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Dear Ms. Espinel,

As you work to develop a Joint Strategic Plan, I wish to draw your attention to the problems created by current copyright law for preservation and access to historical recordings. Our intellectual property enforcement should not make it any more difficult to preserve and hear our recorded heritage. Please keep in mind that enforcement should concentrate on current, commercially viable intellectual property and not criminalize preservation and access to our recorded heritage. I would direct you to the following website for additional information:

<http://www.recordingcopyright.org/>

Sincerely,

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