



April 4, 2000

Mr. Nelson Marin  
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Hotel Europe & Regina  
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Dear Mr. Marin:

I would like to express my sincere gratitude for your help during Secretary of State Madeleine K. Albright's visit to Venice, March 18-19, 2000.

As you are well aware, such an important visit cannot succeed without excellent security coordination and thorough preparation. You and your staff were always helpful, always professional, and always patient during Secretary Albright's visit. She was delighted with her stay at your hotel, and a large part of the credit belongs to you.

Again, please accept my heartfelt thanks. I wish you continued success in the future.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Thomas M. Foglietta". The signature is stylized with a large initial "T" and "F".

Thomas M. Foglietta  
Ambassador