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The Honorable Edward J. Markey  
United States Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Markey:

This responds to your letter date December 18, 2014, to the United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, Preet Bharara, requesting a briefing about his office's actions with regard to the shooting death of Danroy "DJ" Henry Jr. on October 17, 2010 by a Pleasantville, New York Police Officer. We are sending similar responses to the other Members who joined in your letter.

We appreciate your interest in this matter. The United States Attorney's Office has advised that it is actively evaluating the matter, noting that representatives of the office have met with Mr. Henry's family and communicated with their attorney. In order to preserve the integrity and independence of the pending matter, however, we are not in a position to provide additional information or a briefing at this time.

We hope this information is helpful. Please do not hesitate to contact this office if we may provide additional assistance regarding this or any other matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Peter J. Kadzik".

Peter J. Kadzik  
Assistant Attorney General