Committee on Natural Resources Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States **Remote Legislative Hearing - Cisco WebEx** May 20, 2021 12:00 p.m.

Legislative Hearing on H.R. 438, H.R. 2930, RESPECT Act [Discussion Draft]

Questions from Rep. Westerman for Brian D. Vallo, Governor, Pueblo of Acoma

- 1. Would a tourist who purchased a commercial item, need to go through the exportation process before leaving the country?
- 2. How does H.R. 2930 ensure that commercial items are not pulled into the export requirements?

Questions from Rep. Westerman for Robert Gallegos, Treasurer, Antique Tribal Art Dealers

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- 1. In your testimony, you stated that this bill could potentially include commercially made items such as jewelry, sculpture, and textiles purchased by tourists. Could you elaborate more on why you believe this would occur if H.R. 2930 is enacted?
- 2. What amendments would you make to the bill to ensure commercial items are not included in the export requirements?