The Honorable Darrell E. Issa
Chairman
Committee on Oversight and
Governmental Affairs
U.S. House of Representatives
2157 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Issa:

Per Title 41 U.S.C. § 8302, I am providing the following information on the purchases of articles, materials, and supplies that were manufactured outside of the United States for Fiscal Year 2011. This report will be posted at www.sec.gov.

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Sincerely,

Mary L. Schapiro
Chairman
The Honorable Elijah Cummings  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Oversight and  
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2471 Rayburn House Office Building  
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The Honorable Joseph I. Lieberman  
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Committee on Homeland Security and  
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United States Senate  
340 Dirksen Senate Office Building  
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The Honorable Susan M. Collins  
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