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RE: Purcell Pavilion LED Lighting Installation

To Whom It May Concern,

This letter serves to affirm that the installation state-of-the-art LED lighting in the Purcell Pavilion arena at the Joyce Center as an innovation credit for the University of Notre Dame 2014 STARS submission. Not only was this installation one of the first for indoor arenas on college campuses, it has reduced energy consumption by 73% while improving light levels and controllability.

The installation of 11,552 LEDs will save the University of Notre Dame approximately 469,000 kilowatt hours annually adding up to \$350,000 in energy and maintenance costs over the next decade.

The University of Notre Dame's Purcell Pavilion LED Lighting Installation, in my opinion, meets the criteria expected for innovation credit.

Sincerely,  
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