

Dear Governor Abercrombie,

I heard that you are sending people home to spend more time with their families. I hope you won't send [REDACTED] home. He has no family but me, his Mom. I know you mean well, but please think of the families also!

[REDACTED] has worked for you for many years, and I can understand why you might want to find someone younger, maybe. Or someone who keeps his office a bit neater. That always was a problem for [REDACTED], I'm sorry. That's my fault as his mother. I'm sorry. Still, I want you to keep him there at the state capitol.

You see, when he's home, he leaves his clothing all over the place. He expects me to pick it up! At work he drinks whatever lousy coffee they bring him, but at home he insists I make him tea all day. Each time in a clean cup! When I vacuum I have to step over him. When he's home, it's so much work for me!

Before you send someone to be with his family, please think about his family also! Maybe we don't want him either.

I hoped that [REDACTED] would find a nice girl over there at the capitol, you know what I mean. This is very important to me. I voted for you, so please listen a little. Please give [REDACTED] another chance.

[REDACTED] is a good boy. If someone has worked for you for so long, couldn't you find another job for him? That sounds fair.

Yours truly,  
[REDACTED]'s mom