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Subject: RE: COVID-19 Quarantine

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Thank you for your note and offer to help. I will ask my Staff Assistant, Kim Barasch, to set up a brief call for you to relate your impressions to me.

Best regards,

Tony

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Dear Dr. Fauci,

My name is Ming Lei, a Division Director at the NIGMS. I am writing to you as a private citizen, to thank you for your leadership in yet another public health emergency, and to make myself available to you if you have the time for my in-person observations of the COVID-19 caused quarantine in Hubei Province, China; the evacuation of Americans; and the quarantine in the US.

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As the virus still roams around, and a possibility of causing a pandemic, I want to let you know that I am willing to share with you my direct observations in case such information is of value in the developing of our responses going forward, which you will undoubtedly playing a critical role.

I will send you a reminder through my NIH email account, in case this message is put into the junk mail folder.

Sincerely,