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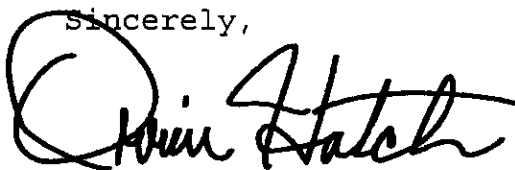
Dear Tim:

I would appreciate your help in correcting a mistake I made on your show last Sunday, April 1, 2007.

My comments about Carol Lam's record as a U.S. Attorney were accurate, but I misspoke when making the point of discussing politically connected U.S. Attorneys. I accidentally used her name, instead of her predecessor, Alan Bersin, who was appointed by President Bill Clinton.

I sincerely regret making this error, and I wanted to make sure that you and your viewers had the correct information.

Sincerely,



Orrin G. Hatch
United States Senator

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