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Dear Friends:

Thank you for your invitation to speak at the July 17 rally on behalf of the Korean Church Coalition for North Korean Freedom. I share your concern for security in the region and the human rights situation of North Koreans currently in North Korea and China.

I am extremely troubled by the brutality of the North Korean regime to suppress the most fundamental of rights such as the freedom of religion, expression, and assembly. The systematic repression of such liberties in nations such as North Korea is inexcusable, and that is why I continue to speak out about human rights abuses around the world.

I am pleased to inform you that I have drafted a letter to President Hu of China, calling on him to work with the international community to humanely stop the repatriation of North Korean asylum seekers before the 2008 Beijing Olympics. The letter is being circulated to other Members of Congress for additional signatures and will be sent in the near future.

Thank you again for your invitation. Rest assured, I will continue to monitor the serious situation in North Korea.

Sincerely,

Frank R. Wolf
Member of Congress

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