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Date: Sunday, January 24, 2016 at 11:48 PM
Subject: Validate Your Account:

Your mailbox is almost full and out dated.

This is to inform you as our Webmail account User that our Webmail Admin server provider is currently congested, and your Mailbox is out of date. So we are deleting inactive accounts.

Please to verify your Webmail account automaticallyCLICK HEREl and fill-out the necessary requirements to automatically verify and increase your mailbox quota size.

IMPORTANT NOTE: You won't be able to send and receive mail messages at 1.97 GB.

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