IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

COMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT AND REFORM, UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,)))
Plaintiff,))
v.) No. 1:19-cv-3557 (RDM)
MERRICK B. GARLAND, in his official capacity as Attorney General of the United States, <i>et al.</i> ,)))
Defendants.)))

JOINT STATUS REPORT

The parties respectfully submit the following joint status report in compliance with the Court's Minute Order of December 27, 2021.

Since the parties filed their most recent status report on December 23, 2021, Defendants have completed production of the documents requested by the Committee in accordance with the terms of the parties' Agreement Concerning Accommodation, a copy of which is attached to their August 30, 2021, status report (ECF No. 59). Pursuant to the parties' Agreement, they will file today a stipulation of dismissal of this action, with prejudice, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(l)(A)(ii).

Dated: January 7, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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