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Earl Phillips, Secretary-Treasurer
TWU Local 100
195 Montague Street, 3rd Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11201

Dear Mr. Phillips:

It was a pleasure to meet with you recently to talk about our push to make New York the first state in the nation to adopt a \$15.00 per hour minimum wage. Thank you very much for your time and for joining me and Vice President Biden for our announcement.

Raising the minimum wage will add fairness to our economy and bring dignity and respect to over two million New Yorkers. Our state is strongest when all New Yorkers have the opportunity to succeed, and I thank you, as always, for your partnership, support, and commitment to making New York a leader in protecting its workforce and building stronger communities. I look forward to continuing our work to restore hope and opportunity and build a better future for our residents.

Warmest regards.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "Andrew M. Cuomo", written over a faint, large watermark of the state seal.

ANDREW M. CUOMO

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