

THE LORD BLACK OF CROSSHARBOUR

November 21, 2019

The President of the United States,
The White House,
Washington, D.C., U.S.A.

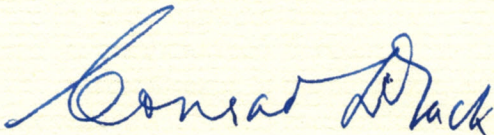
Dear Mr. President,

I knew Rufus Rochelle well when I was a fellow resident of his and can attest to the fact that he is a very popular, scrupulously honest, absolutely non-violent, and to the extent it was necessary, completely reformed personality who could be released today and would be of no possible danger to anyone. He is a generous, affable, intelligent and unfailingly good-humored person, and I cannot recommend him strongly enough for generous treatment. He is the personification of the bureaucratically and accidentally over-penalized person, for offenses he would not have dreamt of committing at any point in the last twenty years or for all time to come. I presume, for the very best reasons, to call once more on your magnanimous nature and your desire for reduction of the excesses and injustices that afflict many targets of the criminal justice system.

I am grateful for any attention that can be given to this most deserving case.

Please accept once more my best and most respectful wishes to you and your family for continued happiness and success in the execution of your great office.

Very sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Lord Black". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial letter.