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Dear Mr. Stern:

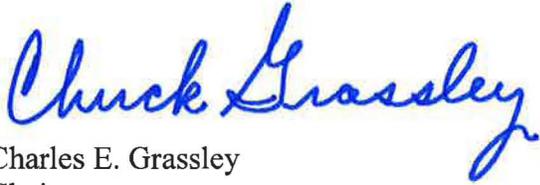
I write with regard to this Committee's request pursuant to 44 U.S.C. § 2205(2)(C) for special access to certain Presidential records from Judge Brett M. Kavanaugh's service in the White House from 2001 to 2003. I submitted that request to NARA on July 27, 2018, and you initially responded to that request on August 2, 2018. And on August 16, I asked you to prioritize NARA's review of the records I requested on July 27 by first reviewing the documents identified on a manifest which I enclosed with my letter.

Enclosed with this letter is a second manifest of document control numbers. It is the Committee's understanding that these control numbers correspond to certain documents housed within NARA's archives. The Committee requests that you prioritize your review of the documents identified on the enclosed manifest in the same way you are prioritizing your review of documents identified on the August 16 manifest. I ask that you produce to the Committee any responsive documents identified on either manifest on a rolling basis as soon as possible, consistent with the production procedures set forth in the Committee's July 27 section 2205 request. In your production transmittal letter, I ask that you identify specifically any document from either manifest that is responsive to the Committee's section 2205 request. If none of the documents identified on either manifest is responsive, please inform the Committee of that fact as soon as your review of those documents is complete. Finally, I ask that you complete the rolling production of responsive documents identified on manifests to the Committee no later than August 31, 2018.

I recognize that reviewing the documents identified on the manifests and producing any responsive records will be a significant task. I also recognize that completing the rest of your response to the Committee's section 2205 request will also be a tremendous undertaking. I thank you in advance for your cooperation and efforts, and in particular for your willingness to prioritize your response

to the Committee's section 2205 request in the manner that best facilitates the Committee's review of Judge Kavanaugh's record.

Sincerely,



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