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Dear Doug,

On behalf of the scientists, staff and trustees of the Hubbs-SeaWorld Research Institute, I extend our congratulations as you celebrate the San Diego Zoo's centennial.

Zoological parks play a vital role in connecting people with wildlife. The San Diego Zoo is respected worldwide for its excellence as a zoological institution, but also as a global pioneer in conservation science and education.

Our scientists have had the pleasure of collaborating with the San Diego Zoo on a number of topics relevant to wildlife conservation, including work on the sensory biology of protected species and research on infectious and non-infectious diseases.

We wish our friends and colleagues at the San Diego Zoo all the best as they observe this historic milestone, and look forward to their continuing successes over the coming decades.

Sincerely,

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Donald B. Kent
President/CEO