April 12, 2025 Eric Babson 1094 Cragmont Avenue Berkeley CA, 94708

Dear Ms Simon:

I am concerned about the coup.

Monday's shadow congressional hearing on the President's attacks against the rule of law was very welcome. The Republicans have almost completely abdicated legislative power to the President with Representative Swalwell even suggesting that some of their unity is out of fear for personal and family safety. Official hearings on the Congressional web sites have nothing to do with the ongoing destruction. Running a British style shadow government would help remind us of the importance of regaining control of our country and keep us from despairing as one institution and human right after another is ransacked.

Please assure me that you will keep pushing back. My pride in the US derives in part from the rule of law.

Sincerely,

Eric Babson