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Lawrenceville, NJ 08648
May 6, 2002

Board of Directors
Galatoire's Restaurant
209 Bourbon Street
New Orleans, LA 70130

Dear Sirs:

I am writing this letter with the hope that you will rethink your decision to terminate the services of Gilberto Eyzaguirre.

For the last twenty years or more I have made several trips to New Orleans every year, I have gone to Galatoire's on each trip, and as far back as I can remember Gilbert has been my waiter. From the very beginning I was greatly impressed by his friendliness, his cheerfulness, his helpful advice and the overall expertise he showed in his profession. I consider Gilbert to be the consummate waiter at a time when many in his profession lack his skill and ability. For me and for many of my friends, both in New Jersey and Louisiana, Gilbert's name was synonymous with Galatoire's, and I will certainly never return to your restaurant, as much as I like it, if he is forced to leave.

I do not know your reasons for dismissing him, but I cannot imagine his many positive qualities not outweighing them.

Most sincerely,

Roger D. Brink