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Dear Mr. Stohr,

I am writing to express on behalf of the Air Transport Bureau the deepest condolences to you and through you to all the American people. The astronauts' death was a tragic loss and we can hardly find the words to describe it. These seven courageous men and women were amongst the pioneers who venture to discover the unknown. Being a citizen of the country which also has had its people perish conquering the space, I am sharing with you the sorrow of this sad moment.

Yours sincerely,

V. Zubkov

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