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The Honorable JD Vance United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Vance:

This responds to your letter dated January 19, 2023, regarding security assistance the United States has provided to Ukraine since February 24, 2022. Thank you for the benefit of your views.

With bipartisan Congressional support, the United States has provided security, economic, and humanitarian assistance to Ukraine as it continues to fight to defend its sovereignty following Russia's brutal invasion. This support has been critical to Ukraine's success on the battlefield, as well as the ability of its people to endure under harsh conditions. As President Biden has made clear, the United States will not waver in our commitment to the Ukrainian people as they fight for their freedom and independence. This assistance has included mechanisms for accountability and transparency to ensure appropriated funds are being used as intended.

As for your request for additional information from the Administration, we agree that transparency and accountability are paramount to ensuring American taxpayers can be confident in their assistance in helping the Ukrainians fight for their country against Russia's aggression. OMB is responsible for apportionment actions, and all of OMB's apportionment data related to Ukraine is available on a public website, available at https://apportionment-public.max.gov/. We are also providing a table that details supplemental funding provided in support of Ukraine in addition to current obligation levels, which OMB shared with Congress on August 10, 2023, when OMB transmitted the most recent supplemental request to support Ukraine. That table is included as an attachment to this letter. The Department of Defense previously misvalued some of the items provided to Ukraine using Presidential Drawdown Authority and has since corrected the valuations. Finally, OMB has confirmed with the relevant Committees that, upon request, they will share the Section 1202 report referenced in your letter, as well as the Section 2607 and Section 506 reports, which detail the proposed uses of supplemental funds appropriated for the Department of State and the U.S. Agency for International Development, respectively.

I look forward to working with you to support the people of Ukraine as they stand resolute in the face of Russia's brutal and unprovoked war.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Office of Legislative Affairs at OMBLegislativeAffairs@omb.eop.gov.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

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