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Mr. John Devereux Joslin, Jr. President Advocates for the Oak Ridge Reservation 112 Newcrest Lane Oak Ridge, Tennessee 37830

Dear Mr. Joslin:

Thank you for contacting me to express your concerns about the proposed leasing of 450 acres on the Oak Ridge Reservation for industrial development.

On your behalf, I have asked officials with the Department of Energy to look into this situation and to respond to your specific concerns. I will get back in touch with you as soon as I receive their reply.

Meanwhile, do not hesitate to contact me if I may be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Fred Thompson

United States Senator

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