His Excellency Francis J. Ricciardone, Jr. Ambassador of the United States of America The Embassy of the United States of America 110 Atatürk Blvd., Kavaklidere, 06100 Ankara Turkey

Dear Honorable Ambassador,

September 25, 2013

We are writing concerning our Diversity Visa situation as we are approaching the DV 2013 deadline. First of all, we take the opportunity to send our warmest appreciations for all hard work you have done to help Iranian applicants to receive their visas. We have gone through the whole process (documentations, medical exams, travel expenses and interview) too. Finally After resolving administrative processing and even submitting our passports to embassy for issuing visa, we have been informed that no more visas are available for Iranian applicants.

Obviously this is the most terrible event for us, our children and families. As you better know we spent great expense, time and efforts to reach this stage. Because of unstable economic conditions in our country, we already had to sell our homes and all other assets and living necessities. Some applicants even resigned their jobs and everyone put all of their investments in this way. We are sure that you understand our extremely difficult situation and as the supreme official of the United States government in Turkey, ask you to use your authority and help us in any possible and doable manner to solve this problem.

We would be appreciated your earliest attention regarding to tight deadline of DV 2013 program.

God Bless You and God Bless America.

Iranian Diversity Visa Applicants

Name	Case Number	Signature	Phone	Email