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The Speaker's Rooms
United States House of Representatives
Washington, D. C. 20515

July 10, 1980

Dear Taoiseach:

I am pleased that Sean Donlon is continuing in his post here in Washington. He is an extremely able representative of Ireland in the United States.

In addition, I compliment you on the strong leadership you have shown on the question of Northern Ireland. You certainly have been successful at making the British seriously deal with the problem and its Irish dimension.

I support your efforts to end the violence in Northern Ireland and I am always available to lend a hand to help bring peace and unity to your beautiful country.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr.
The Speaker

His Excellency
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A handwritten note in dark ink that reads "Best Wishes" on the first line and "Tip" on the second line, with a small dot above the 'i' in "Tip".

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