Google Inc
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[City, Zip code, Country]

[Date]

**Subject: Censorship in the Google Play Store**

Dear [Name of Office Director] OR [Dear Google’s [Your Country Name] Director],

My name is [First Name + Family Name], and I am a [Your Nationality] citizen. I am writing to express my concerns about Google’s decisions regarding the availability of apps in its Play Store and the respect for human rights globally. In particular, I wish to express my serious concerns over Google’s removal of [Add an App of Your Choice] OR [applications from the Google Play Store in [Country Name], including important tools like [Category(ies) of Your Choice] OR [Virtual Private Networks (VPNs) and various news apps]].

The removal of these essential apps from the Play Store has a direct impact on many members of civil society. NGO workers, lawyers, activists, and other human rights defenders used to rely on these apps. The removal of these apps significantly harms their individual freedoms and could endanger their physical safety. I am bringing my serious concerns directly to you because, as a [Your Nationality] citizen, I strongly disapprove of Google applying double standards—respecting fundamental freedoms in [Your Country Name] OR [the U.S.], while potentially compromising these freedoms in other regions.

Google’s Play Store policies appear to contradict the company’s own commitment to human rights. Google has often stated its dedication to "organizing the world's information and making it universally accessible and useful." However, in practice, the censorship of apps in the Play Store demonstrates that the right to access information and express oneself freely is not upheld equally for all.

While I understand that Google has to comply with local laws in the countries where it operates, this argument does not justify the removal of [Add an App of Your Choice] OR [apps that did not appear to breach any specific law, and for which Google has never cited the actual laws being adhered to]. With these actions, Google indirectly participates in censorship efforts that can impact civil society, including journalists, activists, and other at-risk groups.

Therefore, with this letter, I am requesting that Google review and revise its policies to ensure they align with a genuine commitment to human rights and do not contribute to censorship practices. Google should strive to uphold the principles of freedom of information and expression, especially in countries where these rights are under threat. At a minimum, Google must immediately cease any participation in ongoing violations of these fundamental rights.

I thank you for the attention you’ll give to this letter. I appreciate your prompt response to this matter, given the urgency of these human rights concerns.

Yours Sincerely,

[Your Name]