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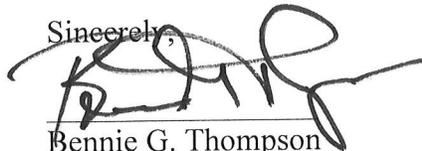
Cheryl L. Johnson  
Clerk of the U.S. House of Representatives  
H-154 The Capitol  
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Dear Ms. Johnson:

Pursuant to section 2(a)(1) of House Resolution 965, I write to notify you of the designation of a proxy to cast my vote.

I am unable to physically attend proceedings in the House Chamber due to the ongoing public health emergency, and I hereby grant the authority to cast my vote by proxy to the **Honorable Marcia Fudge (Ohio)**, who has agreed to serve as my proxy.

Sincerely,



Bennie G. Thompson  
Member of Congress