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The Honorable Marsha Blackburn
Chair, Select Investigative Panel
House Energy & Commerce Committee
2125 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

The Hon. Jan Schakowsky
Ranking Member, Select Investigative Panel
House Energy & Commerce Committee
2322A Rayburn House Office Building,
Washington, DC 20515

Re: StemExpress Statement Regarding Select Investigative Panel and April 20, 2016 Hearing on “The Pricing of Fetal Tissue”

Dear Chairman Blackburn & Ranking Member Schakowsky:

On behalf of our client, StemExpress LLC (“StemExpress”),¹ enclosed please find a statement regarding the subject matter of the above-referenced hearing of the Select Investigative Panel. This document is Bates-stamped STEM.HOUSE.SELECT_0892-0907 and has not been marked as confidential.

If you have any questions about this correspondence, please do not hesitate to contact me at 202-756-8380.

Sincerely,



Amandeep S. Sidhu

Enclosure

¹ StemExpress is a privately held life sciences company that supports leading research institutions in the United States and internationally—including medical schools, pharmaceutical companies, and federal agencies—to provide stem cells and other human tissue critical to medical research. Cells produced by the physicians, scientists, medical technicians and nurses at StemExpress are currently used in research globally aimed at finding cures and treatments for cancer, diabetes, HIV/AIDS, cardiac disease, and other significant medical conditions. StemExpress plays a critical role in helping the global research community as they strive to achieve medical breakthroughs to stamp out global disease and improve quality of life.

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cc (w/encl.):

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