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President Donald J. Trump
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. President:

Doctors for Disaster Preparedness has selected you to receive our highest honor, the Edward Teller Award for the Defense of Freedom, "in recognition of your extensive, selfless, and effective work in defense of our nation."

Dr. Teller selected the recipients of this award. Since his death, our leadership has made the selection.

Among your many accomplishments for our nation, your work in opposing the failed hypothesis of human-caused climate change, including your withdrawal from the Paris "accord," and your accomplishments and proposals regarding hydrocarbon and nuclear energy are especially valued by DDP.

When founded 37 years ago, our primary mission was the planning of medical response in case of nuclear war and promotion of both nuclear civil defense and strategic defense. We still carry on this work.

We now also work vigorously, entirely upon sound scientific grounds, to make sure our nation has abundant hydrocarbon energy in the present and abundant nuclear energy in the nuclear era that will soon come.

Your election has already proved to be the greatest political gift to our nation in more than a century. We are certain Edward Teller would enthusiastically agree to this award.

Your Edward Teller award will be presented at our 37th annual meeting in Tucson, Arizona, on this coming July 20. We realize it is unlikely that you personally will attend. Should you decide to send a representative to receive the award, we will be delighted.

Most respectfully,

Jane M. Orient, M.D.

President, Doctors for Disaster Preparedness