January 17, 2018

The Honorable Paul D. Ryan Speaker U.S. House of Representatives H-232 The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi Democratic Leader U.S. House of Representatives H-204, The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kevin Brady Chairman House Committee on Ways and Means 1102 Longworth House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20515 The Honorable Mitch McConnell Majority Leader United States Senate S-230 The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Chuck Schumer Minority Leader United States Senate S-221 The Capitol Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Orrin Hatch Chairman Senate Committee on Finance 219 Dirksen Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Leader McConnell, Speaker Ryan, Leaders Schumer and Pelosi, and Chairman Hatch and Brady:

We the undersigned companies and organizations are writing to ask that you include a retroactive, multi-year extension of the biodiesel tax incentive in legislation anticipated as part of a comprehensive budget negotiation or continuing resolution, which may happen as soon as this week.

The signatories of this letter represent companies from all segments of the Biomass-based Diesel value chain including production, blending, distribution, marketing and consumption of biodiesel, renewable diesel and renewable aviation fuels. The biodiesel tax credit is an urgent policy matter for our companies. We share the view that extending the biodiesel tax incentive is consistent with sound tax, energy and economic policy. We support, S. 2256, the "Tax Extender Act of 2017" introduced by Senator Hatch and others in December, which includes Section 307, an "Extension of the Biodiesel and Renewable Diesel Incentives." Section 307 would continue a seamless, multi-year extension of this worthwhile tax incentive that will help create jobs, reduce fuels costs, diversify the nation's energy supply and bolster domestic energy production.

Thank you in advance for your consideration, and we look forward to working with you to achieve this worthwhile policy objective.

Sincerely,

AMERIgreen Energy American Trucking Association* Black Bear Biodiesel Broadway Flying J Cardinal Travel Center, LLC AltAir BIOX Blue Ridge Biofuels Cape Cod Biofuels Cargill

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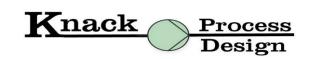






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