



United States Senate

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Keith Schiller
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Dear Mr. Schiller:

As a longtime associate and close confidant of Donald Trump, you were uniquely positioned to observe President Trump and witness events central to the removal of FBI Director James Comey and Russian interference in the 2016 election. For example, you reportedly expressed opinions critical of Director Comey that helped shaped the President's views and ultimately delivered the President's letter informing Director Comey that he had been fired.¹ You attended the Miss Universe Pageant with Mr. Trump in 2013 – an event referenced in the dossier prepared by Christopher Steele² -- and likely were present at Trump Tower on June 9, 2016, when Donald Trump Jr. held a meeting to obtain incriminating information on Hillary Clinton. Given your relationship with President Trump, we believe that you have information that would assist the Committee. Accordingly, we are writing to request documents and schedule an interview with you in January 2018.

The Intelligence Community has concluded that Russia interfered in the 2016 election, with the goal of undermining faith in our democratic processes and harming Secretary Clinton's candidacy.³ As explained in the January 6, 2017 Intelligence Community assessment: "We further assess Putin and the Russian

¹ Jenna Johnson and Rosalind Helderman, "The bodyguard chosen by Trump to deliver the 'terminated' letter to the FBI director," Washington Post (May 11, 2017).

² Manu Raju, Jeremy Herb, and Marshall Cohen, "Key Trump ally Schiller denies dossier claims in House testimony," CNN (Nov. 13, 2017).

³ Office of the Director of National Intelligence, "Assessing Russian Activities and Intentions in Recent US Elections," ICA 2017-01D, January 6, 2017, at 2-3.

Government developed a clear preference for President-elect Trump.”⁴ Director Comey was leading the FBI’s investigation into Russian interference in the 2016 election – including possible ties to the Trump campaign – when he was summarily dismissed by the President.

The Committee is investigating these matters, and we ask that you provide the following documents in advance of your interview with the Committee, covering the time period from June 15, 2015 to the present:

1. All documents concerning FBI Director Comey’s interactions with President Trump or visits to the White House;
2. All documents concerning President Trump’s decision to fire FBI Director James Comey;
3. All documents concerning the selection, termination or resignation of Lt. General Michael Flynn as national security advisor;
4. All communications concerning the status, progress, or scope of the FBI’s investigation of Russian interference in the 2016 election, including communications regarding press reporting on the investigation;
5. All documents concerning the June 9, 2016, meeting among Mr. Kushner, Donald J. Trump Jr., Paul Manafort, and Russian lawyer Natalia Veselnitskaya and others;
6. All documents concerning statements (including drafts) about the June 9, 2016, meeting at Trump Tower, including statements issued on or about July 8 through July 10, 2017, by Donald Trump, Jr., the President, or the White House;
7. All communications concerning Donald Trump’s 2013 trip to Moscow; and
8. All communications concerning meetings by Donald Trump, members of the Trump campaign, transition officials, or associates of the Trump Organization with Russian government officials, associates, or representatives from 2015 to the present.

⁴ Office of the Director of National Intelligence, “Assessing Russian Activities and Intentions in Recent US Elections,” ICA 2017-01D, January 6, 2017.

We appreciate your cooperation and prompt attention to this important matter and ask that you provide the requested material as soon as possible, but no later than December 20, 2017. Please contact Brian Privor on my staff at (202) 224-7703 to schedule your interview and discuss arrangements for document production.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Dianne Feinstein". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Dianne" being larger and more prominent than the last name "Feinstein".

Dianne Feinstein
United States Senator

cc: The Honorable Charles E. Grassley