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Thank you for the apportunity to appear before the committee this alternoon. Again, I commend you, Mr. Chairman, the your leadership on this very important vivid rights insue.

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