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The Honorable Nancy Pelosi  
Speaker of the House  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, DC 20515

JUN 07 2021

Dear Madam Speaker:

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Sincerely yours,

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Louis Lauter  
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United States Senate  
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