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Dr. Jaime Benítez
Chancellor
University of Puerto Rico
Rio Piedras, P. R.

Dear Chancellor Benítez:

On Sunday January 20 at 9:30 A.M. there will be a Memorial Ceremony at Inter American University for Dr. and Mrs. John William Harris who founded this institution. At that time their ashes will be interred at "The Steps" where the first academic building was located.

I have the honor to invite you, or someone you may wish to designate, to represent the University of Puerto Rico at this Ceremony and to speak very briefly on behalf of the University on this occasion. The Ceremony will be preceded by an academic procession.

It would be extremely helpful and greatly appreciated if you reply immediately.

Sincerely yours,

Ronald C. Bauer
President

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