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Loretta Lynch Confirmation: What the Senate Judiciary Committee's Wrote to Your Own

Reporter -- and What He, in Turn, Has Reported to the Public...

Dear Mr. Pruden,

Subject:

Perhaps you are unaware of what Jim McElhatton reported at the very end of his yesterday's article "Senate urged to ask AG nominee Loretta Lynch about stock fraud case" (Washington Times, 1/22/15) –

"Ms. Lynch's nomination has faced little opposition based on information posted on the Senate Judiciary Committee website. The committee has posted letters it received urging her confirmation, including one from Estee Lauder, the makeup and perfume company.

But Elena Sassower, director at the Center for Judicial Accountability, sent the committee a letter that raised concerns about the nomination weeks ago. Although she has posted it on her group's website, it hasn't appeared on the Senate Judiciary website.

Ms. Levine, the committee spokeswoman, wrote in an email that Republicans, who took over the Senate this month, just received access to the website and it was probably an oversight that the letter hadn't been posted." <a href="http://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2015/jan/22/senate-urged-to-ask-loretta-lynch-about-stock-frau/#ixzz3PfAsHUyP">http://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2015/jan/22/senate-urged-to-ask-loretta-lynch-about-stock-frau/#ixzz3PfAsHUyP</a>

The now 13 letters that the Senate Judiciary Committee has posted on its website – all testimonials – include four posted today. <a href="http://www.judiciary.senate.gov/nominations/executive/pn2136-113">http://www.judiciary.senate.gov/nominations/executive/pn2136-113</a>.

My December 17, 2014 and January 5, 2015 letters – <a href="presumably NOT the only letters in opposition that the Senate Judiciary Committee has received">presumably NOT the only letters in opposition that the Senate Judiciary Committee has received</a> -- have still NOT been posted for the public's inspection of what is before the Committee for examination of Ms. Lynch's fitness to be this nation's highest law enforcement officer.

## Elena Sassower

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