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To whom it may concern,

As a supporter of New York Energy Star Products Program I am writing this letter regarding the SBC 3 funds and how they have not yet been awarded to NYSERDA. I feel the NYSERDA should be awarded the SBC 3 and it should extend after June 30,2006 for five to seven years to ensure program stability. Why not continue to support and encourage a program that supports businesses and eventually the well being of the environment?

**Separating** funds between Residential and Energy Affordability Program and the Research and Development of NYSERDA should be a consideration. This should also allow significant funds designated to REAP so they can continue **their** programs like the Energy Star Products Program and other New York energy smart programs.

Finally, why not create an SBC charge for natural gas users in New York State to increase **NYSERDA's** funding for the New York energy smart programs.

As a business owner I have utilized the NYSERDA funds to supplement my advertising budget. This advertising is useful in educating the public regarding Energy Star products, their efficiency and the savings passed on to the consumer. Without these funds this advertising would not be made possible.

Sincerely,