



BOARD OF GOVERNORS
OF THE
FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20551

December 8, 2009

BEN S. BERNANKE
CHAIRMAN

The Honorable Joseph R. Biden, Jr.
President of the United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Mr. President:

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The Honorable Nancy Pelosi
Speaker of the House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

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Chairman
Committee on Homeland Security and
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The Honorable Susan M. Collins
Ranking Member
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The Honorable Edolphus Towns
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