## April 19, 2019

Scott Gast Designated Agency Ethics Official National Security Counsel & White House Office 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. Gast:

The U.S. Office of Government Ethics (OGE) is providing the head of each executive branch agency with a year-end status report regarding annual financial disclosure reports subject to OGE's certification. *See* OGE PA-18-01 (2018). Enclosed is a copy of the status report letter that the Director sent to the head of your agency.

Thank you for your diligent work in completing the 2018 filing cycle for annual financial disclosure reports subject to OGE's certification. Due to your efforts, OGE is happy to be able to report that your agency successfully completed the 2018 filing cycle.

If you have any questions, please contact Megan V. Granahan (202.482.9204, <a href="mvgranah@oge.gov">mvgranah@oge.gov</a>) or me (202.482.9205, <a href="mvgranah@oge.gov">djapol@oge.gov</a>). Thank you again for your attention to the financial disclosure program.

Sincerely,

David J. Apol General Counsel

Enclosure

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Assistant to the President and Chief of Staff The White House Office 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20500

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Financial disclosure is the executive branch's primary tool for identifying and resolving conflicts of interest on the part of executive branch officials. Through the financial disclosure process, OGE and executive branch agencies assure the President, the Congress, and the public that officials at the highest levels of government are free from conflicts of interest. OGE thanks you, your senior leaders, and your agency's ethics officials for fully supporting OGE's review process and for making annual financial disclosure a priority.

Sincerely,

Emory A. Rounds, III

Director, Office of Government Ethics

cc. Designated Agency Ethics Official for the White House Office

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General Paul M. Nakasone Director National Security Agency 9800 Savage Road Fort Meade, MD 20755

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