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**From:** H <hrod17@clintonemail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, February 18, 2012 9:19 PM  
**To:** 'WellsAG@state.gov'  
**Subject:** Congratulations!

Dear Alice,

I'm so pleased about your next exciting move. And, you're right, we need you at the White House to help plan and execute our Russian strategy post-Putin. We will all miss you in S-land, but are relieved you will not be too far away.

Thanks for all your great work on my behalf. It's been a professional and personal pleasure getting to know you. I wish you the very best in all your future endeavors--H