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The Honorable Christopher Wray
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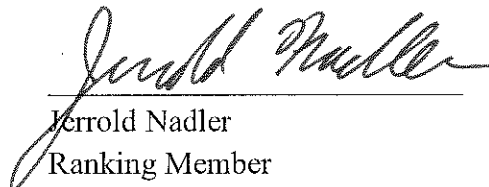
Director Wray:

As you know, the White House may release the so-called “Nunes memo,” a set of talking points drafted by Republican staffers in an apparent attempt to discredit the work of the FBI and Special Counsel Robert Mueller.

On January 29, 2018, the FBI issued an unsigned statement citing “grave concerns” with inaccuracies and omissions in that document. Media reports suggest that you are directly involved in the attempt by the Department of Justice, the FBI, and others in the Intelligence Community to convince President Trump that releasing this memo would be extremely reckless.

I write to ask that you appear on an emergency basis before the Members of the House Committee on the Judiciary—on a formal or informal basis—to brief us on these concerns. It is imperative that we hear directly from you about the security and law enforcement implications of making this information public. Because many of our Members have not been granted access to the underlying materials, it is also important that we hear from you about any inaccuracies or key omissions from the Nunes document. Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Sincerely,



Jerrold Nadler
Ranking Member
House Committee on the Judiciary

cc: Chairman Bob Goodlatte, House Committee on the Judiciary