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May 10, 2007

The Honorable Edward G. Rendell  
Governor of Pennsylvania  
225 Main Capitol Building  
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: Renewable energy strategy

Dear Governor Rendell:

The Green Building Association of Central Pennsylvania is pleased to endorse your vision of energy independence for the citizens of the Commonwealth.

You have placed your strategy on a firm foundation: helping the energy consumer to reduce energy use. The mission of our association is completely aligned with this element of your vision for energy independence. Each element of your proposed program – smart metering, financial incentives for on-site renewable power units, and requirements that electric power generators and distributors concentrate on demand reduction before adding generation capacity – will help us to advance green building practices in all sectors of the Pennsylvania economy.

We look forward to doing our part to achieve your goal of energy independence for Pennsylvania.

Sincerely,



David L. Sheridan, P.E.  
Executive Director



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