

**Václav Havel**  
**The Letter for Oscar Biscet**

In Prague, March 12, 2011

Dear Friend,

I always considered the persecution and imprisonment of the Cuban opposition an unlawful and brutal violation of the basic human rights and freedoms. The international solidarity and a focused diplomatic attention from time to time take an effect and the Cuban regime is forced to release at least some of the prisoners of conscience. I am glad I can now congratulate you, but, at the same time, I do not forget the other prisoners and I am determined to continue to call the attention to them on various occasions.

Yours Sincerely

VH

Mr. Oscar Elías Biscet

Havana, Cuba