

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-4204

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The President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

I had a fight with my staff as to whether I should smoke the cigar or keep it as a memento from the President. We compromised. I am keeping the tube it came in.

Also, the speech probably would not have seemed so long to some of us if you hadn't been putting the wood to us so effectively.

Sincerely,



Fred Thompson
United States Senator

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