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Federal Bureau of Investigation

Washington, D.C. 20535-0001

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Honorable Patrick J. Leahy United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

Honorable Al Franken United States Senate Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senators Leahy and Franken:

This responds to your letters to Director Comey dated March 20, 2017 and April 28, 2017 describing concerns with representations provided to the Senate Judiciary Committee by Attorney General Sessions. You reiterated your concerns in a letter to Acting Director McCabe in a letter dated May 12, 2017.

Consistent with longstanding policy, we cannot confirm or deny the existence of an investigation. This also precludes us from providing a briefing in response to your inquiries.

We appreciate your continued support for the FBI and its mission.

Sincerely,

Gregory A. Brower

Assistant Director

Office of Congressional Affairs