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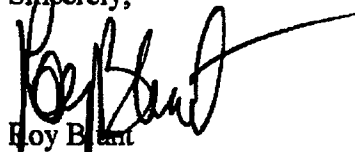
The Honorable David Obey, Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
H-218, The Capitol
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The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Ranking Member
House Appropriations Committee
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Dear Chairman Obey and Ranking Member Lewis,

I am requesting funding for Advanced Lithium-Carbon Monofluoride Combat Portable Batteries in fiscal year 2008. The entity to receive funding for this project is EaglePicher Technologies, located in my district at C and Porter Streets, Joplin, MO 64801. It is my understanding that the funding would be used to work with the Army to develop the next generation BA-5590 battery that will dramatically increase battery performance and energy density through the use of cutting edge Lithium-Carbon Monofluoride technology (CFx). I certify that neither I nor my spouse has any direct financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,


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