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Dear Chairman Cole and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for Vimenti Next Generation STEM Learning Lab Accelerator in Fiscal Year 2026. The entity to receive funding for this project is Vimenti, located at Residencial Ernesto Ramos Antonini, Calle Ana Otero, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 00924. The funding would be used for a Learning Lab to expand access to high-quality, hands-on STEM education to serve predominantly low-income communities.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it will expand students' access to learning opportunities in STEM subjects like Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math. The project has a federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by section 272 of title 15, United States Code.

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely.

Pablo José Hernández Member of Congress