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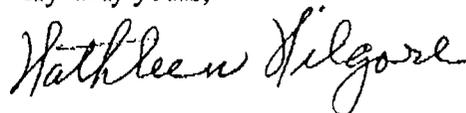
Dear Ms. Hesse:

It appears that the legal problems concerning the Microsoft Corporation never end.

I read with interest, some time ago, the main details of the settlement between Microsoft and the Department of Justice. This settlement sounded like a good basis for resolving this matter and allowing Microsoft to get on with their business of producing products that are needed by the American consumer.

Let's stop dragging this controversy through the courts and use the settlement that was worked out between Microsoft and the Justice Department as a basis for resolving this matter.

Very truly yours,



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