



Department of Energy
Washington, DC 20585

December 20, 2018

The Honorable Fred Upton
Chair
Committee on Energy and Commerce
United States House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Upton:

At the Committee's hearing on December 12, 2018, I provided a response to a question posed by Representative McKinley. For purposes of clarifying the record, my answer to Mr. McKinley's question was meant to convey the same point made by the other witnesses on the panel. That is, I was meaning to say, without committing to a particular set of specific requirements and after consideration of the cost implications, that it could be possible to set building efficiency goals.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Leslie Nicholls".

Leslie Nicholls
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