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United States Senate
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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Mr. Rufus Mayfield
Pride Inc.
941 North Capitol Street N.W.
Washington D. C.

Dear Mr. Mayfield:

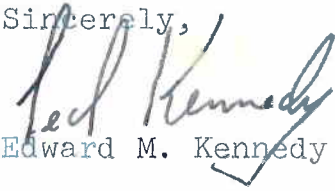
I want to express my sincere appreciation to you for testifying before the Senate Judiciary Committee on the Anti-Riot bill.

The testimony this week gave us new insights and an appreciation of the scope of the problem of Urban tension that had been completely lacking in the prior testimony. It is my strong belief that your testimony and that of the other witnesses this week will constitute an extremely useful and exciting source of material not only for the Committee and the Senate but to all who will read the transcript when it is printed.

Again, my heartfelt thanks for your assistance.

Best wishes,

Sincerely,


Edward M. Kennedy