

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS,  
UNITED STATES HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
1102 Longworth House Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20515,

*Plaintiff,*

v.

Case No. 1:19-cv-1974

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
THE TREASURY,  
1500 Pennsylvania Avenue N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20220, *et al.*,

*Defendants.*

**Exhibit J**



COMMISSIONER

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

May 6, 2019

The Honorable Richard E. Neal  
Chairman  
Committee on Ways and Means  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chairman Neal:

In further response to your letter dated April 3, 2019, I concur with the letter sent to you today by Secretary Mnuchin and the conclusion reached in that letter.

If I can be of further assistance, please contact me, or a member of your staff can contact Leonard Oursler, Director, Legislative Affairs, at 202-317-6985.

Very truly yours,



Charles P. Rettig