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The Management
Galatoire's Restaurant, INC,
209 BOURBON STREET
New Orleans, LA

Gentlemen:

We were quite disturbed to learn that you have seen fit to terminate the employment of Gilbert, who has been our favorite waiter at your establishment over the past several years. We have had family gatherings (dinners) involving several family members at your place several times a year and have come to rely on Gilbert for his friendly and impeccable service and his knowledge of our likes and dislikes in food and drink. He has gotten to be like ~~the~~ ~~a friend~~ an old friend and we will miss him greatly.

We feel sure that you would NOT have retained Gilbert in

your employ for over twenty years had he not provided the same ^{high} level of ability and competence in dealing with all his clients and customers across the board. While we do not know the basis on which you decided to fine him after all these years, we question that his conduct could have been so done as not to deserve your backing and loyalty. Therefore, we request that you reconsider your decision and reinstate Gilbert as a member of your staff. Just as we are requesting that you show loyalty to Gilbert, we hope to remain loyal customers of Galstone's for many years to come.

Sincerely yours,

Bob + Elaine Whitaker