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Honorable Herbert H. Lehman  
United States Senator  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Lehman:

As North Carolina has been severely hit by successive hurricane disasters, I am urgently hopeful that as Chairman of the Banking & Currency Committee to study hurricane disaster insurance you will be able to hold one or more hearings in North Carolina.

It is impossible to convey to you the great havoc that presently confronts many sections of Eastern North Carolina. The question of Federal disaster insurance is vital to my State.

I shall be glad to cooperate in any way possible to bring about a helpful field hearing in North Carolina.

With all kind wishes, I am

Cordially yours,

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Sam J. Ervin, Jr.