

March 17, 2011

The Honorable Henry A. Waxman
Ranking Member
Committee on Energy and Commerce
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Ranking Member Waxman:

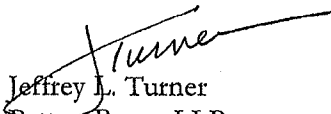
As counsel for Halliburton Company and Jesse Gagliano, respectively, we write to request that you make public the text of the transcribed interview of Mr. Gagliano conducted principally by your staff on June 11, 2010, as part of the Committee's investigation of the Deepwater Horizon incident.

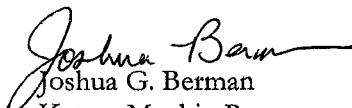
As your staff has been advised, portions of the interview have been quoted in a report issued on February 17, 2011, by the Chief Counsel of the National Commission on the BP Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill and Offshore Drilling, and other portions of the interview have been summarized by the Chief Counsel in his report. Now that portions of the document have been made public, we believe it to be in the public interest for the entire document to be made available to the public.

We would appreciate your making the document public as soon as practicable.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely yours,


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cc: The Honorable Fred Upton
Chairman, Committee on Energy and Commerce