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Washington, D. C. 20530

January 13, 2025

The Honorable Charles Grassley
Chairman, Committee on the Judiciary
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Jim Jordan
Chairman, Committee on the Judiciary
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Dick Durbin
Ranking Member, Committee on the
Judiciary
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Jamie Raskin
Ranking Member, Committee on the
Judiciary
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chairman Grassley, Chairman Jordan, Ranking Member Durbin, and Ranking Member Raskin:

Pursuant to 28 C.F.R. § 600.9(a)(3), I write to inform you that Special Counsel David C. Weiss has concluded his investigation. *See* Attorney General Order 5730-2023 (August 11, 2023).

In addition to this notification, the Special Counsel regulations provide that, when the Attorney General notifies Congress of the closure of a Special Counsel investigation, that notification is to include, consistent with applicable law, “a description and explanation of instances (if any) in which the Attorney General concluded that a proposed action by a Special Counsel was so inappropriate or unwarranted under established Departmental practices that it should not be pursued.” 28 C.F.R. § 600.9(a)(3). There were no such instances during Special Counsel Weiss’s investigation.

On January 10, 2025, consistent with 28 C.F.R. § 600.8(c), Special Counsel Weiss submitted to me his final report with appendices (Report) and a transmittal letter.

As I have made clear regarding every Special Counsel who has served since I took office, I am committed to making as much of the Special Counsel’s report public as possible, consistent with legal requirements and Department policy. Attached is the final report and all other materials as provided to me on January 10, 2025, without any additions, redactions, or other modifications. Releasing these materials to you and the public at this time is consistent with 28 C.F.R. § 600.9(c) and other applicable law, and is in furtherance of the public interest in

informing a co-equal branch and the public regarding this significant matter, consistent with law and Department policy.

Today, I received from Mr. Robert Hunter Biden's defense counsel a letter with an attachment that defense counsel requested I disclose when transmitting Special Counsel Weiss's report. I have enclosed the letter, and I understand that defense counsel already released the attachment in November 2024.

Finally, consistent with 28 C.F.R. § 600.9(c), I will disclose this letter, the attached Report with appendices, the transmittal letter, and defense counsel's letter to the public after delivering it to you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Merrick B. Garland". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "M".

Merrick B. Garland
Attorney General

Enclosure