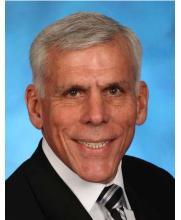
## **Committee on Energy and Commerce** U.S. House of Representatives Witness Disclosure Requirement - "Truth in Testimony"

Required by House Rule XI, Clause 2(g)(5)

1.	Your Name: Stephen E. Zimmer			
2.	Your Title: Executive Director, United States Council for Automotive Research (USCAR)			
3.	The Entity(ies) You are Representing: USCAR			
4.	Are you testifying on behalf of the Federal, or a State or local	Yes	No	
	government entity?		X	
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## **BIOGRAPHY: STEPHEN E. ZIMMER**



Steve Zimmer is executive director of the United States Council for Automotive Research LLC (USCAR), the collaborative automotive technology company of FCA US LLC, Ford Motor Company and General Motors.

Mr. Zimmer joined USCAR in July 2010 with 35 years of automotive experience, including 24 years at Chrysler and 10 years at Ford. He also was executive director of USAutoPARTS, following his retirement from Chrysler in 2007.

While at Chrysler, Mr. Zimmer served as its director for the FreedomCAR and Fuel Partnership, a collaboration among

the members of USCAR, the U.S. Department of Energy, five energy companies and two utilities. He began his involvement with USCAR in 1997 as Chrysler's director for the Partnership for a New Generation of Vehicles (PNGV) and continued as that program transitioned to the FreedomCAR and Fuel Partnership. He also was Chrysler's representative on the USCAR Leadership Group from 2004 through 2007.

Today, as executive director of USCAR, Mr. Zimmer oversees the organization's multimillion dollar collaborative research portfolio, which includes R&D, benchmarking, data exchange and standards development with government agencies, national labs, suppliers, standards organizations and universities, as well as USCAR's strategic partnership with the U.S. Department of Energy in U.S. DRIVE (<u>Driving Research and Innovation for Vehicle efficiency and Energy sustainability</u>).

Mr. Zimmer began his automotive career at Ford and held various positions in its procurement and supply organization from 1973 through 1983. In 1983, he joined Chrysler's procurement and supply organization and served in several director level positions until 1997, when he moved to Chrysler's product development organization serving as director of Advanced Technology Portfolio Management and Government Collaborative programs until his retirement in 2007. While at Chrysler, Mr. Zimmer also served as chair and board member on the Automotive Industry Action Group, the Michigan Minority Business Development Council and as co-chair of the 2008 SAE World Congress.

Mr. Zimmer has bachelor's and master's degrees in business administration from Eastern Michigan University and is a graduate of the University of Michigan's Executive Business Program.