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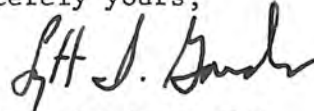
Mr. Ivan Allen, Mayor
City of Atlanta
City Hall
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Mr. Allen:

I just wanted to express to you my deep admiration for the statement which you made before the Senate Commerce Committee on July 26, 1963. In the midst of all the turmoil and desolation of the present civil rights struggle, your expression of conscience stands out like a beacon in the night. I know whereof I speak. I was born, raised and educated in North Carolina and my grandfather was a first lieutenant in the 38th Virginia Infantry.

Georgia can be proud of you.

Sincerely yours,



Lytt I. Gardner, M.D.
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