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Dr. John A. Zapp, Jr., Director
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Dear Dr. Zapp:

Thank you for your recent letter in
regard to H.R. 19172, the "Lead-Based Paint
Elimination Act of 1970."

The Senate Health Subcommittee has worked
closely with the National Paint Varnish and Lacquer
Association to insure that we report a bill that
makes the distinction between painted surfaces that
might prove hazardous to young children and surfaces
which could in no way present such a hazard.

I appreciate your calling my attention
to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Winston Prouty

Winston Prouty
United States Senator

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