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Subject: Date: Congressional Subpoena for Laura Cooper Wednesday, October 23, 2019 8:29:00 AM

Attachments:

House Deposition Regulations.pdf House Resolution 6 Sec 103(a).pdf HPSCI Rules of Procedure.pdf 20191023 - Subpoena Cooper.pdf

Mr. Levin:

Pursuant to the House of Representatives' impeachment inquiry, we are hereby transmitting a subpoena that compels your client, Laura Cooper, to appear at a previously scheduled deposition on October 23, 2019, at 10:00 a.m., at The Capitol, HVC-304.

The subpoena is being issued by the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence under the Rules of the House of Representatives in exercise of its oversight and legislative jurisdiction and after consultation with the Committee on Foreign Affairs and the Committee on Oversight and Reform. The testimony shall be part of the House's impeachment inquiry and shared among the Committees, as well as with the Committee on the Judiciary as appropriate. Your client's failure or refusal to comply with the subpoena, including at the direction or behest of the President, the White House, or the State Department shall constitute evidence of obstruction of the House's impeachment inquiry and may be used as an adverse inference against the President.

In light of recent attempts by the Administration to direct witnesses not to appear voluntarily for depositions, the enclosed subpoena compels your client's mandatory appearance at today's deposition.

Enclosed is a copy of the House Deposition Rules, Section 103(a) of H. Res. 6, and HPSCI's Rules of Procedure for your information.

Kindly confirm receipt. Thank you.

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