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Dear Mr. Workallnite:

The mission of the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Office of the Biomass Program (OBP) is to partner with industry to foster research and development on advanced technologies that will transform our abundant biomass resources into clean, affordable, and domestically-produced biofuels, biopower, and high-value bioproducts.

The results will improve economic development, expand energy supply, and increase energy security in the United States. To carry out its mission, the program funds research, development, and deployment projects and activities with industry, academia, DOE National Laboratories, and state and local partners.

Your firm has been commissioned to plan, design and construct a model for a biomass conversion plant. Below you will find the list of general requirements to complete this task:

- Design a biomass conversion plant that can be built in a local community.
- Create a written report to substantiate and organize all of your research, costs, design plans and references.
- Create a model of the biomass conversion plant you have designed.
- Create a presentation about your plant design and research to present to the DOE.

We at the DOE are very pleased to have your firm involved in our plans to make a stronger America. Energy efficiency and clean, renewable energy will mean a stronger economy, a cleaner environment, and greater energy independence for America. We look forward to meeting with you in the coming days to follow-up with your biomass conversion plant planning and design process. Thank you again for partnering with us in this exciting new endeavor.

Sincerely,

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DOE Lead Biofuel Administrator

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