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Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about corruption. The influence peddling of your fixer Mr Cohen is disgraceful. This has included companies with obvious direct interest in buying influence such as AT&T with their merger plans and Novartis with their interest in scuttling your now scuttled promise to allow the government to negotiate drug prices. It has included direct solicitation to Qatar just as you were intervening in Saudi-Qatari relations. The attitude that government should be bought appears to pervade your administration and will further weaken our ability to lead the world or to command respect domestically.

Please assure me that you will prosecute Mr Cohen.

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

Sincerely, Eric Babson