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I don't have any edits to suggest.

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Hi Barry, Carlton, and Anne –

Attached for your review are roughly 2.5 paragraphs on waste from cryptocurrency that will feed into a larger Cryptocurrency and Climate Change 20 page report that the White House is leading. Jessica Young is representing ORCR on a group led by Grant Cope to work on this. As you might remember from Ruby and Anne, EPA, in discussions with the WH OSTP, pushed to include broader environmental impacts beyond just climate change. We were asked to put together very concise text on waste generation from energy production, a paragraph on e-waste from cryptocurrency mining operations, and then a recommendation on waste reduction and recycling.

We can't provide too much more text than what we have here, so please keep that in mind when reviewing. Also, much of the text is from our existing webpages as you'll see from the footnotes. WH OSTP said they will take the text we provide and work it into the larger report and develop the transitions. Then we will have multiple chances to review the broader report and make sure we're still comfortable with the text in the flow of the report.

After we get your feedback and incorporate it, Jessica Young will share our waste text with Grant Cope for review and transmittal to WH OSTP.

Would it be possible to get your review by June 17th?

Drop dead date to get EPA text to WH OSTP is July 1st, but they are pushing EPA to give them chunks sooner if possible and we had to hold them off already since they wanted the e-waste paragraph today.

Thanks so much!

- Carolyn

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"The more clearly we can focus our attention on the wonders and realities of the universe about us, the less taste we shall have for destruction." "Those who contemplate the beauty of the earth find reserves of strength that will endure as long as life lasts." - Rachel Carson