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UNITED STATES AND MEXICO
EL PASO, TEXAS



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Dear John:

This is not to tell you farewell, by any means. On the contrary, we greet you as you enter upon yet another phase of your distinguished career. Your Government, we understand, is officially, albeit reluctantly, according you a well-deserved retirement. But you must be under no illusions that you will be permitted to withdraw to the armchair and carpet slippers - even if that were your desire. Your services are far too valuable for that!

So, with all good wishes, we'll be seeing you.

Very sincerely,

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