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Dear Congresswoman Jackson Lee,

My name is Dr. Jeffrey Fudin. I just learned of your involvement with Whistleblower Week in Washington, this afternoon. First, I wish to thank you and commend you for your honesty, insight, and courage in support of these important activities!

I write this letter to you today as Director and Founder of the VA Whistleblowers Coalition (VAWBC, www.vawbc.com) in the interest of veteran safety and concern for Veterans Affairs employees that have been harassed for blowing the whistle on subversive patient care issues resulting in harm or death to veterans.

Please visit www.vawbc.com and click on the scrolling marquee to view a letter that we recently sent to Chairman of the Veterans Affairs Committee, Senator Daniel Akaka. You will see that 20 Veterans Affairs employees from facilities across the nation and north to south have had similar experiences. We have many more members that are afraid to list their names or to join specifically because they fear our very own government. This is not an isolated problem, but rather a systemic and terrifying problem for all Americans, especially our veterans. We encourage you also to view the stories from some of our members by clicking on ABOUT US, then MEMBERS. There is little doubt that you will be appalled!

Again, thank you for the attention you have given to this important matter. I will look forward to shaking your hand in Washington next week.

Very respectfully yours,



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