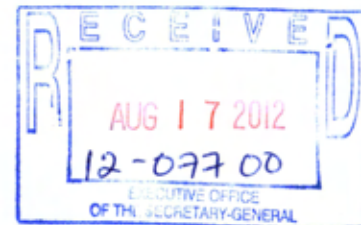


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August 13, 2012

Secretary General Ban Ki-Moon  
United Nations  
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Dear Mr. Secretary General,

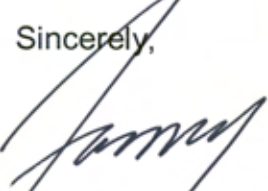
I am pleased to invite you and Mrs. Ban Ki-Moon to our 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary event on Tuesday, October 9, 2012 at the Ethan Allen Hotel in Danbury. Cocktail hour will begin at 6:30 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:30 p.m. 11

Since our company's founding in 1932, we have looked to America's spirit for inspiration and used it as a springboard for creating our unique styles and for shaping our vertically integrated enterprise, which includes everything from manufacturing to retailing. We continue to manufacture about 70% of our products in our North American workshops.

During our special event, we will also celebrate our thousands of skilled craftspeople and interior design professionals because our company's success hinges on their unique talents. I've enclosed our latest Style Book where we tell the stories of some exemplary associates who carry on our legacy of fine craftsmanship, superior service, and distinctive design.

We hope you can be there to share in this milestone celebration with us. Please let us know if you can make it - RSVP to: [jwalker@ethanalleninc.com](mailto:jwalker@ethanalleninc.com)

Sincerely,



M. Farooq Kathwari



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