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Ms. Angelina S. Howard
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Dear Ms. Howard,


I would like to express my sincere gratitude to your kind invitation to the annual conference in New Orleans. I am also grateful that Mr. Charles Dugger, Vice President of your organization would speak at the JAIF Annual Conference soon in Tokyo.

I am sorry that it seems very much difficult for myself to participate in the New Orleans conference that will be held in the end of May, because it is just before the General Meeting of our forum. The coming General Meeting will be the essential one in its history for further development and reinforcement. I, however, well understand the importance of the session. I am going to try to look for a person appropriate and dispatch him/her to the conference, if you agree.

I am sorry for taking long to answer your letter. I would also like to ask you to give more time to finally reply to you.

You will become busy toward the conference. I hope you will be in good health and play an active part. I do hope you will give JAIF, especially Ms. Kaoru Kikuyama, further guidance and encouragement in the future.

Sincerely yours,


Kazuhisa Mori

Executive Vice Chairman