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Mr. Bill O'Reilly
FOX News
1211 Avenue of the Americas
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RE: Bringing Long-Overdue Accountability and Responsiveness to The New York Times

Dear Mr. O'Reilly,

I trust The O'Reilly Factor will be commenting upon the scurrilous and defamatory description of Geraldo Rivera as "someone who might be best described by a four-letter word" in the first sentence of yesterday's New York Times column, "*Even Geraldo Deserves a Fair Shake*", by its Public Editor, Byron Calame – and the shameful, incomprehensible rationale of Times Executive Editor Bill Keller, disclosed therein, for not giving Mr. Rivera the correction to which he is entitled.

So that you can best hold The Times and Mr. Calame to account -- and otherwise expose The Times' betrayal of the most fundamental journalism standards -- I enclose a copy of the Center for Judicial Accountability's today's complaint to Mr. Calame, to which you and Mr. Rivera are indicated recipients, as are Mr. Keller and other Times higher-ups. I would be pleased to have The O'Reilly Factor publicly champion the complaint and report on Mr. Calame's response.

I look forward to speaking with you after you have reviewed its content, the substantiating primary source documents it transmits, and the mountain of our other correspondence and complaints to The Times over the past 13 years posted on our website, www.judgewatch.org, under "PRESS SUPPRESSION: The New York Times".

Thank you.

Yours for a quality judiciary
and responsible journalism,


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Enclosure
cc: Geraldo Rivera