



Department of Energy

Washington, DC 20585

Mr. Jim Koronkiewicz
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BPM, Inc.
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Dear Mr. Koronkiewicz,

I am writing to commend you on BPM, Inc.'s energy efficiency accomplishments. As a partner in the U.S. Department of Energy's *Save Energy Now* LEADER initiative, BPM, Inc. has joined with 107 other industrial firms to voluntarily commit to a 25 percent reduction in energy intensity over 10 years. BPM, Inc.'s most recent annual report showed a 17.1 percent reduction in energy intensity in 2010, placing your company well on its way to meeting the pledge target. We specifically acknowledge Mr. Steve Peterich, BPM, Inc.'s Plant Engineer, who has worked closely with us on this public/private partnership initiative.

DOE is now evolving our industrial and manufacturing partnerships to align them with the Better Buildings Challenge, a multi-sector energy efficiency leadership initiative announced by President Obama in February of 2011. We're thrilled to be a part of this larger undertaking critical to America's future and pleased to rename the *Save Energy Now* LEADER initiative the "Better Buildings, Better Plants" program to reflect DOE's emphasis on advancing and coordinating energy efficiency strategies across multiple fronts. Key program elements will remain unchanged, including the 10-year, 25 percent energy intensity improvement target.

BPM, Inc.'s commitment to energy efficiency is helping the United States achieve important economic, environmental, and energy security goals. We look forward to continuing our partnership.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "L. Christodoulou".

Dr. Leo Christodoulou
Program Manager
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Cc: Steve Peterich
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