



THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR
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The Honorable Nancy Sutley
Chair, Council on Environmental Quality
730 Jackson Place, NW
Washington, D.C. 20503

Dear Ms. Sutley:

In accordance with Section 7 (b) of Executive Order 13514, *Federal Leadership in Environmental, Energy, and Economic Performance*, the Department of the Interior is designating Ms. Rhea Suh as the Agency Senior Sustainability Officer. In this capacity, she will be accountable for conformance with the requirements of EO 13514 including: preparing the targets for the Agency-wide reductions and the inventory of green house gas emissions, timely preparation and implementation of the Department's Strategic Sustainability Performance Plan, monitoring the Agency's performance and progress in implementing the Plan, and reporting to me annually on the adequacy and effectiveness of the Agency's Plan in implementing EO 13514.

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We look forward to working with you on implementing the new Executive Order.

Sincerely,

Ken Salazar