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The Honorable Marsha Blackburn United States Senate 357 Dirksen Senate Office Building Washington, DC 20510

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Dear Senator Blackburn:

The Fleet Reserve Association (FRA) supports your bill (S.4429) that would direct the Secretary of Defense to conduct a study regarding toxic exposure by members of the Armed Forces deployed to Karshi Khanabad Air Base, Uzbekistan, to include such members in the open burn pit registry.

The Association appreciates your dedication to veteran's issues. The FRA point of contact is Noelle Huffer, Assistant Director of Veterans Programs, at NoelleH@fra.org.

Sincerely,

Christopher J. Slawinski National Executive Director

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