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Elizabeth M. Murphy Secretary U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F St. NE Washington, DC 20549-1090

Re: Pay Ratio Disclosure, File No. S7-07-13

Dear Ms. Murphy,

I strongly support regulations that would require publicly-traded companies to disclose CEO-to-median worker pay ratios. As income inequality reaches unprecedented heights, the public has the right to know which corporations are fueling the yawning gap between rich and poor.

Disclosure of CEO-to-worker pay ratios are also crucial for investors. This information is important for determining whether corporations are diverting resources to executives at the expense of long-term investments and workforce development. Additionally, investors need to be able to gauge whether executives' compensation is falling in line with their performance.

WE ARE RAPIDLY BECOMING A CORPORATOCRACY, AND LOSING OUR CIVIL GOVERNMENT TO CORPORATE DECISIONS, FOR ALL THE REASONS THAT YOU WELL KNOW, BY NOW... THIS PROVISION OF DODD-FRANK IS CRUCIAL TO SLOWING THIS PROCESS...

Sincerely,

Joe Karr