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Congressman George Crockett  
House Foreign Affairs Committee  
2170 Rayburn House Office Bldg.  
Washington, D.C. 20515

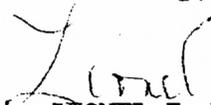
Dear Congressman Crockett,

I support the original D'Amato-Moynihan amendment and oppose the preemption of local anti-apartheid measures.

States and localities should be permitted to apply their laws to federally financed contracts as long as any resulting increase in cost is paid by local government.

I believe that the citizens who secured local anti-apartheid laws did not intend for their initiatives to be undermined by the adoption of federal anti-apartheid legislation.

Sincerely,

  
LIONEL J. WILSON  
Mayor

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Response