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The Honorable John Boehner
Speaker
U.S. House of Representatives
H-232 Capitol
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The Honorable Nancy Pelosi
Democratic Leader
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H-204 Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Speaker Boehner and Leader Pelosi:

H.R. 2289, the Commodity End User Relief Act represents bi-partisan legislation that would reauthorize the Commodity Futures Trading Commission while also clarifying protections and regulatory applications for end-user customers. The CFTC's role in regulating our derivatives markets is vitally important and as such the agency should be properly authorized by Congress. The CFTC's statutory authorization expired in September 2013 and is long overdue for extension.

The Futures Industry Association encourages the passage of H.R. 2289. Thank you for your consideration of our views.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Walt L. Lukken".

Walt L. Lukken
President & Chief Executive Officer