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VIA ECF & FEDERAL EXPRESS

The Honorable George B. Daniels, U.S. District Court Judge Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse 500 Pearl St. New York, NY 10007-1312

> Re: Citizens for Responsibility and Ethics in Washington v. Trump Civil Action No. 1:17-cv-00458-GBD (SDNY)

Dear Judge Daniels:

We represent five legal historians who filed a brief as amici curiae (Doc. No.70) in the above-captioned case. We write on behalf of amici to correct an error in footnote 82 in that brief.

Although *amici* do not believe footnote 82 bears on an issue which is disputed by the parties in this case, additional research and new information that has come to light since their brief was filed have led them to conclude that footnote 82 is mistaken in representing that Alexander Hamilton himself signed the handwritten manuscript in the National Archives (the socalled "Condensed Report") on which a published document in American State Papers is based. See 1 American State Papers/Miscellaneous 57 (1834). Although the provenance of this manuscript and its surrounding circumstances are not entirely clear, amici now believe that the signature on this manuscript is likely not Hamilton's own signature.

Because *amici* relied upon this error on multiple occasions in footnote 82, they no longer believe it will be helpful to the court and respectfully file this errata withdrawing footnote 82.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Daniel J. Walker Daniel J. Walker

All Counsel (via ECF only) cc: