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The Honorable
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Dear Tom:

It certainly was good having seen you here in Washington again recently. Please stop by any time you have the opportunity.

Thanks very much for your recent letter, Tom, with reference to H. R. 3755 and H. R. 809, before our Energy Subcommittee. Needless to say, I am bringing this to the attention of Charles Curtis, Counsel on our Professional Staff.

With very best wishes and kind personal regards to you and yours, I am

Sincerely yours,

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Dear Harley

First, my thanks for the nice and helpful visit with you a few days ago.

You will recall Mr. Curtis, Counsel for your Energy Sub-committee, advised you via telephone while I was in the office that the Gas bill pending in the Senate Commerce Committee was not pending before your Committee. I did find however that there are two bills, H. R. 3755 and H. R. 809 before your Energy Subcommittee that propose to establish priorities for the allocation of Natural Gas in the manufacturing of agricultural fertilizers.

One or both of these measures might be of tremendous benefit to those good farmers out in your state as well as mine down here - in fact to farmers throughout the nation.

Would appreciate your having your legislative assistant take a look at these and advise with you as to their purpose and benefit.

It was most kind of you to see and talk with me the other day. I miss being in Washington and across the hall from you but I am, indeed, very happy in retirement and down here with these people who have been so good to me.

Kindest regards.

Cordially


Thomas G. Abernethy, SR

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