September 28, 2000

Mr. Max Loper PO Box 577 Philadelphia, MS 39350

Dear Mr. Loper:

Life is a gift that must be protected. For me, this is not a political issue; it is a matter of saving lives. I have always fought for the people of Mississippi. I have dedicated my life to making our state a better place to live for every Mississippian, including unborn Mississippians. I was proud to receive the endorsement of Mississippi Right to Life in 1995 and again this year. I was also proud to be named the Jackson Area Right to Life Pro Lifer of the Year.

We have worked together over the past four years to make Mississippi abortion laws among the most stringent in the nation. Partial birth abortions are banned in Mississippi, parents of minors seeking an abortion must be notified and we require a waiting period before an abortion can be performed.

I am endorsing Vice President Al Gore for the United States Presidency because I strongly agree with his plans for improving healthcare in the U.S., specifically in rural areas. This issue, as well as, Vice President Gore's plans for education, Social Security and the Patient's Bill of Rights are issues of greatest importance to the people of Mississippi. Vice President Gore knows my stand on abortion, and he is aware that I strongly disagree with his Pro-Choice beliefs.

Very truly yours,

RONNIE MUSGROVE

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