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Mr. Charles C. Lynch

Dear Mr. Lynch:

Thank you so much for contacting my office and sharing your concerns with me. I appreciate your trust and am sorry to hear of your difficulties.

I sympathize with your concern and your desire to have your problem resolved. However, as a United States Senator I cannot intervene in, or comment on, a matter that is within the jurisdiction of the courts. This policy preserves the separation of powers doctrine, assigned by the Constitution to the branches of government, and the integrity of our system of justice.

I appreciate your contacting me and do wish I could be more helpful to you. If there is any way my office can assist you with problems involving the federal government, please get back in touch with me.

Sincerely,

Dianne Feinstein United States Senator

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