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Freddie:

Many thanks for your kind note. It is much appreciated.

Best regards,

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Dr. Fauci I just wanted to express my profound appreciation to you for your work during this COVID-19 pandemic. I especially appreciate how you have spent considerable time and capital reaching out to the Black and brown communities. I saw exerts of your snapchat with Will Smith and saw nearly all of your interview on the Breakfast Club. I regret I have to send an email to you re this matter. But this is the day we live in. Minority communities continue to be over-looked in crises and the impact of such crises on their respective communities. For you to be intentional about keeping the minority communities in the loop is commendable, especially since these communities will be absorbing the disproportionate share of the sicknesses and deaths coming from COVID-19.

Thanks for all of what your are doing in keeping the nation informed. Thanks for informing based on the facts, data, and truth.

Take care and "Cover your six."