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Special Counsel David Manners-Weber authored an article for *Lawfare* examining how the Supreme Court's 2024 decision in *Trump v. United States* may weaken Congress's ability to investigate the executive branch.

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As the 2026 midterm elections bring renewed attention to congressional oversight, the article considers how the decision could shape future investigations and the alternative sources of constitutional authority that Congress could invoke.

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