

## **CONFIDENTIAL**

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To: Frank Gaffney, Center for Security Policy

From: Jeremy Young, Senior Producer, Al Jazeera Media Network

My name is Jeremy Young and I am a journalist with Al Jazeera Media Network based in Washington, DC. We are currently producing a one-hour documentary about Islamophobia in the United States. Our program alleges that the Center for Security Policy plays a prominent role in demonizing American Muslims.

We have interviewed experts who consider the Center for Security Policy and Frank Gaffney the most influential anti-Muslim organization and advocate on Capitol Hill. We also interviewed individuals who say that Frank Gaffney and the organization regularly attack Muslims who are working in US government positions without proper cause. The Southern Poverty Law Center identifies the Center for Security Policy as an anti-Muslim hate group.

We would like to ask for your written response to the above allegations. We ask that this response be forthcoming no later than 5pm (US Eastern Time) on Friday March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2018.

Please send all responses to the following email address: YoungJe@aljazeera.net.

Thanks in advance,

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