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Dear Mr President:

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I am very concerned to hear reports that elements within the US government are considering torturing people through a reconsideration of the CIA use of black sites and enhanced interrogation techniques which were employed briefly a decade ago.

I am very proud to be a US citizen and a large part of that derives from the priority placed on human rights and the rule of law.

Please assure me that you will quash any such movement to weaken this country.

Sincerely, Eric Babson