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The Honorable Richard Blumenthal  
Ranking Member  
Senate Permanent Subcommittee on  
Investigations  
199 Russell Senate Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Jamie Raskin  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on the Judiciary  
2142 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Adam B. Schiff  
112 Hart Senate Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Blumenthal, Representative Raskin, and Senator Schiff:

Thank you for your letter dated September 24, 2025 to Kirkland & Ellis LLP.

As your letter notes, the Firm entered into an Agreement with the Administration to provide pro bono and other free legal services. We remain comfortable with the Agreement and would not have entered into it if we thought it was problematic. We retain the ability to accept or turn down matters as we desire, and the Agreement has not changed the nature of the matters that we would or would not accept.

Your letter raises a number of legal issues in connection with legal work the firm performs without pay for government agencies pursuant to the Agreement. We are comfortable that the agreement does not run afoul of the issues that you raise in your letter. As a law firm, we are very attuned to the potential for conflicts. We are familiar with the rules that govern conflicts among clients; we analyze those issues carefully in accordance with the rules of professional responsibility; and we are satisfied that we have addressed any issues appropriately.

Sincerely,



W. Neil Eggleston