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THE ADMINISTRATOR

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Chair, Science Advisory Board
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Dear Dr. Cullen:

As you know, the Science Advisory Board plays an important role in helping the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency fulfill its mission. I understand that at the May 2022 meeting the board discussed whether to review the adequacy of the scientific and technical basis of six planned EPA regulatory actions. I appreciate your interest in these matters and your desire to advise me in this regard.

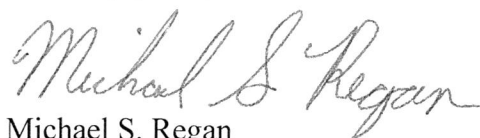
During the meeting the SAB found that two of the proposed actions warrant full SAB review. The SAB highlighted its interest in conducting a review of two proposed rules published by the EPA's Office of Air and Radiation: "Standards of Performance for New, Reconstructed, Modified Sources and Emissions Guidelines for Existing Sources: Oil and Natural Gas Sector Climate Review" and the "New Source Performance Standards for the Greenhouse Gas" proposed rules.

I appreciate the board's continued work in reviewing the EPA's scientific activities, and I look forward to receiving the SAB's final comments on your ongoing work reviewing these EPA proposed rules. I also look forward to working with you as we implement the new process for engaging with the SAB on regulatory matters.

I would be happy to direct any inquiries you may have about any of the regulatory matters in which you have expressed interest to staff in the Office of the Administrator and the Office of Air and Radiation, as appropriate.

I thank you for your service on the SAB and appreciate the board's work in support of the EPA's scientific activities.

Sincerely yours,


Michael S. Regan