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June 25, 2010

The Honorable John McHugh  
Secretary of the Army  
1400 Defense Pentagon  
Washington, DC 20301

Dear Mr. Secretary:

As part of the Subcommittee's ongoing oversight of contract management, I am writing to request information and documents relating to contracts at Arlington National Cemetery.

To assist the Subcommittee with its investigation, I request that you provide unredacted copies of the complete reports of investigation and inspection into allegations of improprieties at Arlington National Cemetery completed by the Inspector General in June 2010.

I request that you provide this information as soon as possible, but in no case later than **July 2, 2010**. If you determine that you will be unable to make a complete production by this date, please contact Subcommittee staff to discuss possible modifications to this schedule.

I also request that you make John C. Metzler and Thuman Higginbotham available for interviews with Subcommittee staff on or before **July 9, 2010**.

The jurisdiction of the Subcommittee on Contracting Oversight is set forth in Senate Rule XXV clause 1(k); Senate Resolution 445 section 101 (108<sup>th</sup> Congress); and Senate Resolution 73 (111<sup>th</sup> Congress). An attachment to this letter provides additional information about how to respond to the Subcommittee's request.

Please have your staff contact Margaret Daum at (202) 224-8316 with any questions.

Sincerely,



Claire McCaskill  
Chairman  
Subcommittee on Contracting Oversight

cc: Scott Brown  
Ranking Member