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Dear Don:

Attached is a letter of resignation from Mr. Benjamin V. Cohen in his capacity as United States Representative to the General Assembly. This letter has been held by the Department pending consideration of the question as to whether or not resignations of all delegates and representatives should be requested.

In view of my discussion with you and Assistant Secretary Rusk on this subject, it has been agreed that we will not submit a request to all such representatives but it is fully understood that any one that may be wanted can be requested at the appropriate time.

Mr. Cohen's resignation is submitted to you so that it can be held in your office. I am sure you will agree that it should not be accepted now and I do not believe an acknowledgment is necessary.

Sincerely yours,

*Jack*  
John E. Feurifoy x20

Attachment:  
Letter from Mr. Cohen.



The Honorable  
Donald Dawson,  
The White House.

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