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The Honorable Catherine Szpindor
Chief Administrative Officer
U.S. House of Representatives
Room HB-28, The Capitol
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Ms. Szpindor:

I have been informed that Members of Congress will continue receiving their salary despite the current federal government shutdown. Members of Congress should be treated just like all other federal workers and servicemembers forced to go without a paycheck.

Please withhold my pay until an agreement to reopen the government is signed into law.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ami Bera".

Ami Bera, M.D.
Member of Congress