My dear Mr. Thorp:

This is in reply to your letter of July 1, 1949, regarding Mr. Alexander E. Lipkin who was loaned by this Commission to the Department of State.

I am glad to learn of the successful completion of Mr. Lipkin's assignment, and of President Tubman's high regard for his abilities.

In accordance with your request, Mr. Lipkin will be available for occasional consultation in connection with the settlement of any remaining disagreements over amendments to Liberia's corporation and maritime codes and international trust company charter.

I have transmitted to Mr. Lipkin your very kind letter of thanks.

Sincerely yours,

Edmond M. Hanrahan Chairman

The Honorable
William L. Thorp
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