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Mr. Roger L. Mozingo Vice President, State Government Relations R.J. Reynolds Tobacco Company 401 North Main Street Winston-Salem, NC 27102

Dear Roger:

Many thanks for your help on fending off the attempted ban on smoking in restaurants in La Quinta, California. There is no doubt in my mind that we had lost this battle prior to the good work accomplished by you and the other parties who took action.

You are aware that the ban was abandoned by the City Council and a more reasonable smoking ordinance passed that also excluded private functions. Without your effort and those of others, this would have not happened. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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-Kurt L. Malmgren

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cc: Samuel D. Chilcote, Jr. George R. Minshew Bob G. Pruett