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U.S. Department of Labor
Top Hat Plan Exemption
Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration
Room N-5644
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
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Re: Argonne National Laboratory
Section 457(b) Deferred Compensation Plan
EIN: 68-0628477

Dear Sir or Madam:

This statement is to inform you that effective October 1, 2006 UChicago Argonne, LLC became operator of Argonne National Laboratory and sponsor of the Argonne National Laboratory 457(b) Executive Deferred Compensation Plan ("Plan") pursuant to a contract with the U.S. Department of Energy. The University of Chicago, the former plan sponsor and operator of Argonne National Laboratory, is the sole member of UChicago Argonne, LLC. At the present time there are two-hundred (200) employees who are eligible for participation in the Plan.

This statement is filed in accordance with the requirements set forth for the alternative method of compliance with the reporting and disclosure requirements of Part I of Title I of ERISA in Department of Labor Regulations Section 2520.104-23.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lynn L. Miller".

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