Dear Jerry:

It was most encouraging to learn of your forceful expression of support for the peace proposals I presented to the Nation this past Monday evening. Acceptance of these proposals, I believe, will bring an end to the killing, a return of our prisoners of war, a withdrawal of all forces with honor, and continued progress toward peace for all countries that have suffered for so long in this conflict.

I want you to know that you have my deepest gratitude and warmest appreciation for your support of these objectives.

Sincerely,

Honorable Gerald R. Ford
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House Minority Leader
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