



United States Department of State

Washington, D.C. 20520

Dear Mr. Speaker:

Consistent with Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act and Title IX of Public Law 106-79, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles to India.

The President made a determination in a manner consistent with Title IX of the Department of Defense Appropriations Act, Fiscal Year 2000 (Public Law 106-79) to waive sanctions on India in connection with the Glenn Amendment and related provisions, as reported to you by separate letter. Under Title IX, the issuance of a license for the export of defense articles or defense services to India pursuant to the waiver authority of that Title is subject to the same requirements as are applicable to the export of items described in Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, and the Administration is treating authorization for the requested re-export consistent with these provisions.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the transfer to India of unclassified technical data related to the Atlas IIAS, Atlas III, and/or Atlas V space launch vehicles for marketing, proposal and contract negotiations.

The United States Government is prepared to authorize the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the

The Honorable

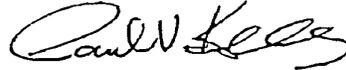
J. Dennis Hastert,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,



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