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United States

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 am an investor.

I strongly support strong, impartially enforced 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, a gap that acts to increase poor health, hopelessness, and violence.

Disclosure of CEO-to-worker pay ratios is also crucial for investors. This data is crucial and essential in order to determine how many resources corporations are diverting to executives at the expense of long-term investments and workforce development. Additionally, investors need to be able to gauge whether executives' compensation is anywhere in line with their performance.

As an IRA investor, I also need this information to plan where I hold my funds.

Why should my taxes support corporations that are blatantly and publicly forcing their own employees onto food stamps and Medicaid just to survive?

Sincerely,

Sigrid Asmus