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Dear Mr Vice President:

I am very concerned by health care access. The US has an very good system of doctors and hospitals. It has long had trouble with access to health care. Medicare, medicaid and the veterans health system have been quite effective, but he private health insurance system has been inefficient, confusing and far from uniform. These lead to more public health emergencies, less worker mobility and higher death rates. Your failed experiment as Governor in Indiana involved limited expansion of health care access. The outside report on the covered Indiana experiment bore out the intermediate effectiveness of the program with those having the lower tier coverage relying more on emergency rooms while the higher tier used more office visits and hence likely more cost effective and prevention focused.

*Please assure me that you will work to increase health care access.*

I am very proud to be a US resident and a large part of that derives from our egalitarian society.

Sincerely,  
Eric Babson