

# Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20510

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The Honorable James Comey  
Designee, Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation  
Federal Bureau of Investigation  
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Dear Mr. Comey:

Let us be among the first to congratulate you on your confirmation as the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). We look forward to working with you as you take on this important leadership position.

As you know, with this role comes the responsibility of fulfilling the Administration's obligation to seek out and hold accountable those who were responsible for the terrorist attacks in Benghazi, Libya on September 11, 2012.

Rumors continue to swirl about the whereabouts of suspects involved in the attack. The FBI continues to add pictures of potential assailants to its website and asks the Libyan people to assist with identifying the alleged perpetrators. We struggle to understand why we don't know more about those who attacked two U.S. compounds and murdered four brave Americans.

It has been more than 10 months since the attacks. We appear to be no closer to knowing who was responsible today than we were in the early weeks following the attack. This is simply unacceptable.

We encourage you to be aggressive in your investigation to properly hold accountable those who attacked our compounds in Benghazi. We owe the families of those killed, and the people of this nation, answers to who was responsible and ensure they are held accountable.

We ask that you provide a status report on the investigation within 30 days of you being sworn in as the Director.

Sincerely,



Lindsey O. Graham  
United States Senator



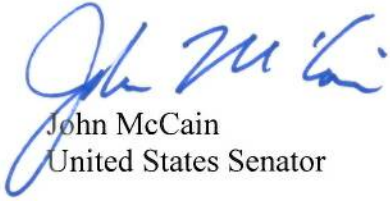
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