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Representative Sharpe: In efforts to better evaluate the proposed disregarded earnings legislation (H. 711, §1338a), I am in need of clarification on the intended calculation associated with the excess and .60cent slope. I am hopeful that you might have a moment to review the attached document and advise on your intentions for the calculation of the proposed disregarded earnings. Specifically is it the intention to include both the 20% excess and the .60cent excess as part of the cumulative disregard or is it the intent to only use the .60cent for each dollar above the excess toward the disregard? I have attached a table that outlines each method of calculation to assist with this discussion. Thank you in advance for your consideration of this matter.

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