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**Sent:** Thursday, May 12, 2011 10:38 AM  
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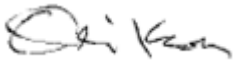
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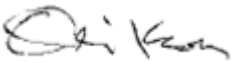
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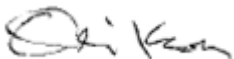
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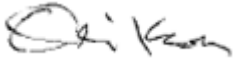
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- Reviewers' Bios

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