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Mr. Anthony Armstrong
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Dear Mr. Armstrong:

Please be advised that an investigation is underway regarding the Trump Administration's use of unauthorized messaging platforms for government business.¹ As a social messaging platform with private messaging capability, X Corp. (X) is in possession of information and records that are critical to this investigation and any related investigation.² Accordingly, this letter serves as formal notice to preserve and not alter, delete, destroy, or otherwise dispose of any and all documents, communications, materials, and electronically stored information (ESI) that may be relevant to this matter.

This preservation obligation extends to all documents, communications, and ESI in your possession, custody, or control from January 20, 2025, including but not limited to:

- All private messages on X between or among Trump Administration officials, including President Trump;

¹ See, e.g., Letter from Ranking Member Gerald E. Connolly, Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, et al, to the Honorable J.D. Vance, Vice President, et al, (Mar. 26, 2025) (online at https://oversightdemocrats.house.gov/sites/evo-subsites/democrats-oversight.house.gov/files/evo-media-document/2025-03-26-dem-members-to-agencies-re-atlantic-signal_0.pdf); Letter from Ranking Member Gerald E. Connolly, Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, to the Honorable Michael Waltz, National Security Advisor (Apr. 1, 2025) (online at <https://oversightdemocrats.house.gov/sites/evo-subsites/oversightdemocrats.house.gov/files/evo-media-document/2025-04-01-gec-to-waltz-re-gmail.pdf>); Letter from Ranking Member Gerald E. Connolly, Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, to Mr. Walker Barrett, Senior Director for Defense, National Security Council (Apr. 1, 2025) (online at <https://oversightdemocrats.house.gov/sites/evo-subsites/democrats-oversight.house.gov/files/evo-media-document/2025-04-01-gec-to-non-principals-re-signal-ti-request.pdf>).

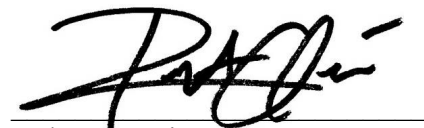
² See, e.g., *Trump Accidentally Posted Message Pressuring Pam Bondi to Charge His Enemies, Source Says*, NBC News (Oct. 10, 2025) (online at www.nbcnews.com/politics/justice-department/trump-accidentally-posted-message-pressuring-pam-bondi-charge-enemies-rcna236830); *With Truth Social, Trump Has Official Mouthpiece and a Channel for Revenue*, New York Times (Feb. 19, 2025) (online at www.nytimes.com/2025/02/19/us/politics/truth-social-trump-media.html); *White House: Trump's Tweets Are 'Official Statements'*, CNN (June 6, 2017) (online at www.cnn.com/2017/06/06/politics/trump-tweets-official-statements/index.html).

- All private messages on X between or among Trump Administration officials, including President Trump, and foreign government officials;
- All private messages on X sent by Trump Administration officials, including President Trump, that discuss official U.S. government business;
- All accounts on X belonging to Trump Administration officials, including President Trump;
- Backups and archived data;
- Electronic documents;
- Server logs and system data; and
- Social media content and metadata.

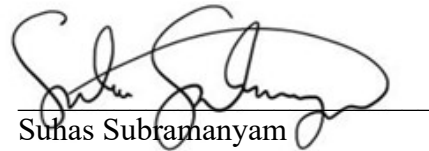
This notice applies to all data regardless of where it is stored or by whom it is held, including personal devices and third-party platforms (e.g., cloud storage, third-party communication tools). Immediately suspend any automatic or routine document destruction policies, including email deletion protocols, shredding schedules, data overwriting processes, or automatic message deletion that may result in the loss of potentially relevant information.

The Committee on Oversight and Government Reform is the principal oversight committee of the House of Representatives and has broad authority to investigate “any matter” at “any time” under House Rule X. If you have any questions about this request, please contact Committee Democratic staff at (202) 225-5051. Thank you for your prompt attention to this request.

Sincerely,



Robert Garcia
Ranking Member



Suhas Subramanyam
Member of Congress

cc: The Honorable James Comer, Chairman