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Mr. Vuong Tran
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Dear Mr. Tran:

Thank you for your letter regarding the International Central Committee on Vietnamese Scouting (ICCVS) that was addressed to CSE Robert Mazzuca. I have been asked to reply on his behalf.

You are correct in your statement that the ICCVS is not an association of the Boy Scouts of America. However, the members of Cub Scout Pack, Boy Scout Troop, and Venturing Crew 127 who are registered with the Boy Scouts of America enjoy the same benefits that are entitled to all members of the BSA. This would include participation in local council sponsored events/activities.

Unfortunately, the ICCVS is not a committee of the BSA, and we are not able to become involved in the conflict you are currently having with this group.

Please accept my personal best wishes for continued good Scouting.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Al Kugler".

Albert Kugler, Director
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