



March 2, 2020

Dear Senator:

The purpose of this letter is to express the support of the National Electrical Manufacturers Association (NEMA) for rapid consideration and passage of the American Energy Innovation Act of 2020.

NEMA represents nearly 325 electrical equipment and medical imaging manufacturers that make safe, reliable, and efficient products and systems. The electroindustry accounts for 370,000 American jobs in more than 6,100 facilities covering every state. Our industry produces \$124 billion in shipments and \$42 billion in exports of electrical equipment and medical imaging technologies per year.

American homes, buildings, and industrial facilities are electrifying, and doing so efficiently. Using energy wisely allows our economy to produce more value at a lower cost with fewer emissions. In a future that is increasingly digital, connected, and electric, the provisions in this bill will promote important energy programs and activities to ensure that U.S. buildings and infrastructure possess the capabilities necessary in a 21st Century economy and society.

Congress has its best opportunity in more than a decade to enact significant energy legislation, and NEMA strongly urges you to support the American Energy Innovation Act of 2020.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kevin J. Cosgriff". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "K" and "C".

Kevin J. Cosgriff
President and CEO