

# United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-0908

September 19, 2023

The Honorable Chuck Schumer  
Majority Leader  
United States Senate  
Washington, D.C. 20150

Dear Leader Schumer:

For more than 230 years, the United States Senate has served the American people with honor and dignity. As members of this esteemed body, we understand the seriousness our positions require.

The Senate is a place of honor and tradition, and the Senate floor is where we conduct the business of the American people. It is where we debate the policies which impact every American family and, when necessary, it is where we must make the gravest decision imaginable – whether to send our fellow Americans into battle to defend the freedoms we all hold dear. The world watches us on that floor and we must protect the sanctity of that place at all costs.

Allowing casual clothing on the Senate floor disrespects the institution we serve and the American families we represent. We the undersigned members of the United States Senate write to express our supreme disappointment and resolute disapproval of your recent decision to abandon the Senate's longstanding dress code for members, and urge you to immediately reverse this misguided action

Sincerely,

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John Brown

John Hume

Chuck Grassley

Cathy Niles-Smith

John Kennedy

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