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Ms. D. Margaret Drury
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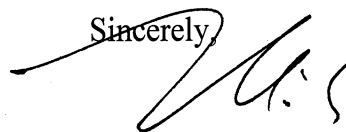
Dear Ms. Drury:

Thank you for sending me the copies of resolutions adopted by the Cambridge City Council urging Congress to enact a Hate Crimes Prevention Act and support for an amendment to HUD regulations allowing for a residency preference in expiring use buildings.

I support both of these measures and will work to see that they are enacted. In fact, I am currently working with my House colleagues to draft a stronger Hate Crimes Act for 1999. On the expiring use issue, I support residency preference but I believe the issue is much more complicated than residency preference. I will work to enact laws that will allow for the preservation of expiring use housing and will benefit all cities and towns.

If I can be of any further assistance, please contact my office at (617) 621-6208.

Sincerely,



Michael E. Capuano
Member of Congress
8th Massachusetts

Consent Communication #6

S-1023

A communication was received from Michael E. Capuano, House of Representatives, transmitting thanks for resolution urging Congress to enact a Hate Crimes Prevention Act and support for an amendment to HUD regulations allowing for a residency preference in expiring use buildings.

In City Council February 28, 1999

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