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The Honorable James Woodruff  
Chair  
U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board  
Washington, DC

Dear Chairman Woodruff:

On behalf of the Senior Executives Association, please accept my congratulations on your confirmation as Chair of the U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board. Your role in protecting the merit system principles is an important one, and I am so grateful you have taken it on.

SEA represents career members of the Senior Executive Service and other senior leaders dedicated to an ethical, high-performing civil service. We would welcome the opportunity to meet with you to discuss practical ways SEA and the MSPB can collaborate on mutually beneficial initiatives and activities regarding the Senior Executive Service, and how SES and other leaders can best serve the American people faithfully and exceptionally.

I would be pleased to meet at your convenience, either at MSPB headquarters or virtually.

Thank you for your leadership at this important time for the merit system. I look forward to working together in support of an effective and trusted federal workforce.

Sincerely,

*Marcus L. Hill*

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President

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