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Chairman Ted Cruz
U.S. Senate Committee on Commerce,
Science, & Transportation
254 Russell Senate Building
Washington, DC 20510

Ranking Member Maria Cantwell
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Chairman Cruz and Ranking Member Cantwell:

The National Tank Truck Carriers (NTTC) strongly endorses Paul Roberti for the position of Administrator of the Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration (PHMSA). As the leading voice of the American tank truck industry, whose motor carriers safely deliver high quantities of hazardous materials tonnage daily, NTTC recognizes the critical importance of PHMSA's leadership in ensuring public safety and operational excellence for our nation's transportation sector.

Mr. Roberti's brings a wealth of leadership experience and a proven track record in promoting energy safety, regulatory integrity, and operational efficiency. His distinguished service as a Commissioner on the Rhode Island Public Utilities Commission and as Chief Counsel at the Federal Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration demonstrates his deep understanding of the complex regulatory landscape and the importance of stakeholder collaboration.

During his tenure in public service, Mr. Roberti has consistently demonstrated sound judgment, strategic foresight, common sense, and a commitment to evidence-based policy making. His leadership has reflected a balance of public safety priorities with the operational realities of regulated industries, making him uniquely qualified to guide PHMSA forward.

NTTC urges the Senate to prioritize this nomination and confirm Mr. Roberti as Administrator of PHMSA without delay. NTTC is ready to collaborate with Mr. Roberti and all Department of Transportation component agencies to advance policies that enhance safety, efficiency, and sustainability across all modes of transportation.

Regards,

Ryan Streblow
President & CEO

To champion safety and success in the tank truck community through advocacy and education.