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Department of State

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Very respectfully

Yours

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[The following is written at the bottom of the letter, directly following the last line written by Buchanan:

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