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Dear Dr. Sand:

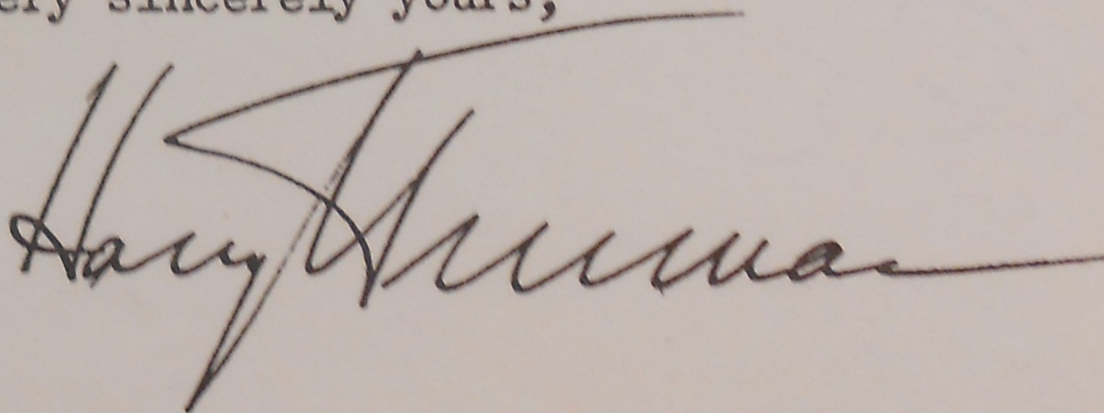
It gives me great pleasure to extend hearty greetings to all who attend the fourth International Conference of Social Work.

The social welfare activities carried on by the voluntary and governmental organizations which the participants in this Conference represent have an important place in the programs of rehabilitation and reconstruction which are so urgently needed in many parts of the world.

The opportunity afforded by this meeting to exchange ideas and to hear about new developments in social welfare is an unusual one. I hope that this Conference will also serve to reestablish the channels of communication among members of your group which were disrupted during the war.

My best wishes for a productive conference.

Very sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Harry Truman". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed name "Very sincerely yours,".

Dr. Rene Sand,
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