**Designation Form to be copied onto Tribal Letterhead**

Ms. Heather Dawn Thompson

1400 Independence Ave., SW Ste. 501-A

Washington, D.C., 20250

Dear Ms. Thompson:

Under Executive Order 13175, “Consultation and Coordination with Indian Tribal Governments,” the White House Council for Native American Affairs aims to respect Indian tribal self-government and sovereignty, honor tribal treaty and other rights, and meet the responsibilities that arise from the unique legal relationship between the Federal government and Tribal governments.

Because duly elected tribal leaders, or their designee, trigger the government-to-government relationship with the United States, formal administrative requirements under the Federal Advisory Committee Act do not apply.[[1]](#footnote-1)

I am unable to attend the consultations discussing *Inclusive Competition and Market Integrity Under the Packers and Stockyards Act* on Thursday, January 19, 2023. I hereby designate:

who holds the position of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ within

the Tribe to act as my proxy for this meeting.

Sincerely,

1. See the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA; 5 U.S.C. Appendix – Federal Advisory Committee Act; 86 Stat. 770, as amended.) [↑](#footnote-ref-1)