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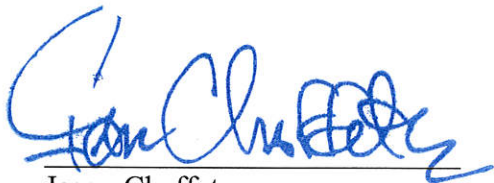
The Honorable Gene L. Dodaro
Comptroller General of the United States
U.S. Government Accountability Office
441 G Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20548

Dear Mr. Dodaro:

We write to request that we be added as sponsors of a report that GAO is preparing under its own authority on the Department of Interior's (DOI) initiatives to improve offshore oil and gas oversight and internal management at the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement (engagement code 100736).

Please have your staff contact Melissa Beaumont of the Committee staff at (202) 225-5074 with any questions about this request. Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Jason Chaffetz
Chairman



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Energy, and Environment

cc: The Honorable Elijah E. Cummings, Ranking Minority Member

The Honorable Stacey E. Plaskett, Ranking Minority Member
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