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Ambassador (ret.) John L. Loeb, Jr.
Chairman, George Washington Institute for Religious Freedom
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Dear Ambassador Loeb:

Thank you very much for your letter and the work the George Washington Institute does to promote religious freedom. As you know, religious freedom is a key priority of the United States government, and I engage with religious communities in the Czech Republic often to see how the United States Embassy can best support religious freedom and tolerance efforts throughout the country. George Washington's letter is a useful example of how a leader can influence this issue, and I will look for an appropriate opportunity to use it. Thank you again for your letter and this information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A. H. Schapiro".

Andrew H. Schapiro