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Dear Friends:

On behalf of the citizens of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, welcome to historic Fenway Park for the 2011 Cape Cod Baseball League All-Star Game.

As one of the finest amateur leagues in the country, the Cape Cod Baseball League has been a source of entertainment for generations. Many of the most notable and accomplished players in Major League Baseball history got their start on Cape Cod.

As a testament to their true sportsmanship on and off the field, members of each of the ten CCBL teams are active participants in a long-standing commitment to bettering Cape Cod's communities through volunteer work. I am proud and grateful for the role you play enhancing the quality of life in the Commonwealth.

Today's game is dedicated to Christina-Taylor Green, a bright, civically-minded young girl who tragically lost her life in the Arizona shooting earlier this year. I wish to extend a special welcome to her family who are joining us. As we honor Christina, let us not forget her spirit.

Please accept my best wishes for an exciting and well-played game. Congratulations to the players.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Deval Patrick". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "D" and "P".