Introduction

Letter from the Vice President

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Dear Friends:

I am pleased to send my personal greetings to everyone participating in the Cyberspace and the Law Symposium sponsored by St. John's Journal of Legal Commentary. While I regret that I am unable to join you for this important gathering, I do want to extend my best wishes for a successful and productive event.

Advancing technology is bringing the world together in a global community through instantaneous information. As these revolutionary changes continue, the boundaries which long have defined different sectors of the information industry have begun to erode.

In addition, unique legal issues are arising from the growth of the computer-communications technology industry. I am confident that your symposium will provide an opportunity to thoroughly explore and discuss many of these developing issues. You all should be proud for contributing to the growth and development of one of America's most important industries for the 21st Century.

Once again, please accept my best wishes for all of you. You can be assured of my continued confidence in your success in the years to come.

Sincerely,

Al Gore

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