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June 13, 2013

Mr. Miguel Rodriguez
Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs
The White House
West Wing
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20502

Dear Mr. Rodriguez:

I write to you today to request that your office please review the attached letter from a constituent organization: Korean American Civic Empowerment (KACE). KACE would like to bring issues related to the "Comfort Women" to the Administration's attention.

As you know, the "Comfort Women" were women who were entered into forced prostitution before and during World War II. Often, the women were lured under false pretenses of factory or nursing jobs. Recently, some prominent Japanese officials have come out denying these atrocities. It is vital that the United States maintain a leadership role on this matter to ensure that the Comfort Women's stories are not rewritten in our history.

I encourage you to please review the attached materials and I look forward to hearing the Administration's views on the issue. As always, if I can provide any additional insight please do not hesitate to contact my Washington, DC office at (202) 225-5751.

Sincerely,

Bill Pascrell, Jr.
Member of Congress