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Dear Senator Tsongas:

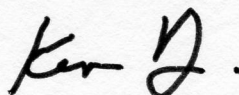
On behalf of the President, I would like to acknowledge and thank you for the June 15 letter which you cosigned with several of your Senate colleagues, expressing your concerns and suggestions for addressing the current situation in Lebanon.

Your comments were brought to the President's direct attention, and we are also sharing your letter with the appropriate officials here. Please be assured that every consideration will be given to the specific points you have raised on this important matter.

Again, thank you for bringing your views to our attention.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,



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The Honorable Paul Tsongas
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