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Dear Mr. Santiago Blanco Jr.,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for the superb support that you have provided to the State Department over the years. The fact that you have evidently always provided this level of service does not lessen the need for recognition of your performance. As you know the service you provide there are many date changes, adjustments in meeting size and other last minute detail revisions that have impacted your operation. I also know that we have imposed many last minute requests for additional services that have always been received and complied with graciously.

The staff of the Diplomatic Reception Rooms deeply appreciates the priority you give to each and every event and recognizes the outstanding, beyond the call of duty performance that you provide us and all users of the Eighth Floor facilities. We look forward to continuing to work with you in the future.

Santiago all the best to you, and all the success that I know will happen to one of the best!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Wileva L. Johnston". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping flourish at the end.

Wileva L Johnston
Manager
Diplomatic Reception Rooms