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**Omar al-Bashir**  
**President of the Sudan**  
**c/o Ambassador to the United States**  
**2210 Massachusetts Ave., N.W,**  
**Washington, D.C. 20008**

**Dear Mr. President:**

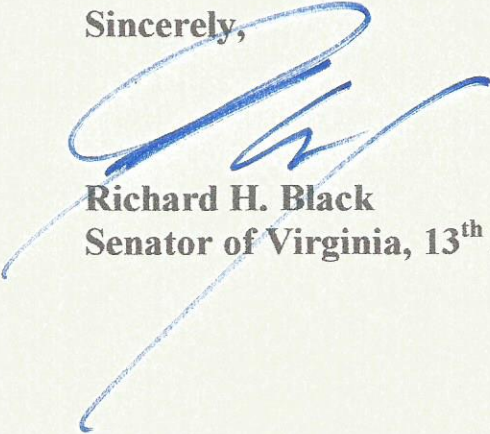
**I seek the release from prison of the heroic Christian woman, Meriam Ibrahim. She was ordered hanged for refusing to renounce Her Savior, Jesus Christ.**

**Mrs. Ibrahim delivered a baby girl while locked in your jail. Meriam's Christian marriage was annulled, she was sentenced to 100 lashes for adultery, and was ordered murdered by a hangman for refusing to renounce Jesus.**

**You have said that it time to turn a page in U.S.-Sudanese relations. That will never happen as long as you follow such barbaric practices.**

**I urge you to release Mrs. Ibrahim and to apologize to all Christians for her vile mistreatment.**

**Sincerely,**



**Richard H. Black**  
**Senator of Virginia, 13<sup>th</sup> District**