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The Honorable Michael R. Turner
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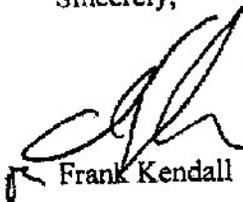
Dear Representative Turner,

Thank you for your April 27, 2012, letter to the Secretary of Defense regarding the Department of Defense's (DoD) implementation of the Fiscal Year 2012 National Defense Authorization Act (Public Law 112-81) provision that prohibits the naming of DoD real property after any individual who is a Member of Congress at the time of the naming. I am responding on behalf of the Secretary.

The Department has implemented the new policy and on June 17, 2012, formally directed DoD Components with authority over real property to incorporate the prohibition into all relevant policies under their control.

Your ongoing interest in the Department's real property infrastructure and support for military readiness is appreciated.

Sincerely,



Frank Kendall



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