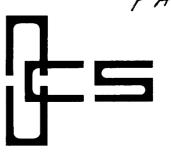
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May 7, 1975

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

Monsignor Zerfas and I are indeed grateful for having had the opportunity of meeting with you on Monday, April 28, 1975. It is especially gratifying to know that you would take time from your exceedingly busy schedule to discuss matters of education on a day when your attention and leadership were so vital in matters of worldwide importance. I want to commend you on the manner in which you handled the final action taken in Vietnam.

It is gratifying to know of your continued interest and concern for issues related to nonpublic education. Those who are working for the welfare of good nonpublic education realize the importance of the support of the Administration in meeting their objectives. It is our sincere hope that the good working relationships that have been established will continue. You may be assured that I will be pleased to be of service to your administration in whatever way possible.

It is my prayer that God will continue to bless you in every way as you are called upon to administer the affairs of the President of the great United States.

Sincerely,

Ivan E. Zylstra, Administrator School and Government Relations