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The Honorable Chuck Grassley  
Chairman  
Committee on the Judiciary  
United States Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

The Honorable Dick Durbin  
Ranking Member Committee on the Judiciary  
United States Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairman Grassley and Ranking Member Durbin:

I respectfully write to supplement the Senate Judiciary Questionnaire (“SJQ”) files in connection with my nomination to be the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia.

As an initial matter, items were flagged by the Committee as potentially not having been disclosed. I appreciate the Committee raising this issue, and I welcome the opportunity to clear up any confusion and explain that some of these items had been previously disclosed.

- 1) The Committee raised questions regarding the Pro America Report podcast and Ed Martin Movement podcasts recordings under Question 12(d). In the SJQ (submitted on March 25, 2025), these were identified with weblinks to each. *See* SJQ at 7. For some reason unknown to me, the weblinks stopped functioning. The Executive Office for the United States Attorneys (“EOUSA”) raised this issue with me on March 27, 2025 in response to the Committee identifying this issue. Accordingly, that same day, March 27, 2025, my office emailed EOUSA with an updated link—<https://soundcloud.com/pseagles/sets>—

containing, to the best of my knowledge, all these recordings. It is my understanding that EOUSA emailed this weblink to the Committee immediately. To that end, I want to make clear, as I did in my Supplemental Letter dated April 7, 2025, I have never deleted or removed my podcasts or recordings, let alone interfered with the Committee's ability to thoroughly examine my record. Instead, as evidenced by my supplemental letters to the Committee, I have worked with the Committee at every juncture to identify and provide all responsive materials for my over 20 years as an attorney while also leading the United States Attorney's Office for the District of Columbia (by far the largest U.S. Attorney's Office in our country). I trust this response fully addresses the Committee's questions and concerns on this issue.

- 2) The Committee also has flagged a potential omission for Question 12(e) regarding a February 12, 2025 interview with ABC 7 news here in Washington, DC. There was no omission. As seen on page 9 of the SJQ dated March 25, 2025, I provided a link to the article about this interview, which includes both brief clips and the entirety of that interview. I also identified a YouTube link in my SJQ with the full interview. Below is a screenshot of page 9 of the SJQ confirming this:

February 2025: ABC 7 Interview: <https://wjla.com/news/local/washington-dc-interim-us-attorney-ed-martin-jr-top-prosecutor-district-of-columbia-full-interview-full-video-president-donald-trump-crime-safe-streets-mayor-muriel-bowser>

- Note: Full Interview is available here:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-r9mkc5wFPg>

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Accordingly, I believe that I have fully addressed the Committee's concerns.

- 3) The Committee also has flagged a potential omission for Question 12(e) regarding an interview I did on Washington Watch with Tony Perkins from June 11, 2024. There was no omission. As seen on page 9 of the SJQ dated March 25, 2025, I provided a link to the article about this interview, which includes both brief clips and the entirety of that interview. I also identified a YouTube link in my SJQ with the full interview. Below is a screenshot of page 9 of the SJQ confirming this:

June 11, 2024: Interview with Tony Perkins on Washington Watch:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e0zXpeVgca0>

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Accordingly, I believe that I have fully addressed the Committee's concerns.

- 4) The Committee also flagged a potential omission for Question 12(e) regarding an interview

I did with Russia Today titled “The Cost of Everything.” There was no omission. As seen on page 3 into page 4 of my Supplemental Letter dated April 15, 2025, I provided a link to the article about this interview. A screenshot of what I provided in that supplemental letter is below:

- December 14, 2023 - The Cost of Everything: [https://www.rt.com/shows/cost-of-](https://www.rt.com/shows/cost-of-everything/588867-wokeness-taken-over-the-world/)

[everything/588867-wokeness-taken-over-the-world/](https://www.rt.com/shows/cost-of-everything/588867-wokeness-taken-over-the-world/)

The Committee indicated that I participated in a “January 14, 2023 – Russia Today” interview. Notably, the Committee provided the same weblink (see below) as I did in my Supplemental Letter dated April 15, 2025 (see above).

January 14, 2023 – Russia Today  
<https://www.rt.com/shows/cost-of-everything/588867-wokeness-taken-over-the-world/>

Upon reviewing both weblinks, each weblink is from the December 14, 2023 interview I did with Russia Today titled “The Cost of Everything.” As noted above, this was disclosed on page 3 onto page 4 of my Supplemental Letter dated April 15, 2025. Accordingly, I believe that I have fully addressed the Committee’s concerns.

- 5) The Committee also flagged a potential omission for Question 12(e) from a Russia Today article. There was no omission. The Committee provided the following to me:

February 28, 2024 – Russia Today  
<https://www.rt.com/news/613443-us-biden-climate-fraud-probe/>

While the Committee writes that the article is from February 28, 2024, I reviewed this weblink and it appears that the article is from February 28, 2025. Additionally, and notably, I did not participate in an interview for this article; the article only mentions my name and that I submitted a warrant application. Accordingly, I believe that I have fully addressed the Committee’s concerns.

Additionally, as I identified in my Supplemental Letter dated April 15, 2025, I participated in an interview with the Washington Informer during the week of April 7, 2025. While the link was not available at that juncture, it is now available here:

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pLZzVLFIYhg>.

In response to Question 12(a), I am disclosing additional testimony or other communications relating, in whole or in part, to matters of public policy or legal interpretation. I inadvertently did not previously include this material and apologize for this omission:

- *Congress is fueling Missouri's prescription drug epidemic*, St. Louis Post-Dispatch, August 23, 2023. [https://www.stltoday.com/opinion/column/ed-martin-congress-is-fueling-missouri-s-prescription-drug-epidemic/article\\_e85d46d8-3de0-11ee-b636-9b69f1819718.html](https://www.stltoday.com/opinion/column/ed-martin-congress-is-fueling-missouri-s-prescription-drug-epidemic/article_e85d46d8-3de0-11ee-b636-9b69f1819718.html)
- *Band (of consultants) paid on: Explaining Scott Walker*, Washington Times, September 23, 2015. <https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2015/sep/23/ed-martin-band-consultants-paid-explaining-scott-w/>
- *Planned Parenthood Exposed: We are all complicit*, Washington Times, August 13, 2015. <https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2015/aug/13/ed-martin-planned-parenthood-exposed-we-are-all-co/>
- *Trump vs. Kelly: an Establishment Trap*, Washington Times, August 11, 2015. <https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2015/aug/11/ed-martin-trump-vs-kelly-establishment-trap/>
- *Lawless Obama deserves fast track to nowhere*, Washington Times, May 21, 2015. <https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2015/may/21/ed-martin-lawless-obama-deserves-fast-track-to-now/>
- *GOP Candidates should force a contested convention*, Washington Times, May 12, 2015. <https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2015/may/12/ed-martin-gop-candidates-should-force-contested-co/>
- *Republican Choices and Echoes*, Washington Times, May 12, 2015. <https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2015/may/12/ed-martin-republican-choices-and-echoes/>

In response to Question 12(d), there are additional speeches or talks that I have given since becoming the United States Attorney for the District of Columbia. Also, in response to Question 12(d), there is an additional speech/talk I gave before serving as the United States Attorney, which I inadvertently did not include:

- May 1, 2025 – Capital Hill Safety Meeting (with Congressional staffers): United States Attorney's Office for the District of Columbia
- March 25, 2025 – Anacostia Community Meeting:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KyCEPUdVuvY>  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QQjWuG023DA>
- August 28, 2016 – Tea Party Rally: [https://www.stltoday.com/news/local/government-politics/ed-martin-says-muslims-blow-things-up/article\\_d2188d85-2ef7-5bd6-9946-e27cc8a83671.html](https://www.stltoday.com/news/local/government-politics/ed-martin-says-muslims-blow-things-up/article_d2188d85-2ef7-5bd6-9946-e27cc8a83671.html)

Furthermore, since my Supplemental Letter dated April 15, 2025, I have participated in several other interviews, which are responsive to Question 12(e). Also, in response to Question 12(e), there are additional-interviews I have given to newspapers, magazines or other publications, or radio or television stations, which I inadvertently did not include:

- May 2, 2025 – Politico: <https://www.politico.com/news/magazine/2025/05/02/legal-washington-dc-cannabis-ed-martin-00323255>
- April 30, 2025 – ABC News: [https://youtu.be/NN\\_VWLZJbxM](https://youtu.be/NN_VWLZJbxM) ; <https://wjla.com/news/local/story/dc-us-attorney-interim-crime-data-momentum-safety-violence-trump-administration-police-mayor-bowser-ed-martin-exclusive-interview>
- April 29, 2025 – News Max (Jason Mattera): <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0-BTGirZpfg>
- April 29, 2025 – OAN News – [https://rumble.com/v6sqwnt-real-america-dan-ball-w-ed-martin-violent-crime-declines-in-washington-d.c..html?premium\\_checkout=1](https://rumble.com/v6sqwnt-real-america-dan-ball-w-ed-martin-violent-crime-declines-in-washington-d.c..html?premium_checkout=1)
- April 29, 2025 – WBUR - On Point: <https://www.wbur.org/onpoint/2025/04/29/tesla-vandalism-domestic-terrorism-musk>
- April 25, 2025 – NBC News: <https://www.nbcnews.com/politics/national-security/man-believed-stolen-dhs-chief-kristi-noems-purse-custody-rcna203176>
- April 25, 2025 – NBC News: <https://www.nbcwashington.com/news/local/interim-dc-us-attorney-looking-into-location-of-marijuana-dispensary/3899866/>
- April 25, 2025 – John Fredericks Media Network: <https://rumble.com/v6skath-ed-martin-making-d.c.-safe-again-and-great-again.html>
- April 25, 2025 – Breitbart News: <https://www.breitbart.com/podcast/2025/04/25/breitbart-news-daily-podcast-ep-757-interim-u-s-attorney-ed-martin-on-making-d-c-safe-again/>
- April 25, 2025 – OAN News: <https://x.com/OANN/status/1915941399234592899>
- April 24, 2025 – The Forward: <https://forward.com/fast-forward/714922/ed-martin-timothy-hale-cusanelli-antisemitism/>
- April 18, 2025 – Jewish News Syndicate (JNS): <https://www.jns.org/pursuing-hamas-and-its-supporters-is-personal-for-acting-us-attorney-in-dc/>
- April 17, 2025 – i24 News: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e-GLbIaSi3Y>
- October 2, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240210/bidens-angry-press-conference-made-hurs-memory-report-infinitely-worse-1116706609.html>
- April 26, 2024 – Russia Today: <https://rumble.com/v4roayh-the-360-view-civil-war-in-the-republican-party.html>
- April 22, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230422/facebook-censors-seymour-hershs-nord-stream-pipeline-attack-story-1109745799.html>
- April 17, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240417/speaker-johnsons-power-play-israel-ukraine-funding-amid-impeachment-storm-1117966795.html>
- March 26, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240326/un-security-council-passes-ceasefire-resolution-israels-ire-over-us-abstention-1117550104.html>
- March 18, 2024 – Russia Today: <https://rumble.com/v4jxu1l-direct-impact-bill-maher-dave-rubin-and-don-lemon-the-weekly-round-robin.html>

- March 14, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240314/biden-and-trump-win-primaries-amidst-bipartisan-fury-directed-at-robert-hur-1117313123.html>
- March 7, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240307/super-tuesday-winners-and-losers-1117167202.html>
- March 2, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240302/israels-gaze-shifts-to-southern-lebanon-amidst-growing-war-concerns-1117082695.html>
- February 27, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240227/haley-suffers-embarrassing-defeat-in-home-state-vows-to-stay-in-race-1116999192.html>
- February 14, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240214/zelenskys-aggressive-diplomacy-european-tour-to-demand-aid-and-security-1116766756.html>
- January 13, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240113/us-coalition-unleashes-powerful-attack-on-yemen-over-red-sea-shipping-1116135284.html>
- January 4, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240104/twin-bombings-kill-over-100-people-in-iran-1115968674.html>
- January 3, 2024 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20240103/supreme-court-to-possibly-decide-on-trumps-ballot-ban-1115967433.html>
- December 27, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20231227/highly-touted-bidenomics-proves-remarkable-disappointment-1115827497.html>
- December 15, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20231215/hungarys-orban-stifles-eus-massive-ukraine-aid-package-1115608847.html>
- December 15, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20231215/russian-president-delivers-highly-anticipated-annual-address-1115591869.html>
- December 13, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20231213/bidens-ukraine-aid-forestalls-funding-for-border-and-israel-1115547037.html>
- December 12, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20231212/gop-activist-stupid-us-leaders-will-throw-money-at-ukraine-unless-stopped-by-house-1115544679.html>
- December 7, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20231207/putin-in-the-middle-east-us-congress-at-odds-over-ukraine-funding-1115432058.html>
- November 28, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20231128/israel-hamas-truce-extended-west-bank-detentions-continue-1115243375.html>
- November 22, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20231122/biden-losing-democrats-as-war-funds-run-dry-1115109752.html>
- October 4, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20231004/ukrainian-corruption-major-concern-for-us-in-new-leaks-1113899814.html>
- September 30, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230930/first-biden-impeachment-inquiry-results-in-subpoenas-for-presidents-brother-and-son-1113808664.html>
- September 22, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230922/zelensky-meets-biden-amid-shunning-at-congress-poland-ukraine-beef-intensifies-1113567484.html>
- May 26, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230526/desantis-to-challenge-trump-for-republican-candidacy-1110587712.html>

- May 26, 2023 – NewsNation Interview: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qo0njRIXw0k>
- April 26, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230426/joe-biden-announces-2024-presidential-campaign-1109827908.html>
- April 18, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230418/elon-musk-reveals-us-government-spied-on-twitter-messages-1109602275.html>
- April 3, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230403/trumped-up-charges-against-former-us-president-embarrassing-to-us-1109074092.html>
- March 23, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230323/da-flipping-minor-trump-charge-to-felony-straight-out-of-jan-6-trials-playbook-1108718826.html>
- February 24, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230224/is-china-preparing-a-peace-plan-for-the-ukrainian-russian-conflict-1107748495.html>
- February 9, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230209/bidens-optimistic-state-of-the-union-address-drifts-far-from-reality-1107093959.html>
- February 1, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230201/biden-says-no-f-16s-to-ukraine---but-for-how-long-1106866689.html>
- January 27, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230127/us-to-supply-ukraine-with-abrams-tanks-whats-next-1106741725.html>
- January 7, 2023 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20230107/zelensky-rejects-christmas-ceasefire-mccarthy-loses-speaker-bid-for-11th-time-1106089760.html>
- December 29, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20221229/buffalo-snowstorm-reveals-government-incompetence-airline-industry-in-shambles-1105864866.html>
- December 23, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20221223/zelensky-gets-the-royal-treatment-from-the-dc-swamp-1105713048.html>
- November 11, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20221111/russian-partial-pull-back-from-western-kherson-what-does-this-mean--1103994948.html>
- November 1, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/amp/20221101/lula-defeats-bolsonaro-to-become-new-brazilian-president--1102898335.html>
- October 20, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20221020/danchenko-acquitted-of-lying-to-the-fbi-about-the-russia-trump-collusion--1102091783.html>
- September 15, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220915/biden-celebrates-the-inflation-reduction-act-while-inflation-rose-in-august-1100789523.html>
- September 14, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220914/why-does-big-tech-censorship-remain-unchecked-1100737287.html>
- September 7, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220907/mass-protests-across-europe-as-skyrocketing-energy-prices-cause-anger-against-ruling-governments-1100461766.html>
- August 30, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220830/redacted-fbi-raid-affidavit-released-but-many-questions-still-remain-1100143176.html>



- August 29, 2022 – Russia Today:<sup>1</sup> <https://de.rt.com/nordamerika/147324-ukrainische-spionin-in-mar-a/>
- July 14, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220714/ukrainian-forces-in-disarray-as-russian-troops-press-deep-into-the-donbass-1097292879.html>
- June 16, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220616/zelensky-offers-the-us-gas-in-exchange-for-weapons-1096347187.html>
- June 9, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220609/us-economy-in-disarray-amid-increased-military-support-to-ukraine-1096128546.html>
- May 26, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220526/china-challenges-bidens-threats-with-a-massive-exercise-near-taiwan-1095773859.html>
- May 19, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220519/turkey-sets-demands-for-admitting-sweden-and-finland-to-nato-1095624976.html>
- May 18, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220518/zelensky-claims-heroic-victory-as-azov-surrenders-1095580123.html>
- May 11, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220511/biden-takes-one-step-closer-towards-world-war-iii-1095406158.html>
- April 26, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220426/a-divided-france-re-elects-macron-to-lead-a-weakened-eu-1095042973.html>
- April 6, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220406/the-west-strides-into-conflict-over-ukrainian-propaganda-1094514099.html>
- April 2, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220402/rubles-or-else-russian-payment-deadline-for-gas-arrives-1094409520.html>
- April 15, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://sputnikglobe.com/20220315/tulsi-gabbard-is-accused-of-treason-for-discussing-biolabs-in-ukraine-1093876142.html>
- March 14, 2022 – Sputnik Radio: <https://music.amazon.com/es-co/podcasts/b7c690d4-cb25-4bd2-8389-35fba3e0be3e/episodes/2673c58c-3a88-4ff4-94e8-5228f7b5441b/sputnik-tulsi-gabbard-is-accused-of-treason-for-discussing-biolabs-in-ukraine>
- April 2, 2021 – VDARE Book Club: <https://web.archive.org/web/20210402155827/https://vdare.com/videos/book-club-podcast-a-choice-not-an-echo-w-ed-martin-hosted-by-james-kirkpatrick>
- November 17, 2020 – Infowars: <https://www.bitchute.com/video/k6OC2vEjz1Wo>
- October 30, 2019 – The Sam Lesante Show Interview: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wCmkLwd1c7I>
- June 5, 2018 – Focus Today: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=nGDI3vrat1U>
- April 10, 2017 – Infowars: <https://tv.infowars.com/index/display/category/dailysows/order/popular/page/5/id/7836>

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<sup>1</sup> The Committee identified this entry/link as a potential omission. While I am unable to access/view this link, I trust the Committee in having identified it. Accordingly, I am listing it here.



- January 11, 2017 – RT (Let Trump be Trump?): <https://www.rt.com/shows/crosstalk/373280-donald-trump-presidency-us/>
- October 21, 2016 – RT (News with Ed): <https://www.rt.com/shows/news-with-ed-schultz/363582-news-with-ed-october20/>
- October 11, 2016 – RT (News with Ed): <https://www.rt.com/shows/news-with-ed-schultz/362310-news-with-ed-oct10/>
- August 29, 2016 – St. Louis Today: [http://www.stltoday.com/news/local/govt-and-politics/ed-martin-says-muslims-blow-things-up/article\\_d2188d85-2ef7-5bd6-9946-e27cc8a83671.html](http://www.stltoday.com/news/local/govt-and-politics/ed-martin-says-muslims-blow-things-up/article_d2188d85-2ef7-5bd6-9946-e27cc8a83671.html)
- March 10, 2016 – Infowars: <https://tv.infowars.com/index/display/id/7192>
- July 30, 2012 – Interview with E-Missourian: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k5qGmDq1D0E>

Finally, I want to flag for the Committee that, when conducting my searches for the SJQ, I utilized the methodology provided by EOUSA to identify all materials responsive to the SJQ. My understanding is that this methodology has been consistently applied across Administrations. Additionally, I have made a practice of speaking to as many diverse audiences as possible during my 20 plus year career because I have found that, to be effective, ideas must be communicated to all—even to audiences and platforms I disagree with. Accordingly, I have spoken to foreign or local media outlets. Necessarily, those materials are at times difficult to retrieve particularly given the passage of time. I have worked with the Committee to be fully responsive, but of course must caveat that, as always, I am making these disclosures to the best of my ability and knowledge. While there are many demands upon leading my team at the United States Attorney’s Office for the District of Columbia, the responsibility for the SJQ is mine and I profoundly regret the late disclosures and apologize for any inconvenience.

Respectfully Submitted,



Edward R. Martin, Jr.