

July 13, 2007

To: Honorable John Conyers, Jr.
Chairman, House Judiciary Committee
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Honorable Patrick J. Leahy
Chairman, Senate Judiciary Committee
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United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

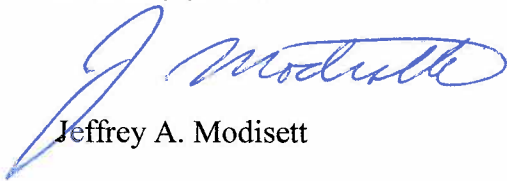
Re: Petition in Support of Governor Siegelman

We hereby submit the enclosed petition signed by 44 former state attorneys general urging the United States Congress to investigate the circumstances surrounding the investigation, prosecution, sentencing and detention of Don Siegelman, the former Governor of Alabama.

As Chairs of the Judiciary Committee of the House and Senate, we urge you to incorporate the Siegelman case into your ongoing inquiry concerning potential inappropriate political interference in the offices of United States Attorneys.

It is imperative to maintain the integrity of the justice system so as to ensure the public's confidence in its objectivity and independence.

Sincerely yours,



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Robert Stephan

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Grant Woods

(Jeffrey Modisett signing for himself and for Robert Abrams, Robert Stephan and Grant Woods with their permission)