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Mr. Eric Assimakopoulos  
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Dear Eric:

Laura and I enjoyed seeing you in Bratislava. Thank you for your thoughtful gifts and for the warm hospitality that you and your team showed to my delegation. It was a very successful visit.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "GWB", written over the printed name "George W. Bush".

George W. Bush