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TO: Members of the Solar Coalition
Subject: Solar Energy Legislation Package

Over the past few weeks a group of House and Senate staff members have met to consider the introduction of a package of solar legislation during this session of Congress. The contemplated package would include some bills which have already been introduced and some new proposals as well.

The advantage of packaging these bills as one major initiative is both to present the Congressional response to the President's challenge for a 20 percent solar goal in the year 2000 and to facilitate broad sponsorship for the individual components of the package.

The initiatives suggested thus far are as follows:

- (A) Biomass RD&D - FITZIAN - Kinas
- (B) International Solar Energy RD&D - OTT + TSON
- (C) Global Solar Market Survey Jeffords -
- (D) DOE solar reorganization - two options
- (E) Solar Energy Youth Employment and Training
- (F) Wind Energy Supply Act
- (G) Federal power marketing and REA renewable energy requirements
- (H) Solar Access Review
- (I) Local Energy Management Act
- (J) Small Scale Energy Technology Programs Reorganization
- (K) Solar Tax Initiative
- (L) Federal Buildings
- (M) Solar Bank
- (N) Title X of S.1308

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