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Subject: **The far more serious problem of "knowingly false, corruption-abetting, election-rigging journalism", NOT identified by your column "The Cost of Arrogance: NPR's Undoing is a Cautionary Tale for the Media" (The Hill, May 3, 2025)**
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Dear Professor Turley –

Your excellent column "[The Cost of Arrogance: NPR's Undoing is a Cautionary Tale for the Media](#)", published by [The Hill](#), does NOT identify the far more serious problem of "*knowingly false, corruption-abetting, election-rigging journalism*", documentarily-established as to NPR, PBS, and other media by my above-attached February 18, 2025 letter to House DOGE Subcommittee Chair Marjorie Taylor Greene and FCC Chair Brandan Carr entitled "Defunding NPR, PBS – & Firing the CPB's Inspector General, for starters".

Since April 1st, I have sent you the [February 18th letter](#) four times for your commentary and scholarship, [here](#), [here](#), [here](#), and [here](#), but have received no response.

I know you are busy, but have you read the letter? What does it say about the future of our democracy and American journalism, about which you will be speaking tomorrow at the Library of Congress as keynote speaker for the [second annual awards ceremony](#) of the [Center for Integrity in News Reporting](#) – that notwithstanding I sent the letter to a wide-swath of news media and journalists, accompanied by primary-source, documentary evidence establishing "Fraud & Posturing by ALL sides..." at the March 26th House DOGE Subcommittee Committee, there has been ZERO reporting about it, to date.

What is your assessment of the letter – and of my subsequent outreach about it? Will you be bringing them into reporting and scholarship? The series of webpages from which it is all accessible is [here](#).

I would appreciate hearing from you by Thursday, May 8th – including as to whether you will make appropriate referrals, on my behalf, to the Center for Integrity in News Reporting and such other entities as [The Conversation](#), "a nonprofit, independent news organization dedicated [to] unlocking the knowledge of experts for the public good."

Thank you – and happy birthday, tomorrow.

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