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Mr. Max Ghenis
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Dear Max:

The National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER) enthusiastically supports the proposal that PolicyEngine is developing for the Public Benefit Innovation Fund to request support for a Policy Library. I understand that this library will serve as a permanent archive of benefit policy and tax documents. This is a terrific plan – the Library will contribute great value to the research and practitioner communities.

If PolicyEngine proceeds with this initiative, the NBER will contribute the historical tax form archive that Dan Feenberg has created in connection with TAXSIM modelling work. The NBER would not require any monetary compensation for providing this archive to PolicyEngine, but we would like the source of this tax form archive to be acknowledged as the NBER with particular credit to Dan.

Please let me know if I can provide you with any further information or details. Good luck with your grant proposal.

Sincerely,



Cc: D. Feenberg