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The Honorable Ken Calvert
Chairman
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment,
and Related Agencies
Committee on Appropriations
U.S. House of Representatives
2007 Rayburn House Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

This letter transmits the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Forest Service response to the requirements in appropriations language from fiscal years 2017, 2018, and 2019 in which the Forest Service is urged to reduce printing and reproduction costs. The enclosed report outlines steps being undertaken to achieve this goal, as well as providing a justification for costs and why they have not been reduced.

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If you have any questions, please have a member of your staff contact the Office of Congressional Relations at (202) 720-7095. A similar letter is being sent to Ranking Member Betty McCollum.

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Sonny Perdue
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The Honorable Tom Udall
Ranking Member
Subcommittee on Interior, Environment,
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Committee on Appropriations
United States Senate
125 Dirksen Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

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