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The Honorable Peter Orszag
Director, Office of Management and Budget
725 17th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20503

Dear Mr. Orszag:

Enclosed is the Department of Defense (DoD) Plan of Action to Implement the Policies and Directives of *Executive Order 13175, Consultation and Coordination with Tribal Governments*. The Plan of Action is provided in response to the Presidential Memorandum of November 5, 2009. The DoD Plan of Action recaps the significant steps the Department has taken to address the requirements of the Executive Order, and it outlines steps to increase the effectiveness of the Department's consultation with tribal nations on a government-to-government basis. DoD provided tribal officials and leaders opportunities to comment on the Department's Plan of Action.

I hereby designate Dorothy Robyn, Deputy Under Secretary of Defense for Installations and Environment, as the appropriate official to coordinate implementation of the DoD plan and preparation of required progress reports.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ashton B. Carter".

Ashton B. Carter

Enclosure:
As stated