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President Obama
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, DC 20500

Dear President Obama:

The churches that make up the National Council of Churches have long supported a review of the judicial proceedings that led to the sentencing (we believe unjust) of the so-called “Cuban Five.” And we have supported the granting of visas to their wives so that they may, at least, visit their imprisoned husbands.

With this in mind, we forward to you the enclosed letter, signed by colleagues in Cuba, with a prayer that you will take their plea to heart.

Thank you for hearing this request. May God richly bless your leadership in the days ahead.

Sincerely,

Michael Kinnamon
General Secretary

Archbishop Vicken Aykazian
President