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To whom it may concern:

Re: STARS Submission

The University of Massachusetts Medical School is proud to verify the information in the Sustainability Tracking Assessment and Rating System (STARS) report is accurate and a summary of our sustainability efforts to date.

The University of Massachusetts Medical School (UMMS) is a strong supporter efficiency and sustainability in its mission to advance the health and well-being of the people of the Commonwealth and the world through pioneering education, research and health care delivery with its clinical partner UMass Memorial Healthcare (UMMHC). The UMMS commitment to energy efficiency and sustainability is evident from the accomplishments within the STARS report. This effort is broad-based, with participation from multiple departments and campus groups, including students, faculty and staff. In addition, the Medical School continues to partner with UMMHC on campus, sharing its committees, coordinating events and education of its staff to improve sustainability across their healthcare system.

The official letter from Chancellor Michael Collins, MD supporting the information in the UMMS STARS report is currently drafted and was not ready for submission today. UMMS will submit the letter from Chancellor Collins shortly.

Thank you for the opportunity,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Melissa L. Lucas'.

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