

The Honorable [Ambassador's Full Name]
The Ambassador of the United States of America
The Embassy of [Country Name]
[Embassy Address]

Dear Honorable Ambassador [Name],

On behalf of [Organization Name], we extend our appreciation and respect for the United States' leadership in global health across several decades, particularly on tuberculosis (TB). U.S. investments in TB programs have had a transformative impact here in [Country Name], helping to address the deadly epidemic and strengthen our healthcare systems. These lifesaving programs have been a strategic and virtuous partnership between our nations, and they have reflected our shared values of health, security, and prosperity.

U.S. investments have been catalytic in [Country Name], not only through direct funding for TB screening, treatment, and care, but also by bolstering local leadership and cultivating greater national investment in the TB response. Thanks to this partnership, [mention a specific example of a positive impact such as increase in TB treatment coverage/treatment success rate, advancements in/scale up of diagnostics, or uptake of TPT].

However, the recent stop-work order and now termination of awards brought many of these lifesaving services to a halt. In [Country Name], this has meant [describe impact: e.g. patients unable to access medication, clinics shuttering, delayed diagnoses]. We strongly urge your support for urgently restarting the entire spectrum of TB services, and that they become a centerpiece of U.S. partnership into the future again.

We hope you will advocate for the U.S. to reconsider its walk back from TB and continue to make the world's deadliest infectious disease killer a top priority. In [Country Name], we were actively working on [describe ongoing TB initiatives: e.g. innovative diagnostics, health systems strengthening, or multi-sector partnerships], and sustained U.S. collaboration has been essential in these efforts. We urge you to champion the continuation and expansion of these programs in the global response to end TB.

Thank you for your leadership and partnership which has resulted in tremendous gains in the global fight against TB. We welcome the opportunity to discuss this further and to share accounts of the impact of U.S. support. We will work with you to ensure that these impactful and lifesaving programs are protected moving forward.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

[Name]

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[Organization]

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