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Utility Supplier,

I am writing today on behalf of the Electric Utility Industry Sustainable Supply Chain Alliance (EUISSCA) – a coalition of 27 leading electric utility procurement departments – to convey the desire of the EUISSCA for suppliers to take action to reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. In particular, the EUISSCA is hoping to see an increase in the transparency of GHG data, the setting of Supplier GHG emissions targets, and reductions in GHGs across the supply chain.

As outlined in the latest [Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change Report](#), there is a very narrow window of time to take ambitious and concerted action to limit the most severe threats of climate change. Given emerging regulations on climate-related disclosures such as the [SEC proposed GHG Disclosure rule](#), and increasing investor expectations like those outlined in the [BlackRock Annual Letter to CEOs](#), the value of and interest in GHG data and reductions are clear. Across industries, including the utility sector, we are watching procurement practices evolve to require target setting and disclosure.

As an association that aspires to identify ways for the electric utility industry to operate sustainably while addressing safety, cost, reliability, and functionality, we ask suppliers to increase climate disclosures and accelerate the development and adoption of GHG reduction efforts. Through disclosure and supplier collaboration with us and our members on this critical issue, we can achieve meaningful emissions reductions across our supply chain.

To support your efforts in this area we encourage you to:

- Review the EUISSCA Supplier GHG Training available for free [here](#)
- Access the free GHG calculator tool by registering on the EUISSCA assessment platform [here](#)
- Calculate your GHG inventory (Scope 1 and 2, optional Scope 3), consider setting a public GHG reduction goal, and identify potential GHG reduction opportunities
- Provide your organization's GHG data annually through the EUISSCA assessment platform [here](#) or as discussed with your customer
- Share your successes and challenges with the EUISSCA so we can promote successful practices and address hurdles together

The EUISSCA is interested in working with you on this critical area and acknowledge our role in helping to accelerate this process, while balancing compliance, functionality, environmental impacts and maintaining affordable rates for customers. The EUISSCA aims to partner with suppliers to be part of the solution.

To discuss this position further or to connect on opportunities to accelerate the development and adoption of GHG emissions reductions plans, please contact the EUISSCA directly via Alliance@EUISSCA.org. Thank you for your continued work towards a low carbon future.

Sincerely,

Sent on behalf of the Electric Utility Industry Sustainable Supply Chain Alliance