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Sydney,

We sent the meeting request below to Mr. Pruitt earlier this month, but in a follow up call, learned that you would be the best one to work with moving forward. The Economic Alliance Houston Port Region will be traveling to Washington D.C. the last week in March, the 28th through the 31st. We would like to request a meeting with him or his staff at his convenience on either **March 29th** or **30th**. The Economic Alliance represents the 25-mile Houston Ship Channel, home to the nation's largest petrochemical complex and its' second largest port.

We will have members with us representing Shell, ExxonMobil, Kinder Morgan, INEOS, Turner Industries, the President of the Texas Chemical Council and the Executive Director of the East Harris County Manufacturers Association. This group will be interested in discussing the new Administrator's strategy and policies affecting the chemical industry along the Texas Gulf Coast. We understand that Mr. Pruitt's schedule is busy, and would be willing to meet with his staff if he is unavailable.

We thank you for your consideration and look forward to meeting with you.

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The Economic Alliance Houston Port Region, created in 1985, provides professional economic development services for the businesses and communities surrounding the 25-mile Houston Ship Channel. Since 2008, the Economic Alliance has supported over 57 successful projects that have helped create 5,500 new jobs and over \$6 billion of capital investment to the Houston Port Region.

From: Kaitlyn Conner
Sent: Friday, March 03, 2017 2:13 PM
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Good afternoon Scott,

The Economic Alliance Houston Port Region will be traveling to Washington D.C. the last week in March, the 28th through the 31st. We would like to request a meeting with you or one of your staff members on either March 29th or 30th. The Economic Alliance communities surrounding the 25-mile Houston Ship Channel are home to the nation's largest petrochemical complex and its' second largest port, and with our over 260 members, provide professional economic development services to grow this vital region.

Issues our members will want to discuss include:

- corporate tax levels
- air permitting and regulations
- infrastructure supporting freight movement
- workforce development

We thank you for your consideration and look forward to meeting with you.

Best Regards,

Kaitlyn Conner



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