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To all concerned the following paragraphs and letters will be covering the key benefits to my rate payers/customers, work force, environment and economy.

Now that my company has merged with a national billion dollar company, NYSERDA has truly created the first fully comprehensive Home Performance contractor, saving huge amounts of electric, gas and heating oil. Together with our partners and the rate payers we plan to cover every inch of New York State to help this incredible nationally recognized program finish its goal of truly transforming the marketplace.

As for my employees they have a secure job with a national company in a cutting edge industry with an opportunity to advance. We plan on running our national call center in Buffalo, New York in conjunction with complete home assessment and installation training center. I do not have the words to tell you what a joy it is to give my employees full benefits and create so many jobs in this new venture. Thanks from all the families affected by this great program.

ENVIRONMENTAL, NATIONAL & ECONOMIC BENEFITS:

- We anticipate substantial fuel reductions in homes after marketplace really catches on.
- Reduced greenhouse gases such as carbon fuel emissions.
- Dollar saving helping depressed the economy.
- Mitigating health and safety issues in the home.
- Job creation with good benefits.
- This program truly helps low income families with achieving affordable housing.
- Due to huge amount of 'off the book workers' in the market place, we remodelers believe this type of program will transform the market. Helping more people get good jobs 'on the books', and making the remodeling industry more legitimate.
- Need I mention 9/11 and the national security issues. This national leading energy efficiency program is mapping the way for the whole country to address energy interdependencies.

I would like to thank everybody that has helped this truly successful program achieve such huge national impact. I hope that together there is a joint effort to keep this ball rolling for all. Attached are just some of the letters from our thrilled rate payers/customers. Feel free to contact me for any question at 716-553-8718.

Sincerely,

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