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Honorable Ivan Allen, Mayor City of Atlanta City Hall Atlanta, Georgia

Dear Sir:

I watched WSB Television last night, during the 11:00 news, and saw you and heard the statement made regarding the Democratic Gubernatorial Primary. I congratulate you on your courageous stand and your outspoken decisive comments.

Men of good will in Georgia now find themselves with no place to go. There is no moral leadership that we can turn to. It would be most interesting to know your views with regard to this difficult situation.

Once again, be assured that there are many of your constituents who take great pride in your courageous stands.

With every best wish, I am,

Yours very truly,

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Leonard D. Aronson

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