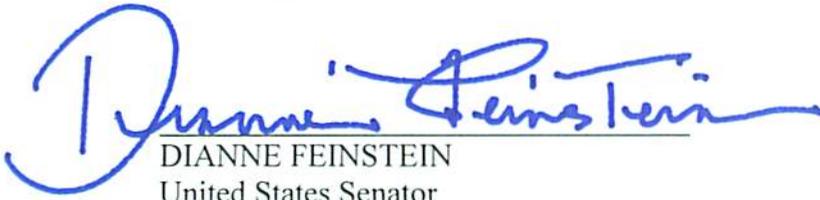
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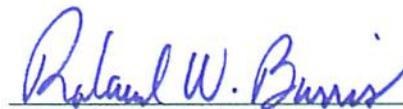
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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

We write to urge you to continue authorizing \$5 million for an Impact Aid provision contained in Section 363 of the Fiscal Year 2001 Defense Department Authorization Act to relieve the considerable financial strain on school districts educating large numbers of military children with severe disabilities.

School districts with a large military presence have higher percentages of students with disabilities than do districts with non-federally connected students – in part because military personnel who have children with disabilities often receive compassionate post assignments to these districts, many of which have strong special education programs.

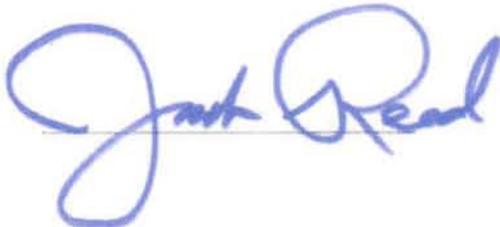
However, the cost of providing special education services is high: services to meet the needs of these children can cost upwards of \$100,000 a year (as compared to the average national per pupil expenditure of \$9,796). These school districts, which are providing specialized programs mostly at local expense, need our support as they strive to educate these children.

Congress' commitment to military children is now more important than ever, as military children from the active and reserve forces struggle with the parents' long deployments in active combat and terrorism-related activities. Our military families give so much as they proudly defend our nation. We must do everything we can to assure them that their children are provided the best possible special education programs.

Thank you for your continued support and dedication to our men and women in uniform and their families, and for your thoughtful consideration of this request.

We certify that neither we nor our immediate families have 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 we requested for inclusion in the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2010.

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Dear Chairman Levin and Ranking Member McCain:

One of the major challenges facing the domestic industrial base is to maintain technology leadership in strategic sectors critical to our national defense, especially in light of growing global economic pressures. The Metal Affordability Initiative (MAI) consortium, established in 1999 has improved the military war fighting capability while reducing life cycle cost through technology innovation and is helping to transform the US specialty aerospace metals industry by increasing the competitiveness of this critical industrial sector.

MAI's membership includes 18 companies, along with the Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL) at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base. In addition to the consortium members, MAI's competitively-bid projects involve participants from an additional 60 industrial companies, including over 45 small businesses, 18 universities, and three National Laboratories. A recent survey of MAI participants indicated that they reside in over 93 Congressional Districts located in 35 states, truly a national agenda.

The high success rate of MAI programs is accomplished through government/industry collaboration, which also allows leveraging of precious technical resources and financial investment. The government investment (over \$59 million to date) is supplemented by a minimum industry cost share of 25 percent (over \$25 million). MAI has demonstrated a return on government investment approaching 15:1. MAI programs have already accomplished over 50 technology insertions into military systems. MAI is an outstanding example of good public policy.

The AF has recognized the excellent contribution of MAI to meeting their focused long-term challenges by continuously increasing support from limited discretionary funds (now over \$11.5 million through FY11) for developing advanced structural metals technology. They plan to establish a stable source of funding for structural metals technology programs within their established 6.3 AFRL/RX Program Element in the FY10 President's Budget.

Therefore, we respectfully request that the Committee authorize an additional \$10 million in FY10 to Advanced Materials for Weapon Systems, PE 0603112F, specifically for MAI. This funding will allow initiation of 4 new, more immediate high-impact programs, as well as sustaining ongoing programs. These new industry-led programs will be directed at improvement in total systems cost, fuel savings/energy management, "green" (environmental impact), sustainment/life extension, and access to space. We have also attached suggested report language for your consideration.

We certify that neither ourselves' nor our immediate family have 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 we requested in our letter dated April 30, 2009.

Thank you for your strong leadership in supporting this competitively-bid program of National significance that deals with a critical industrial base issue.

Sincerely,

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Dear Chairman Levin, Ranking Member McCain, Chairman Inouye, and Ranking Member Cochran:

We are writing to urge the Committees to authorize and appropriate at least \$75 million in Fiscal Year 2010 for the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative (REPI) within the Operations and Maintenance, Defense-wide account.

Congress and the Department of Defense (DOD) recognized several years ago that accelerating development, population growth, and loss of habitat on non-military lands pose a growing threat to military readiness and to the development and fielding of future weapon systems. Accordingly, Congress provided the Secretary of Defense and the Secretaries of the Military Departments new authorities in the FY 2003 National Defense Authorization Act to partner with state and local governments and conservation organizations to establish buffer zones to protect testing and training areas around the country. The Secretary of Defense implemented this authority by establishing the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative (REPI).

The REPI program has already proven to be a great success. In fiscal years 2005 through 2008, DOD used REPI authority to provide over \$107 million to support installation projects and leveraged in excess of \$110 million in partner funds. Congress and DOD provided an additional \$56 million in FY 2009 to protect key installations, ranges, and airspace through REPI, and these funds are leveraging significant additional funding from partners. Since FY 2005, REPI-funded projects have been or are being implemented at more than 40 installations and ranges throughout the country. Additional installations are expected to initiate projects in the next few months.

Recent DOD and RAND Corporation assessments have validated the effectiveness of REPI, but they indicate that the program needs additional resources to meet the challenges that encroachment is posing to military installations and ranges. The RAND report, entitled "The Thin Green Line," concluded that the REPI program is underfunded, that opportunities for effective action to protect bases are being lost, and that the cost of effective action will only increase over time.

Over the last several years, Congress has taken several steps to increase funding for REPI. We appreciate your leadership in helping increase FY 2009 funding for the program to \$56 million, \$16 million above the Pentagon's budget request, but still less than half of the Service-validated funding requirements. This year, we anticipate that the Administration will request \$40 million. We believe that the anticipated budget request level is far too low to effectively meet the challenges that encroachment is posing at military installations around the country.

These challenges will only intensify in the near to mid-term. The "Grow the Force" initiative, the global restationing of forces, implementation of BRAC 2005, fielding of new weapons systems, and the pressing need to retrain forces as they redeploy from Iraq and Afghanistan will all increase pressures on our remaining military installations and ranges.

In our view, REPI needs to be funded at a level of at least \$75 million in FY 2010 if it is to continue to be successful in addressing encroachment, preserving the readiness of our Armed Forces, ensuring the long range sustainability of our installations, ranges, and airspace, and sustaining the vital contributions military installations make to our local, state, and regional economies. We respectfully encourage you to fund the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative at this level.

We certify that neither we nor our immediate family have 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 we requested.

Thank you in advance for your thoughtful consideration of our request and we look forward to continuing to work with you to support this important program.

Sincerely,

Senator Mark Udall

Senator Mel Martinez

Senator Michael F. Bennet

Senator Richard Burr

Senator Ben Cardin

Senator Christopher Dodd

Senator Barbara Boxer

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Dear Chairmen and Ranking Members,

I am writing in support of Senator Udall and Senator Martinez's request for \$75 million to fund the Readiness and Environmental Protection Initiative (REPI) in appropriations for fiscal year 2010. The REPI program has been proven effective in addressing the growing concern of encroachment at our military installations, including the multiple military bases in my home state. This appropriation would help to bring additional funds to an important and successful program.

Sincerely,



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