Dear . . .

I have your note and do appreciate your comments regarding the resolution to repeal the so-called Connally Amendment. As you know, this was defeated in the Senate Foreign Relations Committee last year and thus did not reach the Senate Floor.

Be assured this will have good attention if it is presented during the present session.

Sincerely,
Dear . . .

The Laws of the Sea Conventions, Executive J thru N, were considered by the Senate on May 26, 1963. At that time all of the Conventions except Executive N were ratified. The matter of the Connally reservation was discussed at some length and it was largely on this basis that the last Convention failed of ratification.

This will have good attention if presented again during the present session.

Sincerely,

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Dear :

I have noted your comments regarding the resolution to repeal the so-called Connally Amendment. As you know, this was defeated in the Senate Foreign Relations Committee during the last session and thus did not reach the Senate Floor.

No action has been scheduled on this proposal as yet in the present session, however, you can be sure it will have good attention if it is ever reported to the Senate.

Sincerely,

Everett McKinley Dirksen