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We are prepared to follow-up on the 184 Harvard Street or any other appropriate course of action in any way you request.

Sincerely yours,

Joseph F. Tulimieri  
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In City Council,  
June 13, 1977

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