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Good afternoon, our client Newtrient, who represents American dairy producers efforts to reduce their environmental footprint, wanted to share their views and endorsement of Mr. [Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy] with the Administrator. On their behalf, thank you for your consideration.

Best, Denise

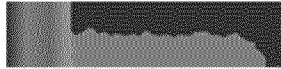
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October 20, 2017

Administrator Scott Pruitt
Environmental Protection Agency
Office of the Administrator
1200 Pennsylvania Ave NW
Washington, DC 20006

Dear Administrator Pruitt:

On behalf of Newtrient LLC and its leadership, which is *representative* of over half the milk produced in the U.S. comprising over 20,000 U.S. dairy farms, I write in strong support of Mr. **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** interest in a federal position at the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Since we had the pleasure to meet back in April, you may recall that Newtrient LLC represents dairy industry efforts to reduce non-point source emissions via an unsubsidized, public/private, market-driven approach. It is the first organization of its kind focused on reducing the environmental footprint of dairy farming and making it economically viable to do so.

Newtrient and its key industry leaders support Mr. **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** because of his excellent qualifications and experience in environmental protection and familiarity with the agricultural sector’s key role as a partner in that effort. While serving as **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** demonstrated leadership in developing creative solutions to meet our nation’s non-point source emissions challenges, especially in the water quality sector. Throughout Mr. **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** career within the agricultural industry and during his time as the **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** for the **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** has demonstrated an ability to collaborate constructively with multiple stakeholders to achieve beneficial outcomes for the environment and the economy. Mr. **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** would be a key asset in helping the EPA to further a culture of environmental protection through market-driven solutions, rather than relying solely on command and control.

Members of my staff have known Mr. **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** for many years and he is well known to be a person of the highest moral character, integrity and ethics—critical qualities that are vital for a federal position at the Environmental Protection Agency.

EPA’s future regulatory approach towards balancing compliance, enforcement and economic viability will have wide-spread impact on the future of the agricultural industry, and thus, the availability and affordability of food. In order to fully realize the benefits of market-based compliance regimes, we are looking to the EPA to draft people with the creativity and vision to help the nation achieve its goals of environmental stewardship and sustainability. We believe that Mr. **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** will be a great asset in helping the EPA achieve its mission.

We welcome any further questions that you have about Mr. **Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy** and look forward to working with your agency to drive economic value and good environmental outcomes.



Thank you for your consideration of Mr. Ex. 6 - Personal Privacy

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. P. Rowe". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a prominent initial "S" and "P".

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