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The Honorable Mark E. Amodei  
Member, U.S. House of Representatives  
5310 Kietzke Lane , Suite 103  
Reno, Nevada 89511

Dear Representative Amodei:

Thank you for your letter in support of the U.S. Small Business Administrations' (SBA) State Trade and Export Promotion (STEP) Grant program.

On April 8, 2015, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) issued program announcement OIT-STEP-2015-01 regarding funding assistance under the STEP program. When we receive the applications, we will give each application full consideration in accordance with the evaluation criteria listed in the program announcement.

We appreciate your support of the SBA and the Nevada small business community. If you or your staff have any questions, please contact the SBA Office of Congressional Affairs at (202) 205-6700.

Sincerely,

Eileen Sanchez  
Associate Administrator