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Well folks, we've passed another checkpoint in the road to freedom. As the months turn to years, I keep reminding myself that this is an endurance event, where expectation management is key.

When I learned how many Americans stood and signed the petition to the White House for my release, I was overwhelmed with emotion, and proud that so many people would do such a thing. I cannot thank you all enough.

Know that I am not discouraged by the recent response from the White House. In fact, it is quite encouraging to see democracy in action. Quite simply, over 120,000 American people petitioned the President of the United States...and the administration responded! Having been a part of that process in and of itself is exciting.

To the American people who signed the petition, and to the people around the world who continue to advocate for my release: Thank You!

I hope that you all will take this as an affirmation that I am not deterred, yet mentally and emotionally prepared for the long fight ahead. With God, my beautiful family, and the loyal people of this Great Republic as my strength, I will *never give up*, and most certainly will *never give in*.

May God bless you all and keep these United States of America strong.

NO COMPROMISES,
