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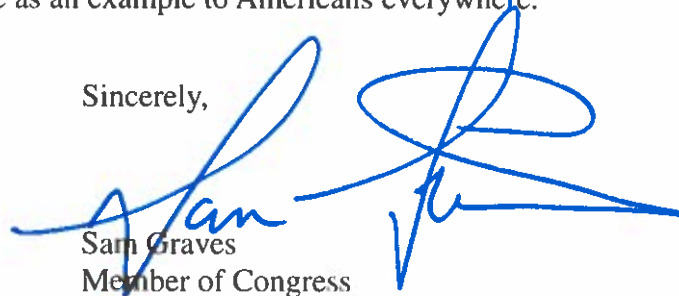
Dear Falun Gong Practitioners,

I am proud to publicly support your efforts to address the continuation of the cruel and unjust actions of the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) against practitioners of Falun Gong. Freedom of religion is not only a constitutional right, but a human right that should be enjoyed by all.

Chinese communism threatens the independence and human rights of free people around the world. The CCP routinely commits human rights abuses such as murder, organ-harvesting, mass false-imprisonment, and unconscionable torture. These actions make it clear that the goal of the CCP is to eradicate an entire religious movement in order to advance their communist ideology. These genocidal acts are irredeemable and have no place in today's world.

Please know I stand in solidarity with you in the fight against persecution and I look forward to the work we can accomplish together to bring justice for the Falun Gong. I am steadfast in my commitment to policies that secure religious freedom and human rights above all else. Your bravery and dedication in this fight against tyranny are wonderful examples of the right to freely practice your religion and serve as an example to Americans everywhere.

Sincerely,



Sam Graves
Member of Congress