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Dear Friends,

It has been more than 20 years since the Chinese Communist Party (CCP) first began their systematic crackdown on Falun Gong, subjecting its practitioners to criminal penalties, torture, arbitrary detention, and involuntary organ harvesting.

Like you, I am deeply disturbed by Beijing's decades-long record of persecution of Falun Gong practitioners. And the CCP's campaign of coercion and repression has not stopped with Falun Gong. It has expanded in recent years to include Uighurs, Tibetan Buddhists, Christians, artists, journalists, political dissidents, and their loved ones.

Beijing has also expanded its reign of terror through the adoption of policies like the so-called "Anti-Secession Law" and the "National Security Law," which have been weaponized to violently suppress peaceful democracy supporters in Hong Kong and pursue an escalating campaign of intimidation against the 23 million people of Taiwan.

Americans and other friends of freedom around the world stand shoulder to shoulder with those who seek to chart their own democratic future, speak their mind, and worship as they choose without fear of penalty or retribution.

I join you today in calling for an end to human rights abuses and repression in China.

Warm regards,

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