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Dear Dr. Morgan:

Thank you for your letter and advice on the criteria that should be used to assess scientists and experts who wish to serve on the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's chartered Science Advisory Board. I appreciate your past service as chair of the SAB.

Federal advisory committees play a critical role in reviewing the agency's work. When nominations are sought for the SAB, I want to ensure an open and competitive process that considers a wide array of applicants and provides fair consideration of all nominees.

If you have any questions regarding the nomination process, please contact Christopher Zarba, director of the SAB staff office, at (202) 564-2221 or at zarba.christopher@epa.gov.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "E. Scott Pruitt", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

E. Scott Pruitt

cc: Christopher Zarba
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