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The Honorable John F. Kerry
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U.S. Department of State
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Dear Secretary Kerry,

I wish to extend my sincerest congratulations on your appointment as Special Presidential Envoy for Climate under President Biden.

We, at Total, applaud the United States’ re-entry into the Paris Agreement, and share your vision for tackling the climate change challenge. The time to speed up the energy transition is now, which is why Total’s ambition is to achieve carbon neutrality by 2050 or sooner.

Total has a significant investment presence in the United States, and our business strategy is built around the anticipated market evolutions stemming from the goals of the Paris Agreement. This year, Total is poised to become the number one exporter of U.S. liquified natural gas (LNG), and we are also accelerating our investments in solar power generation and energy storage across the country. Beyond our significant U.S. assets, we are active in over 130 countries. The size, scale and complexity of our global operations are such that Total deeply values the impact of U.S. leadership on the global climate change.

I would welcome the opportunity to exchange perspectives on the energy transition in the coming months. In the meantime, you can be assured of our seriousness of purpose in helping to preserve this world for future generations.

My very best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

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