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Dear Mr. Lawn:

Enclosed please find a letter from Carl Eric Olsen, a priest and representative of the Ethiopian Zion Coptic Church. Mr. Olsen has written to this office in the past regarding that church's use of marijuana.

Mr. Olsen raises the exemption of peyote in his letter, as he did in his recent letter to you of June 25, 1985, a copy of which was sent to this office. I am sending this letter for your review, Mr. Lawn, and of course I will appreciate any attention you may give this matter.

With all good wishes, I am

Always sincerely,

Claude Pepper
Member of Congress

Mr. John Lawn
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Enclosure

bcc: Carl Olsen, For your information