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The Honorable Frank R. Wolf
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

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Dear Representative Wolf:

I write on behalf of Secretary Hagel in response to your letter of July 18, 2013, asking if any Department personnel or contractors associated with the attacks on U.S. facilities in Benghazi, Libya of last September have been required to sign any additional non-disclosure agreement since the attacks.

Though most Department personnel and contractors sign the Classified Information Nondisclosure Agreement (Standard Form 312) as part of their employment, the Department has not requested nor required personnel or contractors involved in the response to the attacks in Benghazi to sign any additional agreement. We appreciate your interest in this matter. If you require anything further, please contact Mr. Bill Hudson at (703) 693-2648.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Elizabeth L. Kij", is positioned below the "Sincerely," text.