

# United States Senate

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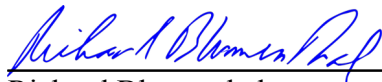
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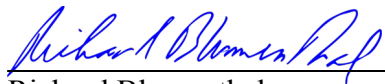
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We look forward to working with the Department of Justice to ensure the timely and exhaustive disclosure of all non-exempt records responsive to this request. If you have any questions regarding how to construe this request or believe that further discussions regarding search and processing would facilitate a more efficient production, please do not hesitate to contact us. If the request for a fee waiver is denied in part or in full, please contact our offices immediately. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Sheldon Whitehouse  
United States Senator  
Ranking Member,  
Subcommittee on Federal  
Courts, Oversight, Agency  
Action, and Federal Rights

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Richard Blumenthal  
United States Senator

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Adam B. Schiff  
United States Senator