Thank you, Madam Chair.

I want to kind of follow up on this. So I hear that you are frustrated,

and you can imagine that we are frustrated. And the American

people are frustrated, and the world I think community is

frustrated.

So let me ask you this. Because a lot of times what happens is

we are told that we are using the best of the ability under law to

do what we can do and we are kind of hamstrung and those types

of things. But when people like me ask—and I am going to ask you

again—what do you need from the Congress to be successful so you

are not frustrated with yourself and everything else that is happening

in the State Department, then we hear that, well, we don’t

hear any concrete steps that you are asking the Congress to do.

So, you know, what tools do you need to really have an impact

with Iran?

So you would rather us be part of an organization

that works against our own interests at times?

So that is our answer? More Internet tools?

With all due respect, with all due respect—excuse me,

please. With all due respect, I am not sure with those comments

that I have got a lot of confidence that the threat is being taken

seriously enough.

You know, we now have recently seen Iran coming through Mexico

and a plot here in the United States. And when I start talking

about whether or not the cartels in Mexico are an insurgency,

using terrorist activities, typically from government witnesses we

hear, oh, I wouldn’t really say that, or—although to Brownfield’s

credit, he would agree, and he has agreed. But most just kind of,

oh, I wouldn’t go that far.

So it almost appears that we are afraid to really go after in what

is in our interest. So turning everything over to the U.N. and then

sitting here and saying we need more social networking as the answer

leads me to believe that—I don’t know—either you don’t understand

the seriousness of what is happening or you are so—you

are unable to articulate to this committee what it is that you really

need because it may not fit in what the administration has decided

it wants to do. That is the frustration.

Again, with all due respect, this is double-talk. You

have done great. We have eaten up 5 minutes. But I have heard

nothing about what it is that you are suggesting that we need

other than more social networking. And that is frightening. It is

frightening to think that your position is—and the position of our

Government is—it appears so inadequate and not really understanding

what the threat is.

Anyway, my time has expired. And, Madam Chair, I appreciate

the time. Thank you.