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Via Fax: «Fax»

On behalf of American International Group, I am writing to urge your support for Permanent Normal Trade Relations (PNTR) between the United States and Vietnam as part of that country's accession to the World Trade Organization (WTO). PNTR would represent a historic milestone in trade relations between our countries. It signifies Vietnam's commitment to meaningful reforms of their markets, which would benefit U.S. companies, workers and consumers.

Our commitment to the country dates back to the 1920's. We have always believed in the business potential of Vietnam and have led efforts to normalize political and economic relations between our nations. In 1993 we opened a representative office in Hanoi. AIG then was granted a composite license to operate in Vietnam. For over a decade, we worked closely with the Vietnamese government and financial institutions on economic reforms, which have played an important part in Vietnam's growing economy and its integration in the global marketplace.

AIG urges your timely approval of PNTR status for Vietnam. We look forward to working with you on this important goal.

Sincerely,



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