

115TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. RES. 488

Of inquiry requesting the President and directing the Attorney General to transmit, respectively, certain documents to the House of Representatives relating to the removal of former Federal Bureau of Investigation Director James Comey.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

July 28, 2017

Mr. Cicilline (for himself and Ms. Jayapal) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

RESOLUTION

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- 1 Resolved, That the President is requested, and Attor-
- 2 ney General of the United States is directed, to transmit,
- 3 respectively (in a manner appropriate to classified infor-
- 4 mation, if the President or Attorney General determines
- 5 appropriate), to the House of Representatives, not later
- 6 than 14 days after the date of the adoption of this resolu-
- 7 tion, copies of any document, record, audio recording,

- 1 memo, correspondence, or other communication in their
- 2 possessions, or any portion of any such communication,
- 3 that refers or relates to the following:

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- 4 (1) The firing of Director James B. Comey of 5 the Federal Bureau of Investigation.
 - (2) The participation of Attorney General Jefferson Sessions in the removal of Director Comey.
 - (3) The scope or application of Attorney General Sessions' recusal from "any existing or future investigations of any matters in any way related to the campaigns for President of the United States".
 - (4) The application of Attorney General Sessions' recusal to the removal of Director Comey.
 - (5) The scope or application of executive privilege as applied to the June 13, 2017, testimony of Attorney General Sessions before the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence.
 - (6) President Donald J. Trump's statement, communicated via Twitter on May 12, 2017, at 8:26 a.m.: "James Comey better hope that there are no 'tapes' of our conversations before he starts leaking to the press!".
- (7) Any system used by the White House to se cretly record conversations between President
 Trump and Director Comey.

- 1 (8) Any contemporaneous account of any meet-2 ing between President Trump and Director Comey.
 - (9) Any communication Donald Trump, Jr., Paul Manafort, or Jared Kushner may have had with the Department of Justice or the Federal Bureau of Investigation that relates to their June 9, 2016, meeting with Natalia Veselnitskaya, Rinat Akhmetshin, and Irakly Kaveladze.
 - (10) Any analysis regarding the violation of any criminal law with respect to that June 9, 2016, meeting, including any analysis of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, the Computer Fraud and Abuse Act, or the Espionage Act of 1917 as it may pertain to a Federal campaign's attempt to obtain information that "would incriminate Hillary" from a foreign government.
 - (11) The disposition or review of any application for a security clearance submitted by White House advisor Jared Kushner or Attorney General Sessions.

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