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Mrs J Plumtree Chelmsford Amateur Operatic and Dramatic Society 9 Victoria Road Colchester

Dear Jill,

Re: Show Visit; Copacabana. 3rd March 2012

Thank you for the invitation and hospitality to see Copacabana at the Civic Theatre. Another fine production that Jane and I both enjoyed very much, as did our friend Sharon. It brought back such happy memories for us all. Apart from the lovely orchestra and fine singing from all the performers, the costumes wow – and what a stunning start. Such a pity the authors of the piece didn't leave a suitable break for the audience members to applaud; as I'm certain that is what they all wanted to do.

It was a pleasure to be able to say hello and well done to the entire cast, a shame you were unable to conduct the other business you had planned. It would have been an honour to be part of it and I hope you have been able to address it since.

Once again I'm sure your Society is delighted with the artistic performances and proud of the achievements. I hope from a financial perspective the production costs and income were within your expectations.

I would also like to thank your chairman Tracey Perry who took the trouble to come over and say hello before the start of the production and introduce herself and other members of the team. It really was nice to feel so welcomed in such a warm and friendly manner.

I close by reiterating my congratulations to the entire company, cast, orchestra and backroom / backstage crews on such a splendid production.

Yours sincerely,

James E Farr Councillor

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