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Mr. George W. Bush
President of the United States
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, DC 20502

Dear Mr. President:

As an introduction, the undersigned has been assigned, over a span of 42 years, to a number of county, state, national and military law enforcement agencies, including the State's Attorney's Office for Allegany County; MD, Maryland State Police; U. S. Secret Service; U. S. Naval Intelligence; and secretary-treasurer of Harvard Associates for 30 years.

During my tenure with those agencies in criminal investigations, I have never observed the treatment and summary suspension accorded U. S. Park Police Chief Teresa Chambers. The generic explanation given Chief Chambers, without any specifics or details at the time of her suspension is unbelievable, and, to say the least, shallow. The manner in which it was done was unprofessional and to Chief Chambers certainly most embarrassing and humiliating, especially knowing she enjoyed a very good rapport with members of her department.

I have known Chief Chambers her entire life and her reputation, both personally and in law enforcement is exemplary and beyond reproach. Her core values revolve around honesty, integrity, professionalism and strong ethics and for 27 years she has demonstrated those traits in various law enforcement roles, including high priority command positions. Chief Chambers has always been held in high esteem by her peers as well as those she supervised.

Chief Chambers deserves to have her police identity and her own dignity restored after this abuse of authority, especially since she has been a tremendous asset to the U. S. Park Police, and, for the good of the service.

Mr. President, this is an appeal to rectify the wrong that has been accorded Chief Chambers and to restore her position as Chief of the U. S. Park Police.

Thank you for your kind consideration.

Sincerely yours,

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