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Vice President and Mrs. Albert Gore, Jr. Old Executive Office Building Washington, D.C. 20501

Dear Vice President and Mrs. Gore:

Just a brief letter to tell you that your acceptance speech was excellent and superb. My wife is an American originally from Englewood, New Jersey, and I am from Madras, South India. Our two daughters have American citizenship, so our family will be voting for you.

I was formerly a Federal Senator in India's Parliament (elected member of the Upper House) and later Union Minister of Health and Family Planning in Mrs. Indira Gandhi's administration. Until recently I was Vice-Chancellor and President of a South Indian university.

Many fellow Indians in this part of the country who have become citizens will be voting for you in La Jolla and San Diego. And certainly all our friends!

I hope sometime when the election is over and you are President, you and your family will have a chance to look into my Abortion book. I was largely responsible for the Medical Termination of Pregnancy Act in India. Today all Indian women can have an abortion at the tax payer's expense in safe private or government hospitals and clinics.

With our prayers for your entry into the White House as President and our sincere appreciation for the great person you are.

Sincerely yours,

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Ann and Sripati Chandrasekhar