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Elizabeth M. Murphy  
Secretary  
U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission  
100 F St. NE  
Washington, DC 20549-1090

Re: Pay Ratio Disclosure, File No. S7-07-13

Dear Ms. Murphy,

I am an investor.

I strongly support regulations that would require publicly-traded companies to disclose CEO-to-median worker pay ratios. As income inequality reaches unprecedented heights, the public has the right to know which corporations are fueling the yawning gap between rich and poor.

Disclosure of CEO-to-worker pay ratios are also crucial for investors. This information is important for determining whether corporations are diverting resources to executives at the expense of long-term investments and workforce development. Additionally, investors need to be able to gauge whether executives' compensation is falling in line with their performance.

Twice so far this year, I have seen many people laid off at the company I work for, so a new executive can be hired at 3 times the salary of what the displaced people were making. My salary was cut in half and forget any pay increases. After taxes, insurance and house payments, trying to feed , cloth, fuel, etc.,7 people on 25K a year balance is past difficult. The rich get richer, the poor get way poorer. At my last job, 800 people were let go and 28 people got 100k increases and promotions over the 200k to 300k they were already making.

Sincerely,

Ed Breidenbach