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Washington, D.C. 20515

July 13, 2008

Korean Church Coalition for North Korea Freedom  
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Dear Friends:

I write to offer my strong support to all those gathered for the Korean Church Coalition (KCC) conference regarding human rights violations in North Korea and China.

Since 2004, KCC has rapidly grown to include over three thousand Korean-American pastors and millions of their congregation in its membership. Through its tireless efforts, KCC has successfully raised global awareness of the plight of North Koreans in China and North Korea. KCC's commitment to human rights and change through non-violent means is a source of inspiration and strength for us all.

I commend KCC for its vigilance and perseverance in making a difference in the lives of those who have been denied the most basic of human rights. Best wishes in your efforts to organize successful conferences throughout the country.

Sincerely,

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Gary L. Ackerman  
Member of Congress

LAMAR ALEXANDER  
TENNESSEE

# United States Senate

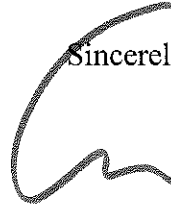
WASHINGTON, DC 20510

July 7, 2008

Dear Friends,

It is a pleasure to welcome you to Tennessee for one of your prayer conferences. I commend you on your devotion to assisting your fellow Koreans, and I send my very best wishes for a successful conference. I hope you have the opportunity to enjoy some of the sights and sounds of the Memphis area.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'L. Alexander', written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

Korean Church Coalition  
Attention: Mr. Sam Kim  
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SENATOR ROBERT MENENDEZ

UNITED STATES SENATE  
NEW JERSEY

July 20, 2008

Mr. Sam Kim  
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Dear Friends:

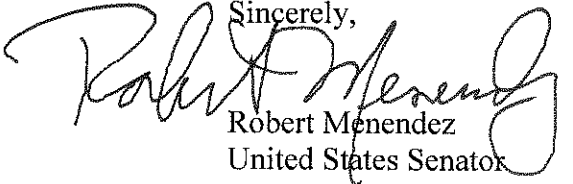
I am sorry I could not be with you today as you hold your Prayer Vigil in Hackensack, New Jersey to speak out against the treatment of North Korean Refugees within China and against the forcible repatriation of North Koreans who have fled a repressive regime, seeking protection in China with refugee status.

The "Let My People Go" campaign of the Korean Church Coalition is one of many initiatives that are linking China's poor humanitarian record around the world with the 2008 Beijing Olympics in order to pressure the Chinese Government to make important changes in international and domestic policy. Whether it is in Sudan, Tibet or within China's own borders, the Chinese Government needs to do much more to ensure human rights if they wish to be held in high esteem around the world.

Several months ago, I sent a letter to President Bush with Senators Clinton and Byrd, urging the President to forego attendance at the opening ceremonies of the Olympic Games because of China's recent treatment of Tibetan protesters and its insufficient action regarding the genocide in Darfur. There is great concern that the Olympics is touting China's grand entrance on to the world stage without living up to its obligation to basic human rights.

The outcry against the transgressions is building. We must not let it die down, not when the flame itself goes out this summer at the end of the games, and not until human rights violations come to an end. We must continue to raise our voices to ensure that human rights are accorded to everyone. We must ensure that North Koreans who flee an oppressive government, can safely be resettled in China and elsewhere around the globe, so that they can live in freedom and with the dignity they deserve.

Sincerely,



Robert Menendez  
United States Senator