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Mr. Mike McAdams  
President  
Advanced Biofuels Association  
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Dear Mr. McAdams:

Thank you for appearing before the Subcommittee on Environment on June 22, 2018, to testify at the hearing entitled "Advanced Biofuels Under the Renewable Fuel Standard: Current Status and Future Prospects."

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. To facilitate the printing of the hearing record, please respond to these questions with a transmittal letter by the close of business on Tuesday, September 4, 2018. Your responses should be mailed to Kelly Collins, Legislative Clerk, Committee on Energy and Commerce, 2125 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515 and e-mailed in Word format to [kelly.collins@mail.house.gov](mailto:kelly.collins@mail.house.gov).

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

Sincerely,



John Shimkus  
Chairman  
Subcommittee on Environment

cc: The Honorable Paul Tonko, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Environment

Attachment

## **Attachment—Additional Questions for the Record**

### **The Honorable John Shimkus**

1. What are the main regulatory barriers that are preventing the growth of Advanced Biofuels in America?
2. Is there a potential future scenario where Advanced Biofuels could successfully compete and participate in the market without the Renewable Fuel Standard?
3. Why haven't we seen greater production of cellulosic fuels that utilize woody biomass?
4. What are your views on the EPA's 2016 proposed Renewables Enhancement and Growth Support (REGS) Rule?