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Dear Chairwoman Kaptur, Chairman Alexander, Ranking Member Simpson, and Ranking Member Feinstein:

The Energy Sciences Coalition (ESC) thanks you for your strong, bipartisan support of the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Science in the fiscal year (FY) 2021 Energy and Water Development appropriations bills. As you begin work on a final FY 2021 Energy and Water bill, the ESC urges you to include no less than the House funding level of \$7.05 billion for the DOE Office of Science. The DOE Office of Science is critically important in developing new energy technologies to achieve net zero goals, advancing Industries of the Future, and maintaining a highl

For these reasons, we urge you to provide no less than \$7.05 billion for the DOE Office of Science in FY 2021. The United States must maintain leadership in science, technology and innovation and the Office of Science plays a pivotal and leading role in addressing this country's energy, national security, and environmental challenges.

Sincerely,

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