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Dear Professor Jackson:

In reviewing the public comments to the California Air Resources Board regarding their diesel regulations, I note that you signed letters about the public health dangers of diesel pollution dated May 14, 2007 (http://www.arb.ca.gov/lists/ordiesl07/745-off-road_regulatory_comments.pdf) and December 4, 2008 (<http://www.arb.ca.gov/lists/truckbus08/426-public-health-letter--truck-and-bus-rule-dec-2008.pdf>). I have substantial evidence that contradicts several claims in these letters. Also, I have substantial evidence that two UCLA professors have engaged in unethical conduct in connection with their statements and actions regarding the public health dangers of diesel pollution in California.

I sent a detailed April 13, 2009 letter with ten attachments (39 total pages) to UCLA Chancellor Gene Block regarding "Alleged Unethical Conduct by UCLA Professors Mary D. Nichols and John R. Froines." I received a May 27, 2009 "PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL" response from William H. Cormier of UCLA that did not satisfactorily address my allegations. Then, I sent a more detailed June 30, 2009 letter with eight attachments (54 total pages) to Mr. Cormier regarding Professor Froines. As of today, I have received no response to my June 30, 2009 letter. I have attached PDF copies of my letters to my email message and have mailed printed copies of my letters to the above address for you to read. You can request the May 27, 2009 UCLA response from Mr. Cormier, if you wish.

My letters make serious, well documented allegations of unethical conduct by Professors Nichols and Froines. As I explain in great detail in my letters, these allegations have a direct bearing on the California economy and on the ability of thousands of California businessmen like me to survive. Since I have not yet received a satisfactory response from UCLA, I request that you assess my allegations and then inform Chancellor Block, Professor Nichols, Professor Froines, and me of your assessment. Your response will indicate to me your interpretation of the UC Standards of Ethical Conduct and your concern for all California businesses that are adversely impacted by scientifically unjustified draconian regulations promulgated by Professors Nichols and Froines.

Thank you very much for your consideration regarding this important matter.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Norman R. Brown". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Norman R. Brown, President