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March 16, 2015

The Honorable John Koskinen  
Commissioner  
Internal Revenue Service  
1111 Constitution Avenue NW  
Washington, D.C. 20224

Dear Commissioner Koskinen:

According to your testimony to the Committee on February 11, 2015,<sup>1</sup> and testimony from other witnesses,<sup>2</sup> Deputy Chief Information Officer for Strategy and Modernization Stephen Manning had an important role in the recovery and collection of documents responsive to the Committee's requests, including those of former IRS official Lois Lerner.

To advance the Committee's understanding of the IRS's efforts to collect documents pursuant to our investigation, we request that you make Mr. Manning available for a transcribed interview by Committee staff the week of March 23, 2015.

The Committee on Oversight and Government Reform is the principal oversight committee of the House of Representatives and may at "any time" investigate "any matter" as set forth in House Rule X.

Please contact Tyler Grimm or Henry Kerner of the Committee staff at (202) 225-5074 by March 17, 2015, to schedule the transcribed interview. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Jason Chaffetz  
Chairman



Jim Jordan  
Chairman  
Subcommittee on Healthcare, Benefits  
and Administrative Rules

cc: The Honorable Elijah E. Cummings, Ranking Minority Member

The Honorable Matthew Cartwright, Ranking Minority Member  
Subcommittee on Healthcare, Benefits, and Administrative Rules

<sup>1</sup> *GAO's High Risk Report: 25 Years of Problematic Practices*, 114th Cong. (Feb. 11, 2015) (testimony of Hon. John Koskinen, Commissioner, Internal Revenue Serv.).

<sup>2</sup> *See, e.g.*, H. Comm. on Oversight & Gov't Reform, Transcribed Interview of Catherine Duval, Internal Revenue Serv. (July 31, 2014).