## THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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Mr. Hugh Roy Marshall Director, USCL Corporation 146 South D Street Virginia City, Nevada 89440-0890

Dear Mr. Marshall:

The president asked me to respond to your letter to him providing information about technologies to promote energy conservation. As you know, the president believes energy conservation and efficiency are essential components of a balanced and comprehensive energy plan.

Metering technologies like those you sent with your letter to the President will enable consumers to see their energy costs more directly and will thereby encourage energy and budgetary savings by promoting demand responses.

Again, thank you for taking the time to write and to send the President the information on (USCL) metering technologies. These technologies will contribute to our Nation's crucial need to conserve energy and consumer's need to economize on energy expenses.

Sincerely,

Larry Lindsey

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