

Congress of the United States
Washington, DC 20515

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The Honorable John Boehner
Speaker
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Nancy Pelosi
Democratic Leader
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Speaker Boehner and Democratic Leader Pelosi,

News reports indicate the Senate may use the fast-approaching deadline for the sunset of Section 215 of the USA PATRIOT Act to pressure the House to accept a short-term extension of this authority.

The Second Circuit recently ruled that the bulk metadata collection program is illegal, and to allow a vote on a clean reauthorization of this authority without real reforms would be a disservice to the hundreds of millions of Americans we represent. We will not vote to reauthorize this program, even for a short period of time.

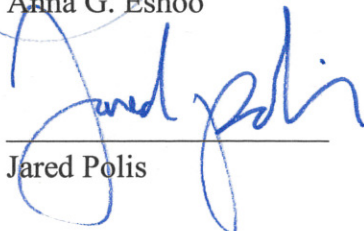
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