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Dear Olympia,

I read the N.Y. Times article this morning with great interest (and a big smile). I was particularly pleased by your statement that New England Republicans have a heritage of fiscal responsibility and accountability. When I sent you my book "Unaccountable Congress: It Doesn't Add Up" in 1992, you responded with a very thoughtful note.

Now, some ten years later, Alan Greenspan is publicly supporting the accounting reform needed to "more clearly lay out the true costs and benefits of changes to various taxes and outlay programs..." (see A.P. article on this attached.) Also attached is an OPEO piece I wrote to draw public attention to the connection of the Enron debacle and government accounting. Please feel free to use them in defending your position and making your case.

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With Warm Regards,
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