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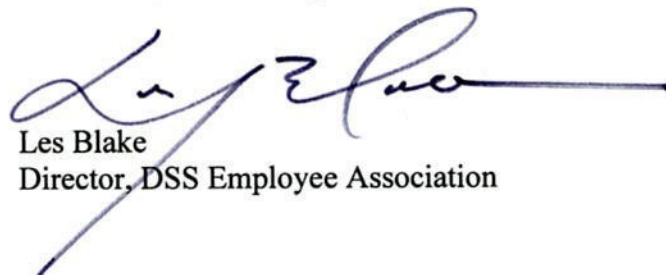
Mr. John B. Harlow II
Executive Director
Freedom Calls Foundation
152 Montague Street, Suite 7
Brooklyn Heights, New York 11201

Dear Mr. Harlow:

In 1980 employees of the Defense Security Service (DSS) established a voluntary Association within our agency for the specific purpose of providing immediate cash death benefits to survivors/beneficiaries of DSS personnel. For over two decades the DSS Employee Association has assisted many DSS family members, to include the families of our five colleagues lost during the Oklahoma City bombing in April 1995.

As a result of a current reorganization of the agency which involves the mass transfer of most of the Association members to another instrumentality of the U.S. Government, the Association must now be dissolved. As a result of dissolution, the active members of the Association voted to donate the remaining funds of the Association to a single charitable organization. Because of the outstanding communication services Freedom Calls Foundation is providing free of charge to our military members in Southwest Asia, your Foundation was selected as the recipient of our Associations donation.

On behalf of the members of the DSS Employee Association and its Board of Directors we thank Freedom Calls Foundation for all you have done for our servicemembers and their families and wish you continued success in your much appreciated mission.

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Les Blake
Director, DSS Employee Association