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College of Liberal Arts Department of German

> Mayor Ivan Allan, Jr. Atlanta, Ga.

Dear Sir:

Your testimony before the Senate Commerce Committee as reported in the Saturday issue of the New York Times was the most heartening piece of news in this sorry controversy.

Your forthright stand and clear logic gives real encouragement to all who wish to see all Americans enjoying those basic political and human rights that most of us in this good land take for granted.

A good deed done or a courageous stand taken carry their own rewards, but may you also be assured that many in this community - and all over the land - share my whole-hearted approval and admiration for your stand and the way you said what you did.

Sincerely yours,

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