

United States Senate
WASHINGTON, DC 20510

September 25, 2012

The Honorable Janet Napolitano
Secretary
Department of Homeland Security
Washington, DC 20393

Dear Secretary Napolitano:

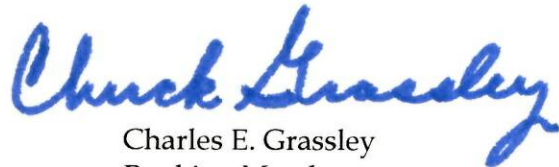
On August 6, 2012, you received a letter from us that posed several questions regarding your Department's apparent waiver of the legal requirement that those seeking citizenship and residency in the United States not be welfare reliant.

Your failure to respond to our oversight request is deeply troubling, and suggests that your Department is attempting to conceal information from the American people. We request that you provide us with all data requested by October 1, and stress the importance of responding to every item in the letter, and of breaking down the data in questions 2, 3, and 4 for each year, including total applications received. Congress and the American people have the right to a serious, prompt, and complete response to our questions.

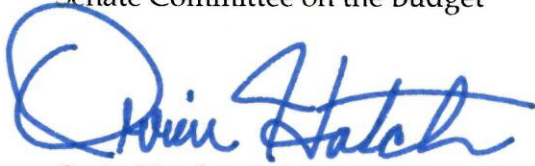
Sincerely,



Jeff Sessions
Ranking Member
Senate Committee on the Budget



Charles E. Grassley
Ranking Member
Senate Committee on the Judiciary



Orrin Hatch
Ranking Member
Senate Committee on Finance



Pat Roberts
Ranking Member
Senate Committee on Agriculture,
Nutrition and Forestry