United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

The President
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. President:

We strongly support your leadership in providing support for the Global War on Terror, hurricane relief efforts, and other emergency needs. However, we also agree with you that we have a responsibility to the American people to control spending.

Like you, we are seriously concerned with the overall funding level in the Senate-reported bill, and the numerous items that are unrelated to the Global War on Terror or emergency hurricane relief needs. Should the final bill presented to you exceed the total amount you requested, forcing you to veto the bill, we will vote to sustain your veto.

Sincerely,

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John Warner
Jeff Sessions
John Cornyn
John McCain
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