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November 2, 2016

By Mail

Warren Hern
Boulder Abortion Clinic, P.C.
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Boulder, Colorado 80304

Dear Dr. Hern:

On October 7, 2015, the U.S. House of Representatives passed H. Res. 461, which created the Select Investigative Panel and empowered the Panel to investigate issues related to fetal tissue research, federal funding, and the practices of providers of second and third trimester abortionists. This document request is made pursuant to the scope of investigative responsibility of the Panel.

Pursuant to H. Res. 461, we are seeking the following documents and/or information in your possession, custody, or control created or dated on or after January 1, 2010:

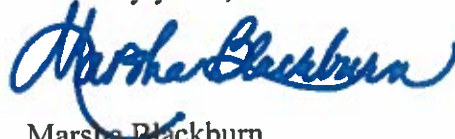
- 1) All communications and documents, including contracts, written agreements, or invoices to which you, the Boulder Abortion Clinic (Boulder), or any other entity with which you have been affiliated have been a party, referring or relating to the procurement and transfer of fetal tissue from you, Boulder, or any other entity with which you have been affiliated.
- 2) All communications and documents sufficient to show all entities and/or persons to which you, Boulder, or any other entity with which you have been affiliated with transferred fetal tissue and records of these transfers, including invoices.
- 3) All communications and documents sufficient to show anything of value, including but not limited to money or honorarium, offered to or received by you, Boulder, or any other entity with which you have been affiliated from any entity to which fetal tissue was transferred.
- 4) All communications and documents sufficient to show any gestation greater than 22 weeks of the fetal tissue transferred to, from, or by you, Boulder, or any other entity with which you have been affiliated.
- 5) Chart listing the types of abortions that have taken place at the clinic, including gestation range for each type of abortion.

- 6) Chart listing any faculty positions, whether paid or unpaid, held by you or any personnel at Boulder at any educational or research institution that receives fetal tissue from Boulder, along with dates such positions were held.
- 7) All communications and documents stating the policy and procedures at Boulder for infants born alive during an abortion, including any training provided to staff on how to care for an infant born alive.
- 8) All communications and documents sufficient to show the presence of any equipment that serves infants born alive or persons trained to provide neonatal care for an infant born alive at Boulder.
- 9) All communications and documents sufficient to show the dates on which any child was born alive at Boulder, the person(s) who assisted with the care of that child, and the disposition of the child, including any death certificates prepared for that child and any related referrals to a funeral home.

Please produce the requested documents by the close of business on November 21, 2016. Instructions for responding to the Panel's document requests are included as an attachment to this letter.

If you have any questions about this request, please contact Rachel Collins of the Select Investigative Panel Staff at (202) 225-2927, or by email at rachel.collins@mail.house.gov.

Sincerely yours,



Marsha Blackburn
Chairman
Select Investigative Panel of
the Committee on Energy and Commerce

Attachment(s)

cc: The Honorable Jan Schakowsky
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the Committee on Energy and Commerce