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The Honorable Paul Tsongas United States Senate 342 Russell Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Tsongas

I write to thank you most sincerely for sparing the time to see me and my colleague Mr. Ned Bandler on May 22 when we called on you.

Though the visit was brief I found the discussion very illuminating and educative.

It is not often one comes across a busy public man who takes so much interest in the affairs of other nations and I have no doubt that this is one of the many things which make America great. I was particularly impressed by the growing appreciation of the role Nigeria was playing in African affairs in particular and in world affairs in general.

I hope you will in the near future be able to visit Nigeria in order to learn more about the country and its aspiration for the mutual benefit of our two countries.

Once again I thank you and wish you continued success.

Yours sincerely

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