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Elon Musk
Chief Executive Officer
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Dear Mr. Musk:

I write to formally invite Tesla to consider relocating its corporate headquarters and expanding its operations from Texas to the free State of Florida, where innovation, entrepreneurship, and economic freedom are celebrated.

As the former Mayor of Miami-Dade County and now a Member of Congress representing South Florida, I understand firsthand the importance of fostering an environment where businesses can thrive, investments can flourish, and hardworking Americans can succeed.

Your recent remarks about operating free from an oppressive and extractive state government reflect the principles that have made Florida a national leader in economic freedom. With the recent election of self-described Democratic Socialists to positions of power in Texas, I share your concerns about excessive government interference, politically motivated investigations, and policies that punish success. No company should face political retaliation for creating jobs, investing in American innovation, and contributing to our nation's prosperity.

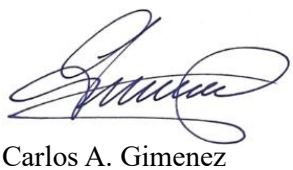
Florida offers a fundamentally different approach. Our state has championed lower taxes, responsible regulation, and the freedom to innovate without unnecessary government intrusion. While others seek to investigate and punish success, Florida welcomes it.

South Florida offers tremendous opportunities for Tesla's continued growth. As a gateway to Latin America and the Caribbean, our region boasts world-class infrastructure, a growing technology sector, and a highly skilled, diverse workforce ready to support Tesla's future.

Your leadership has transformed the automotive and technology industries and demonstrated what American ingenuity can accomplish when entrepreneurs are empowered to succeed. That pioneering spirit is exactly what we embrace in Florida.

I extend this invitation and welcome the opportunity to work with you and our state and local partners to make Florida the future home of Tesla's headquarters and expanded operations. The Sunshine State is open for business, and we stand ready to support the innovators and job creators building America's future.

Sincerely,



Carlos A. Gimenez
Member of Congress