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Re: Application Letter for U.S. Transportation Energy & Technology Alliance (USTETA)

Dear Border Security Technology Consortium (BSTC),

USTETA supports industry within the Transportation, Energy and Technology sectors to:

- Increase U.S. Federal Research & Development funding for domestic companies, universities, research institutions and government laboratories
- Promoting a sensible regulatory environment that promotes domestic job creation and technology innovation
- Lowering the U.S.'s dependence on foreign energy sources
- Returning jobs to the U.S. and keeping US technology in the U.S.
- Stopping the "brain drain" by promoting science and engineering degrees for U.S. citizens
- Protecting the US export environment through legislation and regulations
- Protecting the US homeland and network infrastructure through defense technology prowess
- Promoting "privacy-by-design" and secure development lifecycles within industry

USTETA's Technology practice advocates for the development of continued innovation in the United States. In particular, USTETA aims to create jobs through the growth of innovative technologies within small and large businesses, research institutes, colleges and universities, and government laboratories. Further information can be found at www.USTETA.org.

Best regards,

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