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The Honorable Christopher A. Coons
U.S. Senate
218 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable John Cornyn
U.S. Senate
517 Hart Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510

Re: S. 3112, the Hydrogen for Industry Act of 2021

Dear Senator Coons and Senator Cornyn:

Thank you for your leadership on the introduction of this important bill. On behalf of the Industrial Energy Consumers of America (IECA), we support S. 3112, the Hydrogen for Industry Act of 2021. The bill requires the Department of Energy (DOE) to establish grant programs to support demonstration projects for the use of hydrogen in the manufacturing industry.

The Industrial Energy Consumers of America is a nonpartisan association of leading manufacturing companies with \$1.1 trillion in annual sales, over 12,000 facilities nationwide, and with more than 1.8 million employees worldwide. IECA membership represents a diverse set of industries including: chemicals, plastics, steel, iron ore, aluminum, paper, food processing, fertilizer, insulation, glass, industrial gases, pharmaceutical, building products, automotive, independent oil refining, and cement.

We look forward to working with you to get it enacted in 2023.

Sincerely,

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