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Hon. Chip Roy
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Washington, D.C. 20515

Sen. Mike Lee
363 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Rep. Roy and Sen. Lee:

Thank you so much for your decision to request a briefing by FBI Director Christopher Wray on the disparate treatment afforded non-violent pro-life activists, and violent abortion-rights activists, in the application of the FACE Act. The duplicity is startling.

On September 26, I wrote to Sen. Chuck Grassley, the Ranking Member of the Senate Judiciary Committee, asking him to convene a probe or hearing with regards to the FBI's behavior. I wrote to him again today, noting that the two of you, along with 38 other lawmakers, were seeking to hold the FBI accountable. I took the opportunity to restate my request.

Thanks again for your attention to this serious issue. I will pass the word to the Catholic community.

Sincerely,

William A. Donohue, Ph.D.
President

cc: Sen. Grassley

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