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February 1, 2018

The Honorable Jeff Sessions  
Attorney General  
U.S. Department of Justice

The Honorable Christopher Wray  
Director  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

Dear Attorney General Sessions and Director Wray:

As you know, there has been significant public discussion about potential abuses of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act (FISA). As Chairman of the Committee with primary Congressional oversight of FISA and its implementation, I write to request responsive documents that may shed light on whether these critical authorities have been abused.

On the heels of the news of the departure of FBI Deputy Director Andrew McCabe, some of this information may pertain to communications made by Mr. McCabe or on his behalf. Others may pertain to decisions made by or on behalf of other FBI leadership, so it is necessary that FBI leadership's communications are reviewed in complying with this request.

On January 16, 2017, I wrote to Chief Judge Rosemary Collyer of the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court (FISC) to request documents related to any alleged surveillance against those in the Trump Administration, or those previously associated with the Trump Administration. I have enclosed that letter for your reference.

The Department of Justice (DOJ) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) may also possess many of the documents I requested from the FISC. Accordingly, I am including below a request that DOJ and the FBI produce these documents as well.

Please provide by February 16<sup>th</sup> the following:

- 1) Any and all FBI or DOJ correspondence and communications with the FISC related to any FISA applications associated with individuals on the 2016 Trump Presidential campaign or part of the Trump Administration;
- 2) Any and all documentation of FISC hearings and deliberations, including court transcripts, related to any FISA applications associated with the Trump campaign or Trump Administration;
- 3) Any and all documents and communications, including emails and texts, relating to internal DOJ or FBI management requests to review, scrub, report on, or analyze any reporting of FISA collection against, or coverage mentioning, the Trump campaign or Trump Administration;
- 4) Any and all documents and communications, including emails and texts, concerning defensive briefings provided by DOJ or FBI to the 2016 Presidential campaigns of former Secretary Clinton or President Trump; and,
- 5) Any and all documents and communications concerning proposed, recommended, or actual FISA coverage on former Secretary Clinton, her associates, or associated organizations.

Thank you for your cooperation on this document production. Of course, if any material is classified, you may produce responsive documents to House Committee on the Judiciary for secure handling. As Chairman of the Committee, sworn to uphold the Constitution and our nation's laws, I must ensure that the oversight function of the Committee remains robust and fully informed.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Sincerely,



Bob Goodlatte  
Chairman

Enclosure

cc: The Honorable Jerrold Nadler  
The Honorable Rosemary Collyer