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S7-10-04

The Honorable Richard Shelby  
United States Senate  
110 Hart Building  
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Dear Senator Shelby:

On Thursday, May 6, 2004, the Alabama Senate passed Resolution #220 by a unanimous vote. I am enclosing a copy for your review.

As Chairman of the Senate Banking Committee, you know how important it is to keep our National Market System competitive and give our investors all of the protection that we can.

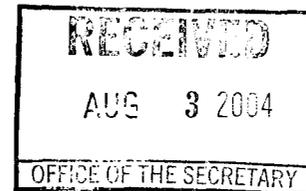
The promulgation of the Securities and Executive Commissions Rule #S7-10-04 is a very important step in having an open and transparent financial market with the New York Stock Exchange.

I hope you find this resolution of some interest.

Sincerely,

Alabama State Senate

Curt Lee  
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- cc: The Honorable Jeff Sessions
- The Honorable Robert Aderholt
- The Honorable Spencer Bachus
- The Honorable Jo Bonner
- The Honorable Bud Cramer
- The Honorable Artur Davis
- The Honorable Terry Everett
- The Honorable Mike Rogers