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COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE

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January 26, 2018

Ms. Kerry Perry
President and Chief Executive Officer
USA Gymnastics
130 E. Washington Street, Suite 700
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Dear Ms. Perry:

Pursuant to Rules X and XI of the United States House of Representatives, the Committee on Energy and Commerce is investigating matters related to sexual abuse within organized sports, including USA Gymnastics. This week, Dr. Larry Nassar was sentenced for his abuse of more than 150 girls and women. The abhorrent abuses associated with this case are outrageous, and raise serious concerns about your organization's ability to oversee your sport and protect your athletes from abuse and mistreatment. Accordingly, the Committee is seeking information from USA Gymnastics because of the role it plays in overseeing gymnastics and protecting all of its athletes.


To assist the Committee's oversight into these incidents of sexual abuse, please provide a briefing to the Committee and be prepared to provide answers to the following questions by Friday, February 9, 2018.

1. When was USA Gymnastics first made aware of the sexual abuse allegations related to Dr. Larry Nassar?
 - a. Who reported the allegations to USA Gymnastics?
 - b. Who within USA Gymnastics were these allegations reported to?
 - c. Once the sexual abuse allegations were reported to USA Gymnastics, how were the allegations handled?
2. Is USA Gymnastics aware of any other sexual abuse or misconduct allegations within the gymnastics community?
 - a. If so, what is the nature of the allegations and when were they made?

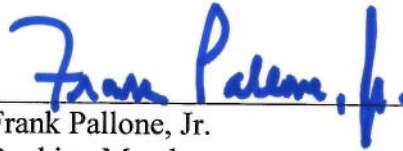
- b. If so, what has USA Gymnastics done to properly address these allegations?
3. Does USA Gymnastics have policies and procedures in place to properly report, handle, and investigate sexual abuse when it has been reported to them?

To arrange for the requested briefing, please contact Brittany Havens with the Majority staff at (202) 225-2927 or Julie Babayan with the Minority staff at (202) 225-3641.

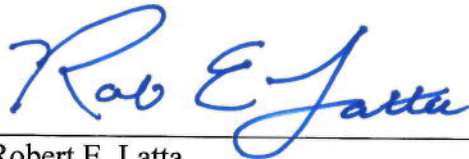
Sincerely,



Greg Walden
Chairman



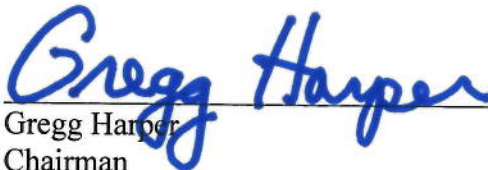
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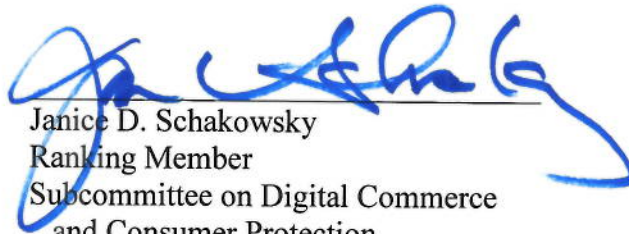
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