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COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

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July 12, 2024

Mr. Andrew Logan  
Senior Director of Climate and Energy, Oil and Gas  
Ceres  
c/o Mr. Matthew E. Miller  
99 Chauncy Street, 6th Floor  
Boston, MA 02111

Re: Transcribed Interview of Andrew Logan

Dear Mr. Logan:

The Committee on the Judiciary is conducting oversight of the adequacy and enforcement of U.S. antitrust laws. Financial Institutions are collectively adopting and imposing left-wing environmental, social, and governance (ESG)-related goals, and the Committee is concerned that Ceres appears to facilitate collusion that may violate U.S. antitrust law. To advance our oversight and inform potential legislation related to collusive ESG policies, the Committee must understand how and to what extent Ceres may facilitate collusion to promote ESG-related goals. As Ceres's Senior Director of Climate and Energy, Oil and Gas, you are uniquely positioned to aid the Committee's oversight and inform legislative reforms. Documents produced to the Committee by Ceres show that you are "[Ceres's] lead on [its] oil and gas shareholder work,"<sup>1</sup> serving as Director of the Ceres Carbon Asset Risk Working Group,<sup>2</sup> a frequent participant of Climate Action 100+ Steering Committee meetings,<sup>3</sup> and the Ceres "Engagement Lead for designated Oil & Gas focus companies."<sup>4</sup> Accordingly, we request that you appear for a transcribed interview with the Committee.

Pursuant to the Rules of the House of Representatives, the Committee has jurisdiction to conduct oversight of matters concerning the "[p]rotection of trade and commerce against unlawful restraints and monopolies" to inform potential legislative reforms, such as whether

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<sup>1</sup> See Climate Action 100+, Steering Committee Agenda 30 (Feb. 20, 2020), CERES39292 at CERES39321.

<sup>2</sup> See Climate Action 100+, Steering Committee Agenda 29 (Sept. 11, 2018), CERES25027 at CERES25055.

<sup>3</sup> See Climate Action 100+, Steering Committee Agenda 1 (Apr. 11, 2019), CERES30849 at CERES30849; *see also* Climate Action 100+, Steering Committee Agenda 1 (Mar. 26, 2020), CERES1260 at CERES1260.

<sup>4</sup> See Climate Action 100+, *FY20 576 Climate Action 100+ Workplan 3* (July 24, 2019), CERES37533 at CERES37533.

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existing civil and criminal penalties and current antitrust law enforcement efforts are sufficient to deter anticompetitive collusion in the investment industry.<sup>5</sup>

To schedule your transcribed interview, please contact Committee staff at (202) 225-6906 as soon as possible but no later than 5:00 p.m. on July 26, 2024. If you are represented by counsel other than Mr. Matthew E. Miller, Esq., please immediately forward this letter to your representative who should respond to the Committee on your behalf. Thank you for your prompt attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,



Jim Jordan  
Chairman

cc: The Honorable Jerrold L. Nadler, Ranking Member

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<sup>5</sup> Rules of the House of Representatives R. X (2023).