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Dear Mr. Kreissman:

As per our telephone conversation, I am currently conducting an investigation of LDK Solar Co., Ltd. (NYSE: LDK) in connection with a short-selling advocacy project. My deep concern over LDK's irregular accounting practices and the integrity of the independent audit committee announced on October 30 led me to contact you by telephone this afternoon.

Recent comments made by LDK CFO Jack Lai compel me to conclude that the company is exerting inappropriate influence over the independent audit committee and has received inappropriate information from the committee or its advisors. Someone at Simpson Thatcher or Deloitte Touche (the Big Four audit company retained by Simpson Thatcher to investigate LDK) is providing information to LDK before the investigation's conclusion. On December 4, Mr. Lai remarked in *Dow Jones Newsletters*: "They've done the field research and almost all the interviews. They have only one or two people left to talk to, including myself." Mr. Lai then said that he did not have details on the auditors' work because it is independent.

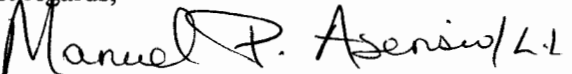
Yet Mr. Lai does have details; he provided them in his comments to *Dow Jones*. Any investor reading these remarks must assume that Mr. Lai received this information from the committee itself or its advisors. How else could he know so much about the investigation's schedule or the status of the committee's field research and interviews?

Mr. Lai's comments are a deliberate attempt to dismiss investors' concern about the committee's findings and raise the price of LDK's stock. The day before Mr. Lai's disclosure, LDK's stock closed at \$32.30. Yesterday, LDK's stock traded as high as \$63.70, a 97% increase in only 6 trading days.

Nothing has occurred to explain the market activity in LDK's stock other than Mr. Lai's public disclosure of details from the independent committee's investigation.

Please provide me with the contact information of the appropriate individual within Simpson Thatcher to discuss the details of my investigation. Thank you.

Best regards,


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