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Dear Secretary Clinton:

I am writing regarding the Keystone XL Pipeline. As you know, on April 16, 2010, the U.S. Department of State (DOS) released the Keystone Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS). As the lead agency for the Keystone DEIS, please provide answers to the following questions:

- 1.) During the DEIS process, did the DOS receive input from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) as a cooperating agency?
- 2.) If so, what input did the EPA provide?
- 3.) What portions, if any, of the EPA July 16 letter from Carolyn Giles, EPA Assistant Administrator for Enforcement and Compliance Assurance, to the Department of State regarding the DEIS, were included as input?
- 4.) How was the DEIS responsive to EPA's input?
- 5.) Which agencies contributed to the development of the DEIS?
- 6.) How does the DOS define "cooperating agency?"

I appreciate your assistance in helping me better understand the extent of EPA participation in this matter as well as that of other "cooperating agencies" and thereby the extent of Federal coordination throughout this process.

Sincerely,



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