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Committee on Ways and Means  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Pascrell, Ranking Member Kelly, and Members of the House Ways & Means Subcommittee on Oversight,

I have received the subcommittee's invitation to testify in your upcoming hearing on "*The Pandora Papers and Hidden Wealth*." Unfortunately, due to prior commitments, I must decline the invitation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Kristi Noem".

Kristi Noem  
Governor of South Dakota

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