United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

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Dear Bob:

Thank you very much for your wonderfully gracious and heartwarming words about my length of service for the State of New York in the Senate.

May 4th was a very happy day for me and for my family, and a very historic one for us too. It was enhanced greatly by your gracious words joining in the sentiment of the day.

I have always considered the past as prologue, as it says over the entrance to the National Archives; so I will hope in whatever I may be doing always to justify the confidence you have expressed in me.

With warm regards and many thanks,

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Honorable Robert Dole United States Senate Washington, D.C. 20510