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Dear Dr. Pinera:

Thank you very much for sending the materials on your exciting social security reforms in Chile.

Since I wrote you in January I too have accepted a new position, that of Senior Policy Advisor in the Office of Policy Development here at the White House. I do not deal with social security matters myself, but I have forwarded a copy of your letter and materials to John Svahn, who now heads our Social Security Administration, and to my colleague Eric Hemel who works in this area here at the White House.

If there is any chance you might be visiting Washington, I would be delighted to arrange a discussion on this important subject with key people in the Administration. President Reagan is firmly committed to protecting the retirement security of all Americans, and it is important to us that every avenue toward that goal be explored.

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