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PITTSBURGH, PA. 15235
JUNE 20, 1983

SENATOR EDWARD L. HOWARD
SENATE OF PA.
MAIN CAPITOL BUILDING
HARRISBURG, PA. 17120

DEAR SENATOR HOWARD,

I UNDERSTAND THERE IS CONSIDERATION
BEING GIVEN TO RAISING THE TAX ON CIGARETTES,
& I WISH TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO
REGISTER MY OPPOSITION.

THIS AGAIN WOULD BE A TAX THAT WILL
HIT HARDEST, THOSE PEOPLE WHO CAN
LEAST AFFORD IT. PEOPLE ON PENSIONS AND
WITHOUT JOBS STILL SMOKE, AND THE FACT
THAT IT MIGHT BE UNHEALTHFUL FOR THEM
IS OF SMALL CONSEQUENCE WHEN THE FUTURE
LOOKS SO DIM.

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SINCERELY,

JJ Brawley

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