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On Federal Tax Reform
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Dear Panel Member:

A national sales tax would save the government millions of dollars just on printing cost alone. However my concern with a national sales tax is that it might put a burden on people that are on a fixed income or those that work for minimum wage.

I do feel that under a flat tax rate the only deduction should be whatever the poverty level is. That would help ease the burden on those people who are on a fixed income and those working for minimum wage.

I do hope that the advisory panel will come up with several plans which I hope will be simple. I would hope that congress would keep it simple if that were possible.

I thank you for your time and any consideration you may give my suggestions.

Sincerely


Ronald G. Lucas