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Honorable Jeffery Zients  
Acting Director  
Office of Management and Budget  
Washington, D.C. 20503

Dear Mr. Zients:

In accordance with Executive Order 12322, I am submitting for your review a feasibility report that recommends authorization of a coastal storm damage reduction project for the San Clemente Shoreline, Orange County, California. The enclosed draft letters to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate express the views and recommendations of the Secretary of the Army.

The proposed project is described in the Report of the Chief of Engineers dated April 15, 2012. A copy of the report and other supporting data are enclosed. The report was prepared in partial response to Section 208 of the Flood Control Act of 1965 (Title II of P.L. 89-298).

Please advise this office whether the recommendation is consistent with Administration policy.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Jo-Ellen Darcy", is written over a printed name and title.

Jo-Ellen Darcy  
Assistant Secretary of the Army  
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14 Enclosures  
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#### 14 Enclosures

1. Proposed letter to Speaker, House of Representatives
2. Proposed letter to President, United States Senate
3. State of California letter to USACE, Oct 12, 2011
4. DOI letter to USACE, Oct 4, 2011
5. NOAA letter to USACE, Sep 30, 2011
6. EPA letter to USACE, Sep 27, 2011
7. HQUSACE response to DOI, Mar 21, 2012
8. HQUSACE response to NOAA, Mar 23, 2012
9. USACE response to EPA, Mar 14, 2012
10. HQUSACE Documentation of Review Findings, Mar 15, 2012
11. Report of the Chief of Engineers, Apr 15, 2012
12. OASA(CW) Project Data, May 24, 2012
13. HQUSACE Project Briefing Slides
14. San Clemente Shoreline, Orange County, California, Final Feasibility Report and Environmental Impact Statement, July 2011