

## EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA Nairobi

May 14, 1980

Dear Paul:

I was delighted to learn today that you were named on May 12 to fill the Senate Foreign Relations Committee seat vacated by Secretary of State Muskie. Although the Senate Banking Committee will suffer a real loss in your departure, I think all of us who have come to know and respect your keen interest and deep understanding of international relations are particularly happy that you will be joining the Foreign Relations Committee at this crucial juncture in our foreign relations.

With warmest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Wilbert J. Le Melle

Ambassador

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