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Dennis J. Schnur Chairman of the Board Federal Drug Agents Foundation 380 North Broadway, 2nd Floor Jericho, New York 11753

Dear Mr. Schnur:

I am writing to acknowledge your generous gift of to the family of slain Special Agent Thomas Byrne. With your assistance, the Byrne Family is making positive strides in recovering from this unfortunate event.

Please know that in the aftermath of this personal tragedy, the men and women of the DEA take great comfort in having the Federal Drug Agents Foundation as a steadfast partner that is always willing to assist us through difficult times. On behalf of DEA and the Byrne Family, thank you for being there for us.

I am genuinely grateful for the caring and support demonstrated by your organization, and look forward to our continued association in the future.

John P. Gilbride

Special Agent in Charge