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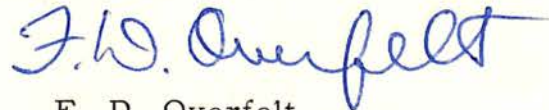
Mr. Ivan Allen, Jr.
Mayor of Atlanta
Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Mr. Allen:

Please permit me to compliment you upon your excellent statement before one of the Congressional Committees last week. It took a lot of courage to make this forthright and logical statement. I believe your statement will materially improve the chances for passage of the anti-segregation legislation.

May I wish you continued success in your excellent administration of one of our most forward-looking cities in the United States.

Sincerely yours,



F. D. Overfelt
Assistant Vice President