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Please let me know if you have an issue with this letter. I need to know by COB today.

Thank you,

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Cc: Chip Kline; Natalie Joubert  
Subject: ACTION NEEDED: OCSGC Final DRAFT letter to President

Dear OCSGC Representatives:

On behalf of Garrett Graves and Chip Kline from Gov Jindal's office, we are sending for your PROMPT approval the final draft letter from the OCSGC to President Obama. All the edits we discussed last week in Washington have been incorporated, and Louisiana has reviewed and approved.

During our meeting last week, the direction was to work to get this letter out next week (prior to the Gulf Coast Energy Summit on March 12<sup>th</sup>). In order for us to meet that goal, we respectfully request a VERY FAST turn-around and approval from each of the states. Chip Kline is ready to receive any e-signatures from each of the Governors offices.

Sorry for the urgent request on a Friday morning. If we can have approval and e-signatures by COB on Monday, March 5<sup>th</sup>, we can transmit this letter in time to meet the discussed deadline.

Additionally, the group requested an OpEd that aligns with this letter. We are finalizing a draft for review and approval, and should have that to everyone later today or tomorrow. My notes indicated that the OpEd would be submitted from the OCSGC Chair, Governor Jindal. Please let us know if you wish for your Governor to sign on to the OpEd as well. Our hope is to have final approval of the OpEd by next Tuesday, March 6<sup>th</sup>, and seek placement prior to the Gulf Coast Energy Summit.

If anyone has any questions, or need additional information/clarification, please do not hesitate to contact me immediately. Thanks again.

Regards,  
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