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ON INTELLIGENCE MINORITY

Mr. Jake Sullivan Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Ave. NW Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

On March 18, 2022, President Biden held a bilateral call with Chinese President Xi Jinping that lasted approximately two hours. The White House indicated numerous topics of national security importance were discussed, including potential consequences that the United States would take if China provides support to Russia's unjustified war in Ukraine.<sup>2</sup>

This call contained critical information relevant to the future of U.S.-China relations and the ongoing conflict in Ukraine. I hereby request a classified briefing on the details of this call. Please contact Republican staff at 202-225-4121 to schedule this briefing as soon as possible.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michael R. Turner Ranking Member

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Background Press Call by a Senior Administration Official on President Biden's Call with President Xi Jinping of China (Mar. 18, 2022), https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/press-briefings/2022/03/18/background-presscall-by-a-senior-administration-official-on-president-bidens-call-with-president-xi-jinping-of-china/.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Readout of President Joseph R. Biden Jr. Call with President Xi Jinping of the People's Republic of China (Mar. 18, 2022), https://www.whitehouse.gov/briefing-room/statements-releases/2022/03/18/readout-of-president-josephr-biden-jr-call-with-president-xi-jinping-of-the-peoples-republic-of-china-2/.