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The Transplantation Society Nancy Ascher, MD President

Dear Mr. President and members of the Society:

This is to express and signify our solidarity and condolences upon the passing away of your distinguished member Dr. Thomas E. Starzl. He was very close to our hearts since he was an advisor, collaborator and above all, a friend of Latin American societies, specifically, the Latin American Society of Transplantation, The Pan-American Society of Dialysis and Transplantation, and the current Society of Transplantation of Latin America and the Caribbean.

Dr. Starzl was a frequent visitor of virtually all our countries and a helpful advisor to our membership. Thus, we will miss him as well. His death has been a great loss for your society, as well as for ours, and for other organizations and patients in the world.

This is a testimony of our admiration, recognition and gratitude for everything that he did directly or indirectly for us.

We wanted to share our feelings with you as our own testimony.

Sincerely,

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Francisco González, MD

President

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