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Exhibit 2

CALCULATION OF PERCENT CHANGE IN GDPPI

| Line # | Description | Source | Amount |
|---------------|---|-----------------------------|---------------|
| 1. | 2005 4th Quarter GDP Chain-Weighted Price Index | U.S. Department of Commerce | 117.50 |
| 2. | 2006 4th Quarter GDP Chain-Weighted Price Index | U.S. Department of Commerce | 120.60 |
| 3. | Percent Change | (Line 2 -Line 1) / Line 1 | 2.6383% |