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Dear Mr. Revesz:

Thank you for appearing before the Subcommittee on Energy and Power on Thursday, October 22, 2015, to testify at the hearing entitled "EPA's CO2 Regulations for New and Existing Power Plants: Legal Perspectives."

Pursuant to the Rules of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the hearing record remains open for ten business days to permit Members to submit additional questions for the record, which are attached. The format of your responses to these questions should be as follows: (1) the name of the Member whose question you are addressing, (2) the complete text of the question you are addressing in bold, and (3) your answer to that question in plain text.

To facilitate the printing of the hearing record, please respond to these questions with a transmittal letter by the close of business on Monday, November 30, 2015. Your responses should be mailed to Will Batson, Legislative Clerk, Committee on Energy and Commerce, 2125 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515 and e-mailed in Word format to Will.Batson@mail.house.gov.

Thank you again for your time and effort preparing and delivering testimony before the Subcommittee.

Sincerely,



Ed Whitfield
Chairman
Subcommittee on Energy and Power

cc: The Honorable Bobby Rush, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Energy and Power

Attachment

Additional Questions for the Record

The Honorable Frank Pallone

1. At the end of the hearing, Congressman Olson asked Ms. Wood about the Good Neighbor Provision in the Clean Air Act and whether it supports the Clean Power Plan. In response, Ms. Wood said: “The Good Neighbor provision is part of the NAAQS program, the National Ambient Air Quality Standard provision. It is part of section 110 of the Clean Air Act. It is different. And what that provision covers is the attainment of National Ambient Air Quality Standards. And the way that States can do that is much more broad than under section 111, which is the standards of performance for sources. So it can encompass many more things than a standard of performance can. It is not as limited to the source or limited to an emission rate. It works differently. It is a completely different program.”

Do you agree with Ms. Wood’s assessment? Please explain.