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GOVERNOR

March 23, 2009

Jeremy Susac, Director
Governor's Energy Office
251A Holland Bldg.
Tallahassee, Florida 32399

Dear Director Susac:

As you know, the U.S. Department of Energy has established a March 23, 2009 deadline for submission of an overview of proposed activities and the Application for Federal Assistance (SEP424) for the State Energy Program. Submission of the initial application could result in \$126 million available to Florida from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. These funds could be used for renewable energy deployment incentives; energy efficiency deployment incentives; green-collar economic development initiatives and program administration, marketing and analysis functions.

Please ensure that appropriate action is taken to ensure these critically needed funds will be available as soon as the Legislature provides the appropriate authorization.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Charlie Crist".

Charlie Crist