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Honorable Harry S. Truman,

President of the United States, The White House. Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President: Congratulations on your courageous and constructive action putting an end to the unfortunate confusion regarding our foreign policy by requesting the resignation of Secretary Wallace, thus forcefully reaffirming your 100% approval and support of Secretary of State Byrnes PERIOD It came at a most critical and opportune time and ranks easily as one of the most important and far-reaching decisions of your administration PARACRAPH

Nothing which has transpired in a long time -- nothing, perhaps, since the bold and aggressive steps of Mr. Roosevelt in those first dramatic days of his administration in 1933 -- has so stirred and inspired the people of this section as has your assertion of authority and leadership on this occasion PARACRAPH

It was not an easy thing to do, I am sure, either from the standpoint of political considerations or personal relationships -- but the fact that it was difficult makes it all the more commendable. And, having decided on a course, the dignity with which the decision was executed and announced also was most commendable and befitting one in your high station PARAGRAPH

I appreciate the fact that you are functioning in troublous times and under difficult conditions, but despite these drawbacks you are doing a good fob. You undoubtedly have pressure exerted on you from all sides and the advise you receive often is conflicting and contradictory. But this is inescapable and your decisive action today

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demonstrates conclusively that you possess both the patience to hear all angles of an issue and the courage to act as your heart and conscience dictate. It is this type of aggressive leadership which not only America but the world needs today. Again, congratulations on a grand job well done.

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