Die, in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution and to inquire if he has any further communications to make to the General Assembly.

We have appointed on the part of the House, Delegates Medairy, Maloney and Muldowney.

By Order of Jacqueline M. Spell, Chief Clerk

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April 12, 1982

The Honorable Benjamin I. Cardin Speaker of the House of Delegates State House Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Mr. Speaker:

I have received the beautiful flowers from the House. I want you to make an announcement, if you will, telling them how much joy the beautiful array of flowers brought me.

I regret, and and shall always regret that my career did not end on a more cheery note. Sometimes these things happen in life. I want the whole house to know that I have enjoyed beyond description my 16 year membership with the wonderful people in the Legislature. There is nothing in the world to equal this experience. I am eternally grateful that the people of Maryland provided me with this great experience. The people in the General Assembly, and especially the members of the robust House of Delegates are unequaled. We have done the best at this level of our service to mankind. Not one of us needs to inquire into this. I am pleased beyond compare to say this and to have been a member of a group which has shown me such wonderful cooperation, love and respect.

It is saddening to know that I must leave and that I shall never return to this uniqueness because it shall never again be provided me.

Be proud of yourselves.

Affectionately, Lena K. Lee Delegate

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At 12:47 o'clock A.M. on motion of Delegate Robertson the House adjourned Sine Die.