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August 24, 1967

Mrs. Velma McEwen Strode  
Local Government Liaison Officer  
U. S. Department of Justice  
Community Relations Service  
Washington, D. C. 20530

Dear Mrs. Strode:

Thank you very much for your letter of August 22nd regarding your recent visit to Atlanta.

I am sorry I was not in the city and missed the opportunity of meeting you. I am most grateful for the generous comments you made about Atlanta's Community Relations Commission and its staff.

I certainly appreciate your offer of assistance and wish to assure you that we are most grateful for your assistance.

Sincerely yours,

Ivan Allen, Jr.  
Mayor

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CC: Mrs. Eliza Paschall

Mr. Irving Kaler