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DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY
INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20224

June 15, 2015

The Honorable Marsha Blackburn
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Ms. Blackburn:

Thank you for your letter dated May 19, 2015, in which you asked that we review questions about the Clinton Foundation.

We treat all of the referrals we receive, from whatever source, in the same manner. The acknowledgement letter you received correctly states our procedures for processing referrals, as well as our limitations on disclosing taxpayer information to individuals who make referrals. Our procedures provide that referral acknowledgement letters be signed by the Director of the group that handles our Tax Exempt and Government Entities referrals. We have a new Director of that group, however, and her signature has not been input into our system yet. We will be updating the system to include her signature soon, and I apologize that the letter that you received was unsigned. I assure you that we are treating your letter as a referral and will consider the information you provided in determining whether additional review of the organization's activities is needed.

Thank you for taking the time to refer this matter to our attention, and I hope this information is helpful. I will be sending separate letters to each of the members who signed your letter. If you have any questions, please contact me or a member of your staff may contact Leonard Oursler, Director, Legislative Affairs, at (202) 317-6985.

Sincerely,

John A. Koskinen