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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE RICHARD E. NEAL

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OF SINN FEIN, MR. GERRY ADAMS TO DISCUSS THE
EFFORTS TO ADVANCE PEACE, JUSTICE AND
RECONCILIATION IN NORTHERN IRELAND

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**Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515**

September 28, 1994

The Honorable William J. Clinton
President of the United States
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President,

In our continuing efforts to advance the cause of peace, justice and reconciliation in Northern Ireland, we strongly encourage you and Vice President Al Gore to meet with the President of Sinn Fein, Mr. Gerry Adams, when he arrives in Washington, D.C., on Monday, October 3, 1994.

Strife and violence within Northern Ireland have existed since the partition of the island in 1921. With the complete cessation of hostilities announced by the Irish Republican Army on August 31st, the prospects for peace in this dispute are now at their most promising stage.

We believe the historic opportunity that now exists in Northern Ireland should not be squandered, and that a meeting with Mr. Adams would send an important signal to the people of Ireland that the United States is committed to facilitating a process that results in lasting peace.

We commend the courage and leadership you have demonstrated on this important issue, and we look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

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