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Dear Alfonso:

Enclosed are copies of your pictures, negatives and also some other pictures I hope you enjoy.

I have been showing the picture of the 20 point stag to members of the African Safari Club and also Ducks Unlimited. No one can believe the size of that thing. Jack Beale reluctantly agrees that it is better than his "19 pointer" but at the same time acts a little envious. No one recalls of anyone in this area, or anywhere for that matter, of having bagged a 20 pointer. It's truly a unique and great trophy, Al, and I sincerely appreciate your efforts. It appears that it will be too late to record for the Reno meeting in 1991, but after we get it back we'll get the measurements and forward it for the 1992 meeting. I hope you will be able to use the photograph for your brochure.

There is an international eye meeting in Madrid next year. I'm trying to find out the dates. I have a hunt already booked in Africa for next August so I'll have to work around that. I will let you know when I get all of my dates together.

Maggie arrived back in the U.S. with abdominal pains and fever. She was operated on last week. She had intestinal adhesions and a large tumor on her ovary. Everything went well and she is recuperating. Harold has been acting as a confused nursemaid!

Al, Sheila and I certainly enjoyed our time with you. We have sung your praises to many people, including the group from Fort Lauderdale that went south on the bird hunt. In talking to them at the Ducks Unlimited meeting the other night, none of them were too happy with their hunt. They all wished they had come with us, with you as the guide.

If you would send me any brochures and materials you have, I would be happy to start handing them out and sending them to various acquaintances of mine whom I think would enjoy hunting with you. I did, by the way, forward the agreed upon monies to your account in Houston. I also forwarded your letter to Harold concerning his indebtedness.

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I do hope you and your wife have a very healthy and happy holiday season. I seriously doubt that I will get to Reno this year. As I mentoned, we'd love to have you as our house guest if you can find time on your trip to the U.S.

Please give our best to Lauren. I'll never forget the midnight ride of Paul Revere. It was a classic. People can't believe the story. Of course I didn't tell them exactly all the details! Only my hairdresser and professional hunter know the true story.

Stay in touch.

Best regards,



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