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Mr. Christopher Cox Chairman Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street, NE OFFICE Washington, D.C. 20549

Dear Commissioner Cox:

The Dominican Sisters of San Rafael in California are committed to fostering just social and economic activities, development and investment in local and global societies. We are strong supporters of socially responsible investment efforts. We believe that the policies and actions of companies have important consequence both for their and our financial health; and, beyond that, companies' policies and actions have impacts on the broad health and wellbeing of peoples in all cultures as well as on the environment.

Coming from our system of values, we believe we should hold accountable those companies in which we invest for their contribution to improving the social and world order. Such contributions result in both shareholder value and in a more just world.

We ask that you support maintaining shareholder advisory resolutions. The dialogues and shareholder proposals are more effective in bringing about positive change within companies in which we hold stock than the only other option we would be available to us if the rules change, that is divestiture.

Sincerely,

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