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The Dow Chemical Company Andrew N. Liveris Chairman and Chief Executive Officer

CED is proud to recognize Andrew N. Liveris and The Dow Chemical Company for their strong commitment to innovation, sustainability, and service to others.

We are particularly pleased to highlight Andrew's far-reaching efforts to drive economic growth. An advocate for the criticality of manufacturing to the nation's long-term economic health, Andrew was most recently appointed Co-Chair of the President's Advanced Manufacturing Partnership. He is also the author of *Make it in America*, released in January 2011, which presents a comprehensive set of practical policy solutions and business strategies for an "Advanced Manufacturing" economy.

Andrew has served Dow for more than three decades and became CEO in 2004. Through his leadership, Dow established *Breakthroughs to World Challenges* focused on improving the world's ability to solve problems in the areas of food supply, housing, energy and climate change, sustainable water supplies, and personal health.

Andrew's expertise is broadly represented across business, government, academic and non-profit sectors. He serves on the Board of Directors of IBM, and is President of the International Council of Chemical Associations, Vice Chairman of the Business Council, and a Vice Chair of the Business Roundtable. He is a member of the President's Export Council, the US-India CEO Forum, the Peterson Institute for International Economics, and the American Australian Association. He serves on the board of trustees for The Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation, United States Council for International Business, and Tufts University.

It is CED's honor to present Andrew Liveris and Dow with our Excellence in Public Policy Award.

