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Ms. Harriet E. Miers
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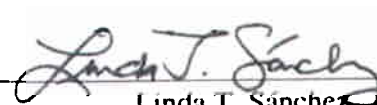
Dear Ms. Miers:

We write to follow up on the hearings held in the House and Senate Judiciary Committees this week concerning the forced resignations of six U.S. Attorneys. At these hearings, a number of important disclosures were made, several of which raise very troubling legal questions about the conduct of officials at the Justice Department. Questions have also been raised concerning the involvement of the White House, which of course made the final decision to discharge these U.S. Attorneys. Enclosed is a copy of a letter we have sent to the current White House counsel, Fred Fielding, on these matters.

In order to further our investigation, we would appreciate the opportunity to interview you, hopefully on a voluntary basis, about your knowledge and activities concerning the termination of these U.S. Attorneys. Please contact Elliot Minberg or Lillian German in the Judiciary Committee office, 2138 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515 (tel: 202-225-3951; fax: 202-225-7680). Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,


John Conyers, Jr.
Chairman


Linda T. Sanchez
Chairwoman, Subcommittee on Commercial
and Administrative Law

Enclosure

cc: Hon. Richard A. Hertling
Hon. Lamar S. Smith
Hon. Christopher B. Cannon