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The Honorable Jason Smith
Chairman, Committee on Ways & Means
U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable Richard Neal
Ranking Member, Committee on Ways & Means
U.S. House of Representatives

The Honorable Ron Wyden
Chairman, Committee on Finance
U.S. Senate

The Honorable Mike Crapo
Ranking Member, Committee on Finance
U.S. Senate

Dear Chairs and Ranking Members:

We write to supplement the protected disclosures our client, Supervisory Special Agent (SSA) Gary Shapley, made to the House Committee on Ways and Means pursuant to 26 U.S.C. § 6103(f)(5) and the protections afforded by 5 U.S.C. § 2302(b)(8)(C).

Cordially,

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