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[To The Honorable (full name)]
House Office Building / Senate Office Building
United States House of Representatives / United States Senate
Washington, DC 20515]

Dear Representative/Senator [insert last name],

My name is [insert], and I am one of your constituents. I am reaching out to you today because of a recent attack that has been committed against Oromo civilians in Agamsa town, in the Horo Guduru Wollega zone of the Oromia region of Ethiopia. As you may be aware, on August 30th, Amhara militias and *Fano*, who have operated with the support of the Amhara regional government, crossed the border into Oromia and began attacking residents of Agamsa town. It's been reported that over 50 people have died in this attack, and that the town was completely destroyed, leaving countless Oromos forcibly displaced. I know that this attack has personally affected members of the US Oromo diaspora communities, many of whom had families in the area who are now missing or dead.

I know that the US government has been calling for the Ethiopian government to take concrete steps towards a peaceful resolution to conflicts in Ethiopia, and has recently condemned attacks against Amhara civilians in Oromia. In my opinion, failure to similarly condemn attacks against Oromos by the US government will only serve to inflame inter-ethnic tensions throughout the country. I believe the US government must not stay silent in response to this attack, and must condemn any actions that undercut calls for peace throughout the country.

I, therefore, respectfully urge you to condemn this recent attack against Oromo civilians in Agamsa town. I also ask that you call on the Ethiopian government to seek peaceful means to address conflicts throughout Ethiopia, and investigate all allegations of human rights violations in the country. Furthermore, I believe you should encourage the UN International Commission of Human Rights Experts on Ethiopia to investigate this attack.

This issue is very important to me, and I thank you for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,

[Your Name, Your Address]