## Congress of the United States Washington, DC 20515

May 10, 2024

The Honorable Tom Cole Chairman House Appropriations Committee H-307 The Capitol Washington, DC 20515 The Honorable Rosa DeLauro Ranking Member House Appropriations Committee 1036 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro,

I am requesting funding for the System Integration Laboratory in fiscal year 2025. The entity to receive funding for this project is the University of Dayton, located at 300 College Park Avenue, Dayton, Ohio, 45409.

The University of Dayton Research Institute, in partnership with Projects Unlimited, is establishing a System Integration Laboratory to promote US innovation in the pursuit of Open Architecture solutions for Sensor Open System Architecture, (SOSA). Using a Modular Open System Approach (MOSA) designed, developed, and tested to achieve cost-competitive and affordable acquisition and sustainment over the system life cycle.

The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by Section 272 of Title 15, United States Code.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,

Michael R. Turner (OH-10) Member of Congress

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