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Dear Mr. Ambassador:

Welcome to the North American continent. It is clear from news reports that you have already received warm greetings in your new post, and I would like to add my own.

I will always retain vivid memories of my forty-nine hours in Peking and the graceful hospitality with which my colleagues and I were received.

Please feel free to call upon me whenever you believe I can be of assistance, whether it be to clarify events or provide you with government publications (unclassified, of course!).

I thought it might be useful for you to have my telephone numbers at which you could reach me quickly if some urgent matter required it. The White House switchboard always knows my whereabouts and its number is Area Code 202, 456-1414; my direct office number is 456-2235. Alternatively, you could also contact Winston Lord of my staff whom you met in Peking, either via the White House switchboard or at his home, 363-8221.

Best regards,


Henry A. Kissinger

**His Excellency
The Honorable Huang Hua
The Ambassador of the People's Republic of China
Ottawa**

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