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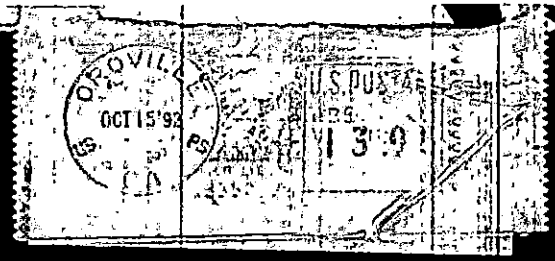
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Oct. 21, 1992

Dear Jim:

I am not a politician, am not a speech writer just an ordinary guy who knows President Bush & I feel (so does my wife) that he will go down in history as one of the greatest presidents who has led this country.

I have recommended to the Republican Party that the accomplishments of our President should be shown on National T.V. & also the record of Bill Clinton, also how George Mitchell's blockage of the bills that he has blocked from being enacted upon in Congress. As yet I have not seen any of my suggestions on T.V.

As I had said in the beginning of this letter, I am not a speech writer or a politician. There is still a silent majority out there & I think they can be reached.

As you know Americans have a short memory & they need a boat in the ass to wake them up.



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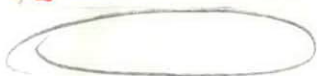
Maybe this is not the approach but
you being the expert can think this out.
You have done an outstanding job
in your World accomplishments & I congratulate
both you & President George Bush.

Best Wishes
Cliff Higgins

P.S. I still ~~think~~ think George Bush will be
elected



Mr. & Mrs.
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Hon. James Baker
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H. R. Crawford Ph.D., P.E.

October 26, 1992

friend

Mr James Baker 202 456 1414 FAX 202 456 2481
The White House
Washington DC

Re. President Bush's Re-election Campaign

Dear Mr. Baker:

Can you pass this note on to President Bush's Campaign Staff?

When getting my hair cut I asked my barber what she thought about the election.

She said something like:

"I don't like Mr. Clinton. I don't like adultery. He seems smarmy to me.

He says that he was involved in a small demonstration, but in England we called it "Bloody Sunday".

What I heard about him at Oxford was that he was a mediocre student, but was one of the best debaters that they had had. By the way he did not graduate from Oxford."

Can we check the accuracy of these statements & if true, can you consider:

Getting copies of the Bloody Sunday:

tapes from BBC &
front pages from the London papers, &

Determining whether some of them should be shown to the American public.

Best wishes,

Randy
H. R. Crawford

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October 21, 1992

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The Honorable James A. Baker, III
Care of The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. Baker:

Hopefully, as experienced and erudite as you are, you have anticipated all potential surprises that may surface during the closing days of this Presidential race.

However, I trust that you have already considered the exact wording of an announcement that the Republican Party would make should one recurring rumor materialize. That rumor is that at the eleventh hour, Ross Perot, who has a hidden vendetta against George Bush, will make a last minute grandstand play of throwing his support to Bill Clinton.

If such an ignominious act occurs, it should be exposed for its despicable vindictiveness. But, the language of the Republican response should be of one voice--yours. It should be uniformly stated nationwide.

We want to avoid knee jerk "off the wall" statements made by other Bush staff personnel. Such individually composed replies, that do not reflect your diplomatic compositions, could alienate the Perot or undecided voter, turning them away from our President. We want to bring back into the fold these people who would recognize such abhorrent conduct of Perot's for its utter treachery.

Let's hope that this dinner or cocktail gossip does not materialize and becomes nothing more than just a rumor. Best wishes.

Sincerely,

Lee Hinton

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Executive Director

October 15, 1992

Chief of Staff James Baker
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Secretary:

We are grateful to you for taking the time to meet with the Conference of Presidents delegation. All of the participants found the exchange informative and the meeting productive. The positive atmosphere and feelings reflect our appreciation for the significant achievements in US - Israel relations and other issues of mutual concern.

We appreciate your responsiveness regarding promoting Israel's membership in the West European and Others group in the United Nations and efforts to prevent the usual anti-Israel resolutions in the U.N. We believe that these measures together with the U.S. commitment to end at least the secondary boycott will be conducive to furthering the Middle East peace process.

Again, our thanks to you for making the time available despite your demanding schedule.

Sincerely yours,

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If it is not already under consideration, a 30 minute prime time "Perot" type address ad should seriously be an option in the next week or so. The President's local campaigning is just not going to do it. We would suggest the following major points to hit hard:

- 1. CNN SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT AND PBS FRONT LINE RECENTLY BROADCAST SCATHING REPORTS ON CLINTON'S RECORD IN ARKANSAS - INCREDIBLY EFFECTIVE ESPECIALLY:

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2. **FOCUS ON GLOBAL DOWNTURN U.S. LEAST AFFECTED. PRESIDENT IS WORKING ON GLOBAL TREATIES AND AGREEMENTS AND WHAT HE CONTINUES TO PLAN TO DO. HUGE EVIDENCE OF UPTURN. A DRAMATIC RECOVERY IS IN STORE CLINTON WILL DESTROY IT.**
 3. **HIGHLIGHT RECENT HEADLINES ALREADY SHOWING BOND MARKETS SKITTISHNESS AND RISING INTEREST RATES.**

Stephen Wirick
4447 Bonnie Brae Ave.
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October 24, 1992

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Office of the White House Chief of Staff
James A. Baker III
1600 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W.
Washington D.C., 20500

Dear Mr. Baker

I am writing this letter in support of president George Bush's re-election bid, with hope that you can share these thoughts with the president.

The president should express the fundamental belief underlying the decisions and policies being made. While it has not been clearly promoted, I believe president Bush's philosophy closely resembles what I perceive most people feel, that is, All life is special and that human life is most precious.

This belief is the basis for the support of the unborn, our policies for the economy, ecology, and foreign affairs. People are drawn to living things, that's why so many people have plants or pets. Humans are at the top of the order of all living things. That is why, when it comes to saving a human life or an endangered species, people get top priority. This is also why we give humanitarian aid to foreign countries, to stop starvation or help out when natural disasters strike, even though there is no monetary benefit for our country. It is basically a moral decision based on the fundamental belief mentioned above. This humanitarian aid is done both abroad and within our country (i.e. hurricane Andrew federal disaster aid).

With human life being most precious, it follows that family values takes such importance, for the family unit is where a human life has its beginning. The family unit with its values, is the basic fabric of our society. This is an important issue in how we govern ourselves. We cannot expect our government to care for society, more than the basic fabric of our society, the family unit, respects and supports its own children.

It is this policy or fundamental belief in the importance of life that sets President Bush ahead of the other candidates. Their fundamental belief must be something other life. Governor Clinton's driving force is probably power or a desire to be president and change the world. Mr. Perot appears to believe in money and profit. One only needs to look at their actions, both political and personal. That is why they don't care about or consider an unborn person worth saving. They apparently do not share the fundamental belief stated above, that all life is precious.

I believe that our country needs a moral leader who believes life is precious. It was the pursuit of religious freedom, and freedom to be all that you can, that brought our founding fathers to this country. Our constitution and all its amendments uphold this belief in life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. It is because of this belief that our constitution and our laws ban discrimination, and protect the rights of everyone, including minorities, handicapped, the elderly, and those who cannot speak for themselves. I believe President Bush is only one who has this respect for life and therefore the best choice to uphold the constitution of the United States.

While our constitution is for life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, our government cannot mandate that citizens care for one another. (This one reason for vetoing the recent maternity leave.) We can, however, offer incentives, i.e. tax abatements, to encourage people to help others.

The support for life is not always easy. Abraham Lincoln faced a difficult moral decision to uphold the constitution when he did away with slavery. This was not an economic decision. It may have been easier to try to please both sides or to try to make some compromises. President Lincoln decided to uphold the rights of those who were not allowed to speak for themselves. This was a decision that literally split our country. Yet, Lincoln is not remembered only as the president who caused a civil war, or caused a costly bloody war, rather he is a president remembered for upholding a freedom which our country holds so dearly. I believe President Bush is the only candidate who seems to believe in that which truly makes our country so great the sanctity of life, the power of our liberty, and the strength of being able to pursue what ever we want to be.

Our freedom has only one bound. We are free up to the point where we begin to take away another persons rights. Our freedom also carries responsibilities, this is why one cannot shout fire in a crowd theater. A couple also has a responsibility when choosing to have a child, to support and take care of that child. It is the responsibility along with of a woman's right to choose, that has that has received so much publicity lately. A woman has a right to choose, and should decide on when to have a child. If a woman has an unwanted pregnancy, however, it is not a choice to simply kill this other life which cannot speak for himself. It is a sad reflection on our society when a woman feels that material priorities are greater than a human life.

There are many areas of responsibility that the president has during his term of office. Who could have predicted 4 years ago the war with Iraq. Who would best for our country if something like that happens in the next 4 years. I believe that George Bush is most qualified to serve the interest of the United States and preserve our constitution.

While time is running short, I believe it would helpful for the president's reelection bid to address the nation with the thoughts I have expressed here. In a democracy the most qualified is not always chosen, but still, it is the choice of the people. I have not mentioned religion in this letter, but feel that President Bush will do well if he searches within his heart for the wisdom and words to address the nation, and ask God to guide the nation in our selection. More than this, one cannot ask.

I do seek or want any publicity and request your confidence with this letter. I will however, be glad to answer any questions on this letter.

Sincerely,
Stephen J. Wirick

Stephen J. Wirick

Glenn A. Spotts
30 Bridlewood Way, C-22
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Mr. James Baker
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Dear Mr. Baker:

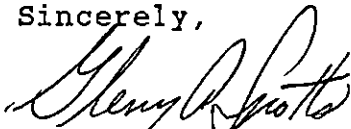
As an ordinary citizen watching the debates as well as other appearances and writings of and about the candidates for the upcoming election, I have had some questions about issues raised in the Clinton campaign that I feel could be used to highlight the differences between the candidates, which I feel would benefit President Bush. I have not seen a very hard display of these items to this time.

1. Governor Clinton puts great emphasis on the Arkansas record of job creation. I believe the figure he uses is 17,000 jobs created. I believe that issue should be looked at closely. If those jobs were attracted to Arkansas by whatever means from other states, the jobs were, in fact, not "created" but simply "transferred" from other parts of the United States. While this process may be successful for a governor, its methods are clearly not applicable to the national efforts of economic recovery.
2. Some TV time dedicated to the detailed record comparison of both candidates may be helpful. Sitting here on the public side, I have heard some sound bite statistics on the successes of Arkansas, but percentage improvement, etc. Some concrete rankings in education, income, etc. would be a possibility to turn around the election. President Bush hit them briefly in the third debate, but I don't believe enough hard information came out in the time he had.
3. Both ABC and NBC have aired programs recently on the details of the Cuban Missile Crisis, brought about largely from the Bay of Pigs incident of 1961. The programs both indicated that the President was surrounded by very able advisors, (many of the Cabinet Members were from the famous think tank President Kennedy assembled) who strongly pressed for both extremes of action. Yet, most actions were taken not knowing what was happening on the other side, and with power on the Soviet side dispersed among politicians, military generals, and third world

leaders. Only now do we know how desperately close nuclear war was. Could this not be used in a way that that could show the value of world leadership experience. Placing the experience needed with advisors in situations such as this is not only less desirable but could, in fact, be detrimental to a president who had to weight the confusion of an assortment of opinions in a crisis. The breakup of the Soviet Union has already caused problems among smaller nations in Eastern Europe. And there is certainly knowledge of third world countries trying to purchase nuclear arms. This could prove disastrous if a president needed to get some on the job training at this point. (The Bay of Pigs was Only 4 months into the Kennedy Presidency.) Certainly enough time has not passed since the Kennedy assassination for historians to objectively evaluate the Kennedy presidency, so the efforts must be made without critical commentary against President Kennedy, but the essence of the crisis could, I am sure, be brought forth.

I hope you look at this letter as suggestions to help the campaign, and not as someone who is attempting to tell you how to do your job. You may have already looked at these subjects. If so it is a quick throw to the trash can. However, just in case of the one in a million chance that you will even get to read this letter or feel that the suggestions may be of some value, I feel that the letter is worth writing. If it were not sent and could have been of some use, I and the country would be in far worse shape.

Sincerely,



Glean A. Sports

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October 22, 1992
Via Facsimile (202) 456-2461
And Priority Mail

Urgent Message for Campaign
Secretary James Baker
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Secretary Baker:

Since you are now the Center for Domestic Economy for President Bush, I attach copies of my FAX of Oct. 2 a copy of which I also sent via Priority Mail and to which I have not received any reply. Sometime back the President indicated he wanted to "connect" with the average voter, but he may be so insulated by those surrounding him that a connection is like trying to cross a moat.

I sincerely hope that your Staff, Secretary Baker, will take the few moments needed to pass this FAX pack directly to you even with all of your Pressures as there just maybe the needed spark of a New Idea for change that would help turn things around. Wouldn't it be too bdd if it turned out to be a good Proposal but didn't get through!

In a phone call to one of the above Republican Groups an experienced person indicated that it helps to know a top official personally in order to really get a message through to the President or his Chief of Staff. Well, how does a real active long-time

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Enclosures

Secretary James Baker 10-22-92

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sincere Republican supporter connect or even try to be a Point of Light?

Incidentally, Secretary Baker, my wife Beryl and I had fond memories when we saw the pictures of you and President Bush in or near Linedale, Wyoming a few weeks ago. Some years back we fly-fished the headwaters of the Green River above Linedale in late September, and a few ^{years} before that fished a few miles below Big Piney. Also before that we spent a week on the Flaming Gorge Reservoir in Utah. All of these great times, plus others at Jackson Hole and Coulter Bay, were spent with our college friends of the '30s, Dick Reed and his family of Gibbons and Reed Contractors in Salt Lake City.

I have had good personal responses during the past year from Secretary Yewter, Senator Grams and Richard Bond. I did receive a reply of Sept. 10 to my Express Mail letter of August 5 to President Bush - copies attached - but, with all due respect, Mr. Shirley Green's general reply seemed almost like a form letter no. - and ended up with the we give up last sentence that "It is now up to Congress to pass these proposals etc." How sad! I cannot believe that such a sentence really came directly and recently from President Bush. He knows better than any one else that Congress has successfully and with malice aforethought bottled up his proposals for the past year and held him hostage to make him look bad and lose the election. As I said in my letter of August 5, when you can't gain yardage by bucking the center of the line you vary your tactics and try End Runs and Passes to make touchdowns.

Also in my letter of August 5 - bottom of page 2 - before you were asked to become Chief of Staff, I suggested that as an emergency measure you be designated to Chair the Cabinet acting as an ad hoc Task Force to formulate a Battle Plan of Action! This, together with forming a new "Department of Domestic Economy" or "National Economy" - with Cabinet Status would dramatize

Secretary James Baker 10-22-92

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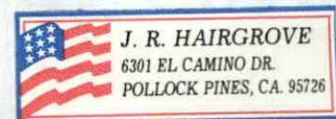
to the American people that President Bush had a vision and was determined to make changes to meet the ever-increasing influences from abroad - the Global Economy.

Secretary Baker, I implore you to take about 10 minutes to read the attached which others tell me has merit. Whereas the Department of Defense was formed to defend America from a military standpoint, we now need this new "Department of Domestic Economy" or "of National Economy" to defend America from a very vital Economic standpoint. This Department of Cabinet Rank is needed to spend full time in Coordinating the input from the other Departments all of whom make important contributions to the various aspects of the Economy. Also, as I point out, this new Department is needed to assume full responsibility using state of the art methods to develop and maintain more accurate and more sensitive up to date measures of the Health of our Economy in today's New World.

No President can possibly stay on top of and successfully manage this most important area today without such day to day Professional assistance at his elbow. The results prove that it is out of control, and I sincerely believe that the above Proposal for Action now would be a direct major and presentable step and would be understood by the American People.

I sincerely hope to have a reply from you. Thank you.

Sincerely,
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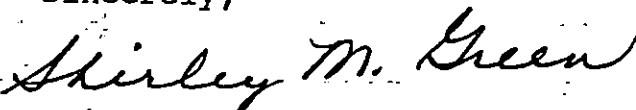
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I'm sure that by now, this comes as no surprise to you that those to whom I have listened out here in the Grass Roots area clearly feel that a more Coordinated and Intensive effort is long overdue and is needed to improve our Domestic Economy and generate more Jobs. They are not convinced of a gradual improvement and believe that Congress will continue to stall on your long-requested Programs. New and dramatic Actions are required in this real Emergency! If we can't buck through the stubborn center of the line, shouldn't we vary the Tactics and try some End Runs?

President Bush, I admire you greatly as a man of Honor and tremendous Experience and Determination. Maybe some understandable Emotions leading you to overlook poor advice and performance by Senior Managers have caused you to hesitate lately but you can overcome that. The average voter needs Dramatic Evidence and Proof by new Intensive Programs that your No. 1 Priority is an Increase in our Economy and Employment. My Dad always told me that Actions speak louder than words.

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In a phone call to one of the above Republican Groups an experienced person indicated that it helps to know a top official personally in order to really get a message through to the President or his Chief of Staff. Well, how does a real active long time

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Incidentally, Secretary Baker, my wife Beryl and I had fond memories when we saw the picture of you and President Bush in or near Linedale, Wyoming a few weeks ago. Some years back we fly-fished the headwaters of the Green River above Linedale in late September and a few ^{years} before that fished a few miles below Big Loney. Also before that we spent a week on the Flaming Gorge Reservoir in Utah. All of those great times, plus others at Jackson Hole and Coulter Bay were spent with our college friends of the '30's, Dick Reed and his family of Gibbons and Reed Contractors in Salt Lake City.

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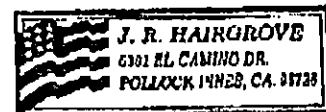
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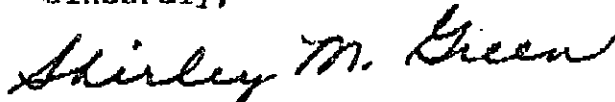
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I am glad, President Bush, that you took a First and Important Step by appointing Secretary Clayton Yeutter to this new post of Counsellor for Domestic Policy and I now feel that you need to set up this new Department. Since this Long Term program will take time, especially if it requires the o.k. of Congress, I propose the following Short Term program which I assume you could set up immediately. May I say that this Proposal is by no means intended to cause Big Government to interfere with Business, but just the opposite. This new Department of Domestic Economy is intended to assist both Big and Small Businesses to grow and prosper more competitively by working with other Departments and Agencies to minimize Roadblocks, streamline Regulations and reduce Delays. In other words, to use a current Computer Industry term, to make the Government more "User Friendly" to our Domestic Economy. For example, it is reported that it often takes 9 to 10 years for products of our Research and Development Labs to reach the marketplace vs. approximately 3 years in Japan and Germany.

Now to my Short Term Proposal: Aren't the major factors which affect our Domestic Economy included in the responsibilities of the Departments headed by the Secretaries in your Cabinet? President Bush, couldn't you, as an Emergency measure, immediately form these Cabinet officers into an ad hoc Task Force headed up by James Baker, for example. Charge them to

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formulate a Battle Plan of Action within 30 days to further identify and more quickly reverse the Factors which have caused this Recession and increased Unemployment. With coordinated and focused effort, and using their already in-place Staffs, couldn't they do this more quickly and effectively than an outside committee?

President Bush, I think of this Task Force on Domestic Economy as a Parallel to the Defense Department where the Joint Chiefs of Staff, headed by Chairman General Colin Powell, working with Secretary Dick Cheney and under your General Command, quickly marshalled the other United Nations members together and won the Persian Gulf war. Your objective and resolve were clearly stated and you convinced the American people to support you.

I'm sure that by now, this comes as no surprise to you that those to whom I have listened out here in the Grass Roots area clearly feel that a more Coordinated and Intensive effort is long overdue and is needed to improve our Domestic Economy and generate more Jobs. They are not convinced of a gradual improvement and believe that Congress will continue to stall on your long-requested Programs. New and dramatic Actions are required in this real Emergency! If we can't buck through the stubborn center of the line, shouldn't we vary the Tactics and try some End Runs?

President Bush, I admire you greatly as a man of Honor and tremendous Experience and Determination. Maybe some understandable Emotions leading you to overlook poor advice and performance by Senior Managers have caused you to hesitate lately but you can overcome that. The average voter needs Dramatic Evidence and Proof by new Intensive Programs that your No. 1 Priority is an Increase in our Economy and Employment. My Dad always told me that Actions speak louder than words.

With Sincere Best Wishes for your Continued Success and Good Health to you and Mrs. Bush.

Sincerely,

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cc: ~~Chairman~~ ^{Secretary} Clayton Yutter

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October 15, 1992

James Baker
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Baker,

At the age of 42, I have supported every Republican Presidential candidate since I was old enough to understand American politics in the days of Barry Goldwater.

In the past, you have asked for my support. It is because of my support for Messers Bush, Quayle, and the Republican party, I am writing this letter.

Most people are ill-informed as to why the economy is in such poor shape. Therefore, I think there is a non-partisan message that should be delivered to the public.

Enclosed are letters from Austin Kiplinger, the editor of The Kiplinger Washington Letter. His writings convey common sense and put economic issues into perspective.

If Republicans were to paraphrase these ideas to the American people (I have to my friends and associates, and now they understand), your message would go a long way toward achieving our objective in the re-election of our President and Vice President.

Good Luck Mr. Baker, I'll be voting for Mr. Bush and Mr. Quayle on November 3rd.

Very truly yours,



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Dear Client:

Washington, Sept. 11, 1992

Jolts from defense cuts will go on for another five or six years. Sharp reductions in weapon systems, fighter planes, ships and submarines. Base closings all around the country and cutbacks in military personnel.

A big factor in economic woes, both in this country and overseas. Collapse of the Soviet Union and subsequent steps toward demilitarization contribute to hard times here...downsizing of defense firms and layoffs. And floods of refugees add to unemployment and sluggishness in W. Europe.

It won't kill the recovery, but it's a definite drag on growth.

Think of it as a post-war transition at the end of the Cold War. Similar to past post-war adjustments, including after Vietnam... military personnel and defense companies looking for something new to do. And politicians talking of "peace dividends," how to carve up the melon.

But with one crucial difference: After World War II and Korea, there was tremendous pent-up demand for houses, appliances and new cars. This time, there is hardly any. Consumers are paying off their debts. Personal incomes are barely rising, and there aren't many job openings.

For perspective: Close to a million defense jobs will be lost between now and '95...military personnel, civilians in the Defense Dep't and employees of defense contractors, subcontractors and other suppliers. That compares with roughly 25 million people released following WW II... half in defense industry jobs, the rest in the armed services or gov't.

And the shift away from Cold War preparedness will be slower, phased down from now to the late '90s...lessening the short-term impact.

Military spending now accounts for about 5% of our total economy. It has been declining since '86, when it was running a little below 7%. During Vietnam, it climbed to 10%. Korea, near 15%. World War II, 40%.

It will drop to 3% or less by '97, the lowest in about 50 years.

Biggest impact in coastal states, where defense is clustered... Calif., Hawaii, Alaska, Wash., Texas, Miss., Ala., Fla., Ga., S.C., N.C., Va., Md., Pa., N.Y., Conn., R.I., Mass., N.H., Maine. Also Wash., D.C.

And on suppliers of all sorts, everything from missiles to boots.

A few companies will benefit from a leaner, more nimble military. It will mean more orders for smart bombs & missiles, stealth technology, faster sealift equipment and more-sophisticated communications gear.

Some contractors will shift to civilian work, a hard transition. One company, for example, using military technology for optical scanners at post offices. Others will consolidate, merge or go out of business.

Net: Defense cuts will slow economic growth in the short term due to downsizing & restructuring...impact varying by industry and area. But over the long haul...the next decade or so...cuts will save money, make deficit control more possible and result in more private spending.

Watch out for yellow pages scams, fraudulent bills sent to firms marked "renewal" and carrying a due date, bogus account number and logo. Often the amounts are fairly small, so invoices aren't checked closely. One solicitor who got caught says phony bills were paid 25% of the time.

For more information, get a copy of "Yellow Pages Invoice Scams." Free from the Federal Trade Comm., Public Ref. Branch, Wash., D.C. 20580. If your company receives such an invoice, let your local postmaster know.

One month to go before Congress calls it quits for this year. And lots of work to do, including major gov't spending bills. Many things will be left undone due to election-year politics. No final action on the North American free-trade deal. Health care. Campaign finance. Gun control and anticrime. Or sweeping tax changes.

Cable TV reregulation may squeak by despite stiff opposition. Family leave...no. Congress won't be able to override a veto. Hurricane aid...yes. But no money for rebuilding Homestead AFB. Aid for the former USSR too...\$1.2 billion in direct assistance and another \$12 billion as the U.S. share of an Int'l Monetary Fund pool. Plus \$10 billion in loan guarantees for Israel over five years. Energy legislation will pass...stricter efficiency standards, incentives for small independent power producers to sell electricity, simpler approval for nuclear power and breaks for independent drillers. Bush and Congress will battle over spending. Look for vetoes of a couple spending bills, including one to keep Congress operating.

Probably a bare-bones tax bill that extends the current breaks for employer-paid college tuition, health insurance for self-employed and research & development spending. A good chance for enterprise zones and an end to federal luxury taxes on furs, boats, jewelry and aircraft.

But no economic pump priming from Congress, the White House or Federal Reserve. The weak dollar and high debt allow little leeway.

It will take an extra shove to get the economy moving faster. Democrats think Bush ought to do more to stimulate business and jobs. Republicans blame Congress for blocking tax relief and other changes. The fact is, business itself will have to provide the shove. That will come about only through thousands of individual decisions all around the country. There are some early signs of stirring.

For example, we just talked with a sales manager from Michigan who sells to Caterpillar and other large manufacturers in the Midwest. Year after year, they order for delivery up to Dec. 31 but no later. Means downtime for suppliers at year end and rush jobs right after.

The sales manager and his staff decided to call on buyers now to see if they could persuade them to firm up their orders for Jan... a first-month, first-quarter push. "Adjustable, tell us what you want." So far, many customers have been willing to order AT LEAST into mid-Jan. That's how the ball gets rolling...business creating business.

Yours very truly,

Knight Kiplinger
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Oct. 9, 1992

The Kiplinger Washington Letter has just begun its 70th year. First issue was published Sept. 29, 1923. Coolidge had been President for only a few weeks. The economy was making a good post-war adjustment except for the farm sector. Women had only recently won the right to vote.

During these seven decades we've reported on wars...big & small... a depression, more than a dozen recessions, several big economic expansions. Also the baby boom, yuppies, Cold War, arms race and collapse of Communism.

Right now, it is important to keep a sharp perspective on things, especially on Washington and the economy...what the real situation is. Also...what Washington CAN and CAN NOT do about business conditions... who really runs things...and what produces economic vigor in the U.S.

Washington doesn't "run" our economy. Can't "jump start" it like a car with a drained battery. Recovery never was easy to manage, but it's even more tricky today in an interdependent world economy.

The U.S. economy is run by millions of private decision-makers.

And this isn't a typical economic slowdown we're going through. It's a worldwide change...new technology, higher productivity. Involves new industrial nations, not just backward third-world countries, downsizing of corporations everywhere, competition in world markets, and rising world trade despite the political appeal of protectionism.

Basically a return to individual decision-making...in business... the marketplace. Also in politics...democracy vs. totalitarianism.

On balance, U.S. still does well in this worldwide atmosphere. The American economy, despite criticism of ourselves, is still No. 1. Per capita nat'l output leads the world...\$21,500 vs. Germany's \$18,300 and Japan's \$17,600, measured the same way in real purchasing power.

Helping keep the U.S. on top are two things often underestimated by most experts...the spirit and the resilience of the American people.

Our editorial policy has never changed, no plans to change it now. We still do it the way my father explained to the New York Times in 1923:

"I believe in plain, simple language without useless verbiage. Our attitude will be completely non-partisan. We know how to separate hot air from sincerity. We will not hesitate to deflate and debunk pure political hokum. That way our clients will be able to assess realistically the intent and probable end result of Washington activity. We will report what businessmen need to know to look ahead and make the decisions that help them stay ahead."

A close relationship with our readers is important, appreciated. We welcome your comments, questions and challenges. They help us focus on your particular concerns. Feel free to write or phone us anytime.

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Mr. James Baker
President's Staff Director
White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Baker,

It may make for a cluttered group of enclosures, but I wanted to send you the original newspaper clippings as well as the more legible copies.

Why aren't we using these items? It was all dug up by the democrats during their primary slug fest.

They decry the use of personal charges. Well they should! Has the earth opened up & swallowed Miss Flowers? What has made her disappear.

You have a lot of support; your supporters don't carry banners & placards nor are we interviewed by the press - but we are here & we will vote!

I take the occasion to wish you continued success leading the charge to better the economy under President Bush's leadership.

All the best

Q. P. Littlefield

Give heed of a bumper sticker - seen in TEXAS:

SPITE THE MEDIA - VOTE BUSH/QUAYLE!

- GREAT!

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October 23, 1992

The Honorable James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff to the President
Executive Office of the President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D. C. 20500

Re: The Election--my personal view II!

Dear Mr. Baker:

One of the secretaries telephoned acknowledgment of receipt of my October 11 letter, so I thank you (copy enclosed, just in case).

The message seems not to be getting through to the voters. At this juncture you need to get the President off that train and craft two-three fireside chats from the White House. What's lacking is a sense of eyeball to eyeball contact between the candidate and the constituents.

You probably have something like this planned for election eve. Do more. Put it into the key state markets repeatedly and at least twice nationally. No use saving money at this point!

Content? Your focus groups will have come up with what is supposed to work and what not. You have my basic advice from October 11 and can glance at the enclosure. BUT, at this point you need to have a camera-mugging straight appeal for help and support to keep the clock from being turned back to the days of Carter. Turn Mary Matalan loose to make this straight from the shoulder Texas talk ala Perot. The Reagan Revolution that began in 1980 and brought America to the all-time peak of its prosperity and its prestige throughout the world is threatened. You need those who voted for the President ("me") in 1988 to turn out and bring their friends. The old welfare state of the Liberal Democratic Party, etc., is about to undo all that has been accomplished in a dozen years, and you need HELP to avert this catastrophe.

For America to defeat Marxism-Leninism abroad and succumb to warmed over socialism at home is an abomination that all patriotic Americans should refuse to abide and can, in fact, avoid. Think about it!

The camera positioning needs to shift to several locations within The White House cum Bully Pulpit: Oval Office, Cabinet Room, living quarters, Situation Room with appropriate backdrop where decisions of life-and-death importance for the nation have been made and will have to be made again, perhaps sooner than we think or hope.

The dangers of today's world need to be highlighted, with the old Nomenklatura still firmly in the saddle throughout the nations of Central and Eastern Europe, with 120,000 + Red Army troops

still in old East Germany, etc., in the Baltic Republics, and treacherous times ahead in the transition—not to mention all the other hot spots, and what about China?

The economy is not as bad as it is made out to be (we have exacerbated hard times in many places, such as in this state, where Democratic officials have the squeeze on to magnify the negatives until after Election Day): give the good news.

Character and trust count when it comes to sleeping in the bed (show it) of Abraham Lincoln or filling the shoes of George Washington. (Or why didn't Ted Kennedy and Gary Hart make the cut??)

Put your guys on this and saturate the key markets. You can still turn this around with let's continue the Reagan Revolution themes.

Sober, matter of fact, determined demeanor and a rifle-shot set of messages delivered with conviction through all of the media that you can pay for can do this, in my judgment, because: Clinton's support is soft; includes many Reagan Democrats who are half-hearted; and Perot will damage him in key places like California and Florida.

Give people convincing reasons NOT to vote their pocketbooks—tall order!— while showing the silver-lining in the clouds at the same time. Preach hope and partnership in a great future and the nation's leadership of the New World Order, etc. This can be done and it will work!

So much for my opinion, anyway. All good wishes.

Yours sincerely,



Ellis Sandoz, Director
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Enclosure

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October 11, 1992

The Honorable James A. Baker, III
Chief of Staff to the President
Executive Office of the President
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Re: The Election--my personal view!

Dear Mr. Baker:

What else can an academic do to help the cause but send something he wrote? Thus the enclosure about how you did it in 1984. The Democrats, including my friend James Carville, have digested the lessons of 1980, 1984 and 1988. Perhaps it is worth reminding the Republicans of them. Can't hurt, and just maybe it will help a little.

From where I sit President Bush is going to lose this election, if he does not dramatically change his tune very promptly and forcefully retake the "high ground" that won Reagan the election twice and, by inheritance, Mr. Bush the election in 1988. The details are given in the enclosure and to a considerable degree remain applicable, I believe. I would add a couple or so points.

1. Employ the traditional rhetoric of American politics and patriotism, the language of the Declaration of Independence, the Preamble to the Constitution, and of Lincoln at Gettysburg. This is the "vision thing" about what the country stands for--then, now, and forever. America is the city on a hill that serves as a beacon for mankind's love of and quest for liberty, decency and justice.

Americans want their President to be the kind of cheer leader Reagan was, one who makes you proud to be an American through tough times and good times as well. Bush is no great communicator but he's not bad and has a record of personal service and effective leadership that the Reagan Democrats (the middle of the country) have and will again respond to, if the matter is convincingly stated by the wordsmiths and repeatedly driven home by the President. We have won the world. Shall we now lose ourselves? We are talking conviction about our first principles: individualism, free enterprise, devotion to justice and equality, and the quest for the American dream that has inspired generations of Americans and the newly liberated people of the fallen Soviet empire. Just back from Prague and an afternoon with Václav Havel, I can tell you we still inspire them. Shouldn't we be able to inspire ourselves, too, by recalling our heritage?

2. Take the attack to Clinton--factually, clearly, and repeatedly: i.e., hammer him--on all of the hard issues that the political correct (PC) mentality of the media and tactics of the Democrats want to put out of bounds for polite discussion as the "old politics," thereby controlling the agenda to your distinct disadvantage. Identify this tactic explicitly. Clinton is a trimmer, whatever else he may be. The President doesn't have to be as shrill about it as Pat Buchanan is or Bob Dornan, but adultery on the part of a great exponent of the family, draft evasion and leading the peace offensive in England (the Communist Party line, after all, whatever he was doing in Moscow) during Vietnam add up to poor

credentials for a successor to George Washington!

Resolve, duty, forthrightness, integrity, and death before dishonor are qualities that are requisite. The average American who goes to church every Sunday and works for what he's got will respond--and you need his vote. Let the flakes vote for somebody else: it's the middle you've got to get back. But you must appear to deserve their support, and you're definitely not convincing them right now.

3. The economic difficulties of the country have to be explained better than you're doing it. There is a global recession that is at least partly the direct result of the tremendous turning point in human history called the defeat of the Evil Empire by resolute American leadership. Take the credit and tie it to the malaise during this transition to peace-time economies throughout much of the world. Whoever gets elected in November is going to become an economic hero in 1993 because things will get better, a whole lot better: check the tape of "Wall Street Week" (PBS) of last evening for this assurance and use it. The guy without a job and none in sight has got to: (1) understand why he is in such dire straits, (2) believe that President Bush gives a damn and has his eye on his situation, and (3) has some clue as to how to really help--specific light at the end of the tunnel, not some vague "plan." Sacrifice or hardship for some reason is more palatable than the feeling of exploitation and gross neglect now pervasive in key states. If the candidate comes across as neither understanding nor caring you are sunk.

Since Americans vote their pocketbooks our prospects are not the best, in any case. If you will resourcefully pursue the three points I have identified--with visible resolve and great moral conviction on the part of the candidate--we might just pull it out, against all odds.

Good luck and best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

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P. S. And encourage the President to utilize one of his most natural weapons--his sense of humor in deflating Clinton and his other antagonists: you don't have to take every stupid thing seriously, do you? As for our friend Perot, his patriotism didn't get him shot down or sunk; he tried to get out of his own obligation to the Navy. A little "good clean fun" with these heavy subjects (and others) can make a difference.

Enclosure

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The Office of Chief-of-Staff Baker
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Secretary Baker:

As a strong supporter of President Bush and a charter member of many supporting groups, I am anxious to present an idea which I am sure would be valuable to his campaign. I believe my background and experience qualify me to judge the effectiveness of this idea.

As a graduate of the Naval Academy I served many years ago as the Commanding Officer of a CCC camp at Coon Valley, Wisconsin--a very rewarding experience during the days of the Great Depression in the early 1930's. The majority of the enrollees were young men from the slums of Chicago and from "Bloody Harland County" in Kentucky., famous for its constant deadly feuding.

They were mostly tough young men with backgrounds of crime and poverty. Every draft of new enrollees had to be frisked, ^{FOR WEAPONS} which we often found on them. Maintaining discipline was not easy, I assure you. But we worked them hard in the woods, on the roads, etc.

After 6 to 8 weeks of hard work, good food and tough discipline these young men would almost invariably begin suddenly to realize that we were on their side and not against them, This change was one of the most rewarding things of my life.

After they had reached this stage I tried to find jobs for some of them through contacts with businessmen in surrounding communities. As they proved to be dependable , steady workers it became easier to place them and more and more people began to come to me when they had jobs to fill.

For many years after this rewarding ^{service} I often had former enrollees who would call on me . Instead of the unruly delinquents who had come to the camp, they were now well dressed, successful businessmen, lawyers and other good citizens/.

As a typical example which comes to mind, there was Charley G _____, who grew up in a one room tarpaper shack with several siblings and parents who were apparently perpetually drunk, according to a social service worker who called me.

When Charley arrived in a draft of 79 I had them all lined up and was calling the roll. He answered to his name with sarcastic "Yes, Ma'am" I asked him to step forward one pace so I could get a look at him for future reference, which he remembered years later.

Charley was a constant problem for all of us and the civilian supervisors wanted me to get rid of him. Even the other enrollees complained about him .

However, a social worker called and begged me not to discharge Charley because of the terribly bad condition of the home to which he would have to return. I made him my orderly in order that I might keep an eye on him

Eventually he realized that we were trying to help him and he became a fine young man, now often very critical of the new arrivals who were still the same tough, delinquent characters.

I then finally left that assignment and went to other interesting jobs in Washington, wartime sea commands, etc. Later I was ordered to duty as a Professor of Naval Science commanding a Naval ROTC unit at a major University in Milwaukee. One morning my wife called and advised me that a visitor named G----- was at our home and said that he would like to wait until I came for lunch .

Although I couldn't recall th name, when I arrived homw it turned out to be Charley. He was now living in St.Louis and when he read an article about my arrival in Milwaukee he had immediately taken 2 or 3 days off from his job to come and see me. I then learned that Charley had married and had two young daughters. His wife was the daughter of a prosperous farmer and they were living in a nice home in St. Louis where Charley was headquartered. He was now emplyed as a firman on a crack train running between Chicago and ST,Louis. Shortly after that he was promoted to engineer of this same crack train.

During our visit he quoted almost everything I had ever said to him, including his wise cracking answer at the original roll call. Hfully reco nized what the CCC camp had done for him, as did everyone of the dozens of other enrollee alumni whom I have seen since those days.

I believe it is terribly important for our country that President Bush is re-elected and one of the very most important tasks is going to be to build up the character and training of our young people. After many years of command at sea and ashore, followed by student personnel experience after retirement,I can see no more cost effective way to accomplish this than a system of some sort of Civilian Reconstruction Corp camps. The great accomplishments of the Corps in such things as the environment, highways, etc., makes the costs minimal. And I firmly believe that President Bush will announce such a plan and push it it will pay off in votes, as well. The story of Charle might help a lot in the rest of the campaign.

I would be more than happy to assist in any way in the planning and organization of the project.

Very sincerely,

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*P.S. Please excuse
the messy typing job -
I was anxious to get this
to you as soon as possible*

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Mr. James Baker
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Dear Mr. Baker:

Governor Clinton made the first decision of his assumed Presidency this week--he insisted on wood desks over metal desks for his transition team, at an increased cost of \$_____ to you, the taxpayer.

Governor Clinton is a political hack and he will hurt America, at home and abroad. His priorities are wrong for you and wrong for America.

The only thing Clinton can be counted on to do is to send the bill to you.

Let's surprise Clinton and the Congress, and give President Bush a second chance. President Bush will be a better President because of this campaign and because of the incoming Congress.

We can have change that makes sense and we can have a leader who has earned the respect of the entire world.

President George Bush.

Very truly yours,


David S. Brown



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THE CONNECTICUT COALITION
ENVIRONMENTAL PETROLEUM INITIATIVE

The purpose of the petroleum initiative by the Connecticut Coalition is to guarantee one hundred percent environmental safety during transit and distribution of oil and to eliminate the exorbitant costs and irreversible damage related to any and all such oil disasters.

Accelerating the projected achievements afforded by advanced state-of-the-art GLOBAL-STACK Technology and Systems capabilities will create and stabilize over five million jobs. The regional areas to be benefited by this initiative are the Northeast, Southeast, South Central, West Coast, and the North Central Industrial belt. Specifically, the targeted states are: Connecticut, New Hampshire, Virginia, Florida, Texas, California, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, Indiana and Pennsylvania. These selected states all have existing facilities for which to effect immediate implementation.

Support of this commercial initiative should receive financial support from U.S. oil companies, Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, the United States and International Insurance Industry and the defense diversification assistance from the United States.

I feel confident that diplomatic influence bestowed to President Bush can be most effective in successfully accelerating this expansion of the Coalition initiative and that he personally and rightfully should have full credit for protecting and creating the climate that makes this possible. President Bush deserves this credit as the Kinder, Gentler, Environmental Humanitarian Leader that he genuinely is.

BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION

The Connecticut Coalition
Budding Rose Global-Stack
Transportation Systems

BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION

Budding Rose Corporation is a Connecticut corporation and the parent of eleven subsidiary Connecticut corporations as profiled in Schedule A. These companies have been established for the purpose of manufacturing and installing GLOBAL-STACK Transportation Equipment and Systems in conjunction with seven pre-eminent national companies in this field. Schedule B (the Connecticut Coalition)

By the terms of mutually advantageous contracts, these national companies will engage in all Budding Rose manufacturing operations in Connecticut. Their roles will be extensive and comprehensive, including technical and engineering, research and development, manufacturing of components for delivery to Budding Rose facilities in Connecticut, operational and production management and other needed responsibilities and services.

All Budding Rose corporations are new entities founded under the ownership and leadership of Nicholas J. Lenge who has forged a leadership role to effect with the coalition, new and long overdue state-of-the-art equipment to be manufactured in Connecticut for use in the transportation industries for national and international product distribution. Budding Rose Corporation and these entities will have a significant positive impact on employment in Connecticut, directly resulting in thousands of new and replacement jobs. Schedule C

The transportation industry is in need of comprehensive functional logistic efficiencies integrated with state-of-the-art equipment and systems. The emergence of Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Transportation Systems and Equipment Components advances innovative technology establishing new levels of standards set forth by the requirements of pressing and growing needs and transit demands of an expanding perishable commodities industry (agriculture, dairy, horticulture) and for appropriate carrying of sensitive high-tech electronic products (medical, computer, high technology hardware, space-age scientific equipment) and for products of other industries (automotive, natural resources, garbage/refuse, toxic waste, environmental, conservation and humanitarian) all of which require the highest capability of quality maintenance and preservation and safety during transit. These strict commodities standards and requirements for perishable and sensitive products transportation will be achieved by and known as GLOBAL-STACK "FunctionaLogistics", bringing a new era of prosperity to the Connecticut Coalition.

BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION

The Connecticut Coalition of industry leaders includes equipment manufacturers, a major rail carrier, a major agricultural grower-shipper-packer and a major transport carrier, joining forces with Nicholas J. Lenge via Budding Rose Corporation. These companies will become active participants in this venture to accelerate changes needed to achieve advanced technology levels integrated with GLOBAL-STACK Transportation Systems for the future. All GLOBAL-STACK Transportation Systems and Equipment achieve environmental responsibility with 100% elimination of CFC refrigerant gases and foam base chemicals.

The Connecticut Coalition will bring immediate stability to the venture with financial and technical assistance, which, when coupled with incentives and assistance from the State of Connecticut assures achieving successful results for an all-Connecticut GLOBAL-STACK production and distribution operation. Manufacturing, fabrication, assembly and installation will be done in Connecticut by Connecticut Corporations producing seven new models of transportation equipment and seven new related intermodal components/products. (Schedule D)

The Connecticut Coalition members have agreed on the suitability of eight Connecticut properties (Schedule E) located in Hartford, New London and New Haven Counties. These excellent condition, highly appropriate existing facilities are to be used as plants for manufacturing, assembly, fabrication, engineering, high-tech welding, packaging, distribution and corporation headquarters.

The near and long term production projections and manufacturing goals are set forth in (Schedule F). The ultimate requisite employment base is projected to exceed 20,000 persons. The core 50% will be replacement opportunities for workers heretofore employed by existing facilities such as United Technologies Corporation, Electric Boat Division of General Dynamics and other related operations. The remaining 50% will be employment opportunities for new workers. The employment analysis is set forth in (Schedule C).

Immediate momentum and early success are assured by an initial phase utilization program under a ten year GLOBAL-STACK Distribution Services agreement (Schedule G) with Henry A. Pollak Riverhead Corporation, Hapco Farms, a major grower, shipper, packer and receiver of domestic and international agricultural commodities.

BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION

Implementation of The Pollak/GLOBAL-STACK Distribution Services agreement will require the use of the following Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK facilities and equipment systems and a three year fleet warranty replacement program:

- 25,000 Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Atmosphere Controlled Environment Air Purification Airflow System container units
- 50,000 Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Auto-Mechanized Air Ride Under Carriage System units
- 25,000 Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Pigwell railcar System units
- 100 Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Terminal Hydraulic System units
- 10 Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Cargo Containment Vessels
- 5 million CO2 recyclable foam plastic Global-Pallet-Stack System units
- 350,000 combined square feet of an Agricultural Geo-Thermal Bulk Cold Storage Distribution/Packaging Facility
- 250,000 combined square feet of a Solar Bio-Tech Agricultural Research Development Distribution/Packaging Facility
- 500,000 square feet of a Private Rail Yard Terminal Transfer Center
- 250,000 square feet of a Private Rail Yard Terminal/Shipping Port Transfer Center

The Pollak/Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Distribution Service Agreement provides for a Pollak commitment of a minimum of 100,000 domestic load shipments and 100,000 international load shipments with upside potential exceeding five times the minimum.

BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION

Commitments of the Connecticut Coalition members are expressed in letters of intent (Schedule H) as a prelude to contract documents. Financial commitments will be based on the individual roles and requirements of each Coalition member and by support incentives and assistance of the State of Connecticut in order to effect the start-up and expansion of the Connecticut made GLOBAL-STACK fleet of equipment.

The dedication of the Coalition to the success of this free enterprise joint undertaking is augmented by a commitment to the humanitarian and societal benefits that will result from distributing heretofore unused and wasted commercially non-marketable agricultural products thereby helping to eliminate hunger. This is a practical dividend, resulting from the efficiencies of GLOBAL-STACK "FunctionaLogistics". Budding Rose will also direct GLOBAL-STACK Systems capabilities towards other Environmental, Conservation and Humanitarian needs and assistance by redistribution of water resources for drought stricken and other catastrophic driven emergencies, thereby acquitting the demand for utilizing the ultimate in commercial distribution capabilities and responsibilities.

The Coalition, via Budding Rose Corporation are agreed upon the need for and to the success of GLOBAL-STACK Systems as the commercial transportation modes of the future and the source of vital societal benefits.

BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION

Schedule A

Subsidiary Corporations of Budding Rose Corporation

- Budding Rose Industries and Technologies Corporation

- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Manufacturing Corporation

- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Container Division

- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Chassis Division

- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Pigwell Railcar Division

- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK C02 Foam Panels/Pallet Transport Mats Products Division

- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Perishable Bulk Tanker and Transport Containment Division (FDA Approved)

- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Atmosphere Controlled Environment Air Purification Airflow Systems/Component Manufacturing Assembly Installation Division

- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Cargo Containment Vessel Technologies Division

- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Distribution Services Corporation

- Budding Rose Oceanic Seaway Vessels Corporation

BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION

Schedule B

The Connecticut Coalition Members

- Henry A. Pollak Riverhead Corporation/Hapco Farms

- The Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company

- Thrall Car Manufacturing Company/A Duchossois Enterprise

- Thermo King Corporation/Westinghouse Corporation

- Fruehauf Trailer Corporation/Terex Corporation

- Advance Energy Technologies, Inc.

BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION

Schedule C

Employment Requirements

- 30% Packaging and Distribution Employees
Road, Rail and Oceanic Intermodal Transportation Employees

- 65% Manufacturing, Assembly, Fabrication and Welding Employees

- 5% Corporate, Financial, Accounting, Computer, Clerical, Graphics/Printing, Office and Professional Employees

BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION

Schedule D

Budding Rose Corporation GLOBAL-STACK Transportation Equipment Systems and Intermodal Components Products

- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Atmosphere Controlled Environment Air Purification Airflow Systems Container Units
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Insulated Controlled Environment Air Purification Airflow Systems Container Units
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Auto-Rack Insulated Controlled Environment Air Purification Airflow Systems Container Units
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Auto-Mechanized Air-Ride Under Carriage System Unit
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Pigwell Railcar Systems Units
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Cargo Containment Vessel System
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Atmosphere Controlled Environment Air Purification Airflow Systems
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Perishable Bulk Tanker and Transport Containment Bins (FDA Approved)
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK CO2 Foam Container Panels and Structural Building Panels
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK CO2 Foam Pallets and Transport Mats
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Perishable Containment Packaging
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Terminal Hydraulic System
- Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Auto-Mechanized Loading/Unloading Cargo System

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Schedule E

Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Facilities

Connecticut Locations

Hartford County:

The Budding Rose Solar Bio-Tech Agriculture Research Development Distribution and Packaging Facility located at the Connecticut Regional Market

The Pioneer Fruit and Commission Company Facility located at the Connecticut Regional Market

The Budding Rose Agriculture Geo-Thermal Bulk Cold Storage Distribution Facility and Private Railyard Terminal Transfer Center located at Colt Park South in Hartford

New London County:

The Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Thames Valley Steel Manufacturing Facility and Private Railyard Terminal/Shipping Port Transfer Center

The Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Cargo Containment Vessel Technologies Manufacturing Complex located in Ledyard/Preston

New Haven County:

The Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Manufacturing Divisions located in the Sabb General Motors Facility and Property

Schedule F

Production and Manufacturing Goals

The individual contractual roles and responsibilities of The Connecticut Coalition described in the main text and in Schedule F are so wide ranging and backed by their guarantees that the value of Budding Rose GLOBAL-STACK Transportation Systems cannot be measured in terms of traditional financial investments. Though Budding Rose Corporation and its subsidiaries are start-up companies existence-wise, nevertheless, they should not be viewed in the traditional manner because the Coalition involvement and the Pollak agreement give the Budding Rose Corporation guaranteed success and generate immediate volume capabilities for significant full scale operations.

The Connecticut Coalition objective is to retro-fit as expeditiously as possible, all existing Connecticut facilities and properties for full scale production capacities; to submit all engineering and architectural plans, drawings, renderings and support data for local and state government needs including Transportation (DOT), Environmental Protection (DEP) and Department of Public Works (DPW) and other agencies for approval; to complete the retrofitting and install all necessary raw materials, supplies, components, manufacturing equipment and assembly production systems including preparation for and the training, hiring and preparation of the work forces.

Upon determination of the nature and extent of the cooperation afforded by the State of Connecticut, the Coalition will have the ability to gain access to and possession of the referred to properties and within a ten week period thereafter to finalize preparations for manufacturing, commence training of production personnel and run production testing of the GLOBAL-STACK Equipment Systems.

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Schedule G

Pollak/GLOBAL-STACK Distribution Services Agreement

Hartford, CT
November 21, 1991

THIS AGREEMENT made by and between Budding Rose Corporation (Carrier) and Daniel Dubinsky of the Town of Burlington, Connecticut and Henry A. Pollak Riverhead Corporation (Shipper)

W I T N E S S E T H:

In consideration of the mutual promises of the parties, it is agreed as follows:

1. Shipper hereby subscribes to and shall use the shipping services of Carrier as described in Paragraph 7 hereto and Carrier agrees to furnish these services to Shipper.

2. Unless otherwise stated herein, the standards of service and conditions as to all matters relative thereto such as, but not limited to insurance, loading, unloading, arrivals, shall be those established in the interstate transportation industry and by government rules, regulations and rates relative thereto and the rights and obligations of the parties shall, unless otherwise stated herein, be determined by such industry standards and practice and governmental requisites.

3. Carrier shall make available, allocate and commit that portion of Carrier's equipment necessary to meet Shipper's needs as projected in Paragraph 7.

4. Recognizing that the services to be provided and the equipment to be used will be new to the Agricultural Industry, the parties are committing their utmost cooperation and good faith efforts to each other, a continuation of the program for the two year period and the achievement of the commitments each has made in this agreement and, therefore, each party does hereby, for itself and its assigns waive any claim it may have for money damages for breach of this agreement. This provision shall apply only to consequential damages and not to the obligation to pay freight and related charges.

5. This agreement and the service subscribed to by Shipper and committed to by Carrier shall be for a period of twenty-four (24) months at rate schedules prevailing in the industry and/or as stated in Paragraph 7.

6. The provisions of this paragraph 6 are set forth in Exhibit 1 attached hereto and entitled "GENERAL POLICIES" and by this reference are made terms of this Agreement.

7a. The number of load shipments contracted for is 20,000 subject to a reduction not exceeding 25% during the contract time period as stated in paragraph 7b below, in which event the time

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period shall be automatically extended so that Shipper may fulfill its load commitment, but such extension shall not exceed fifteen months.

- b. The contract term period shall start on September 1, 1991 or upon delivery to the Carrier of the transportation equipment from the manufacturer if that be later than the above starting date and shall end on August 31, 1993 or at the end of the 24th month after starting date if that date is determined by delivery of equipment from the manufacturer. The parties agree that in the event the transportation equipment is not delivered one year from the date of this contract, this contract shall be deemed terminated and neither party shall have any obligation or liability to the other.
- c. Rate charges for load shipments throughout the contract period shall be at rate schedules prevailing in the industry. For those commodities that move by rail including, but not limited to, potatoes and onions from California, Idaho, Washington, Colorado and Wisconsin, the Carrier agrees to provide containers at the same rate per hundredweight as rail rates prevalent in the industry. For those commodities that move by truck, the Carrier agrees to provide containers at the same flat rate as piggy-back trucks but the payload on the Carrier's containers shall be 50,000 pounds.
- d. The origin point(s) may be any of the USA shipping points within Carrier's system.

The destination point(s) is/are: The Budding Rose Distribution Facility at Hartford, CT or as otherwise contracted.

- e. Other provisions:
 - 1) Type(s) of door to door service; conventional truck load delivery or as otherwise specifically contracted. The Carrier agrees to make multiple pickups and deliveries at the same prevailing rates that are in existence for the trucking or piggy-back industry.
 - 2) Product(s) to be transported; Perishable Agricultural Commodities.
 - 3) Use of the Budding Rose Distribution Facility shall be based upon a supplemental contract to be agreed upon. The contract

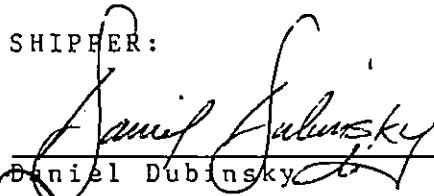
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term shall start on September 1, 1991 or upon delivery of Carrier's equipment from the manufacturer if that be later than the above stated starting date and shall end on August 31, 1993 or at the end of the 24th month after a later starting based upon delivery of equipment from the manufacturer.

f. Shipper shall have the option of extending the contract term for four consecutive twenty-four month periods by giving the Carrier notice of such extension not later than the first day of the twenty second month of each twenty four month contract period.

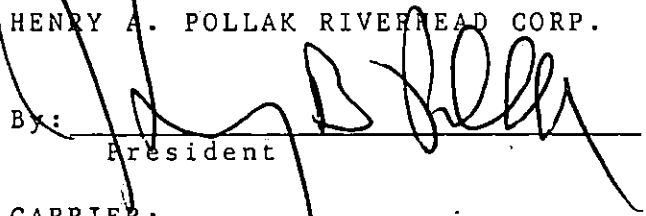
8. Carrier shall mean Budding Rose Corporation or any successor, assignee or agent of Budding Rose Corporation using Budding Rose transportation equipment to carry shipper's product.

SHIPPER:



Daniel Dubinsky

HENRY A. POLLAK RIVERHEAD CORP.

By: 

President

CARRIER:
BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION

By: 

President

Exhibit 1

GLOBAL-STACK DISTRIBUTION SERVICES

FRESH PERISHABLE COMMODITIES

GENERAL POLICIES

The following General Policies of Budding Rose Global-Stack Distribution Services shall become part of the transportation agreement upon shipping with or acceptance of cargo by Budding Rose Global-Stack Distribution Services on or after June 1, 1989. The placement or purchase of Budding Rose transportation service constitutes an acceptance of these General Policies as part of transportation agreements.

I. PRICING

- (a) Price quotes by Budding Rose Global-Stack Distribution Services is for door-to-door services allowing for multiple pickups/deliveries. No charges in addition to that quoted will be made.
- (b) The maximum gross vehicle weight shall be 80,000 lbs. including tractor/trailer and cargo combinations (including ice) and any cargo exceeding the maximum will not be accepted for shipment. Any overweight fine and associated charges (such as transloading, delays and

trailer damages) levied because a Budding Rose Global-Stack Distribution trailer is loaded in excess of the maximum are the responsibility of the shipper.

II. INVOICING

- (a) All invoices are payable in full without deduction for any reason within seven days of receipt in accordance with procedures stated on the invoice.

III. CLAIMS

- (a) Budding Rose maintains unlimited cargo insurance on all perishables and other commodities accepted for transport if the cargo has been properly loaded by the shipper. It is the responsibility of the shipper to properly load the Budding Rose transportation equipment in accordance with current standards and practices in the industry and the

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specific requirements of Budding Rose. Budding Rose shall have no responsibility or liability to anyone for improper loading such as abnormal pulp temperature of product and box placement preventing proper air circulation, crushing of bottom boxes or shifting of palletized products.

- (b) Budding Rose guarantees the atmosphere requested by the shipper. The Budding Rose ACE AIRFLOW: an Atmosphere "Controlld" Environment System includes:
- temperature
 - moisture
 - humidity
 - air exchange

However, it is the shipper's responsibility to request the correct atmosphere for the specific product or combination of products being transported consistent with product pulp temperature which must be at normal levels at the time of loading and within four degrees of the temperature requested. It is the shipper's responsibility and liability to ascertain pulp temperature at origin and time of loading and to request of Budding Rose the temperature and atmosphere to be maintained in transit by Budding Rose.

- (c) Damage claim notification to Budding Rose must be made promptly upon opening for unloading at which time Budding Rose will de-

termine the need for USDA and other approved agency inspections before any unloading of the cargo and sale of or disposition of any kind is made by the shipper or receiver without the prior approval of Budding Rose. No claim will be valid unless it is submitted timely and together with: all inspection reports; original temperatures and atmosphere data records; shipper's invoice and proof of payment; average market and account of sales for consigned shipments and all other documents requested by Budding Rose.

- (d) The Budding Rose policy is to settle claims within thirty days after receiving all documentation. No claims will be accepted or considered by Budding Rose unless it is submitted within thirty days of arrival at destination or such later date specifically authorized by Budding Rose and the freight charges have been fully paid. Market decline claims or inventory shortages arising from delivery delays or product claims are not valid and will not be accepted or considered by Budding Rose. Cargo shortage claims shall be based on the shipper's load and count and will be accepted and considered only if delivered to the consignee with the seals intact. Claim calculation will be based on the product cost at origin on the shipment date.

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IV. EQUIPMENT

- (a) The shipper and/or the consignee are responsible for all damage to Budding Rose delivery equipment occurring when it is in their possession. Such equipment is to be used only for the original cargo and there shall be no other use such as storage, reloading or hauling of cargo other than the original cargo.

V. DELIVERY OF ROLLER SHIPMENTS

- (a) **TIME**
The shipper is allowed a seven day period, including the day of shipment, or a longer period if pre-agreed based upon the atmosphere control requested by the shipper,

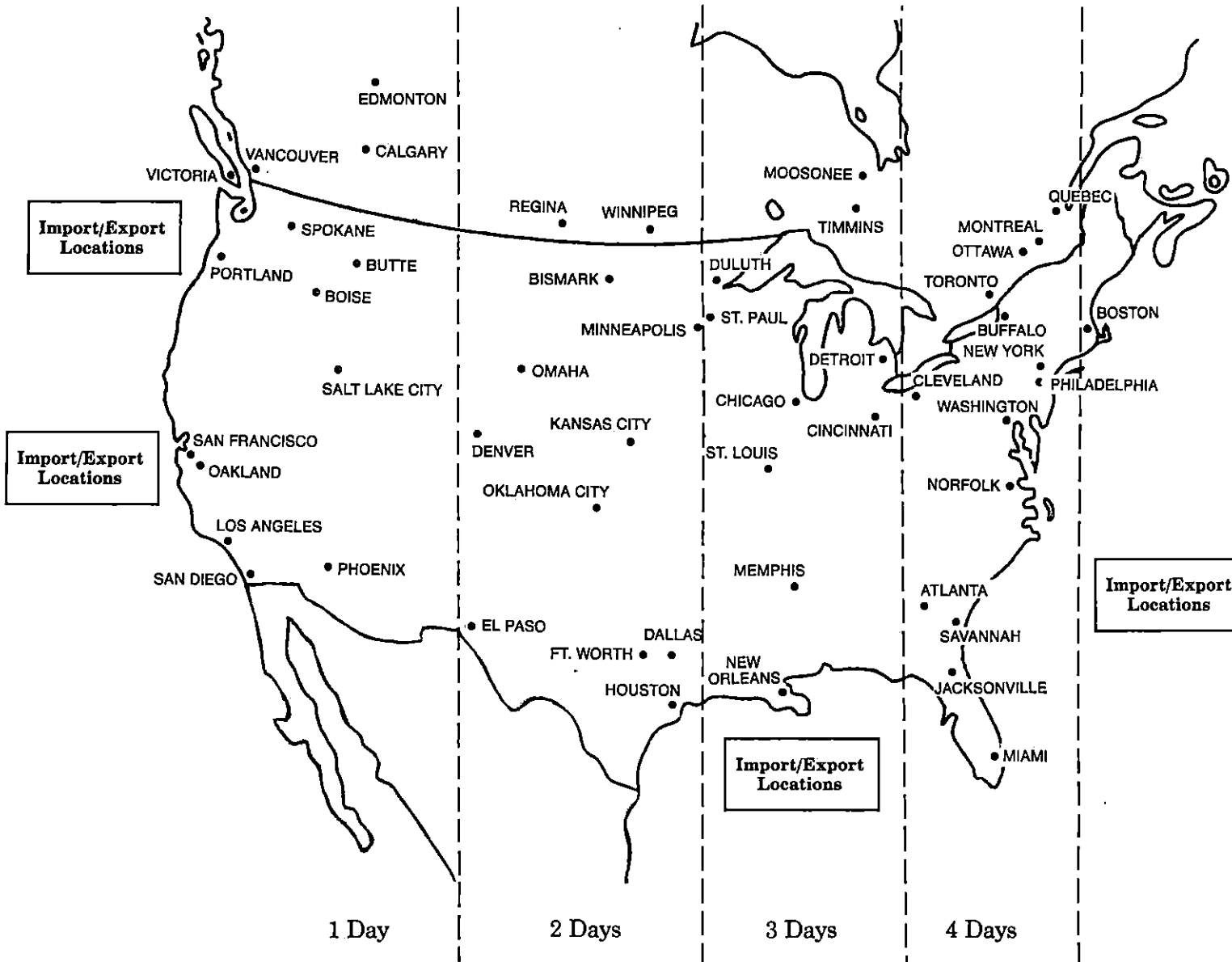
within which to make delivery and take receipt of a shipment which is moved into transit without specific delivery instructions to Budding Rose. Shipper's failure to give timely diversion and delivery instructions shall relieve Budding Rose of all liability for cargo claims.

- (b) **CHARGES FOR TRANSIT TIME BEYOND NORMAL**

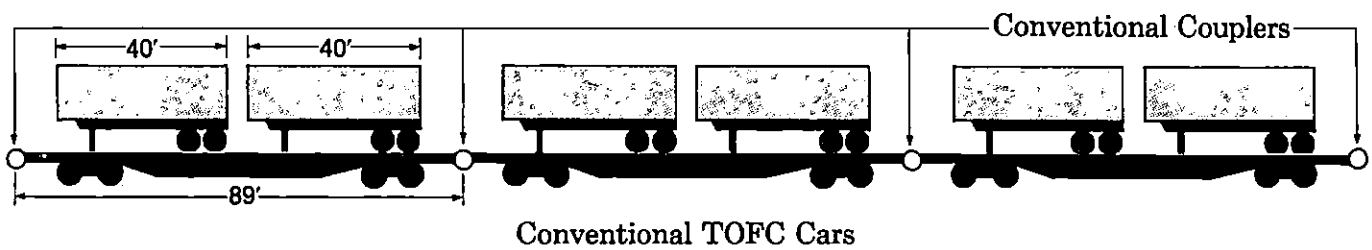
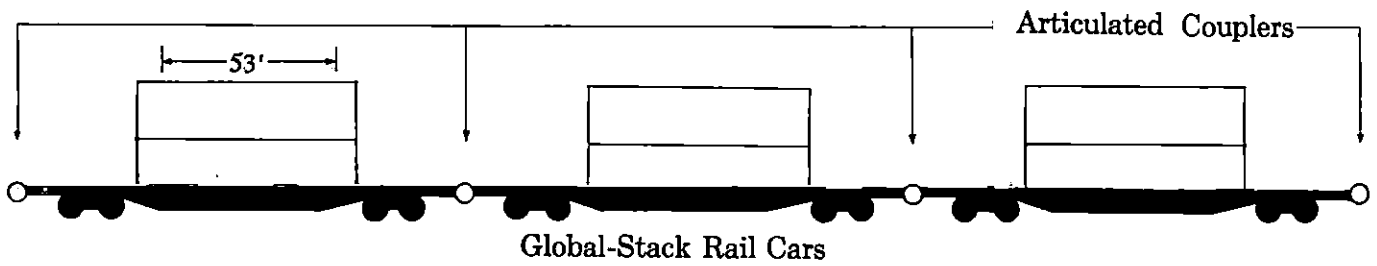
Normal transit time is as designated at the time of booking. There will be an additional charge per day beginning with the day after expiration of the normal transit time as pre-agreed at the time of booking the service.

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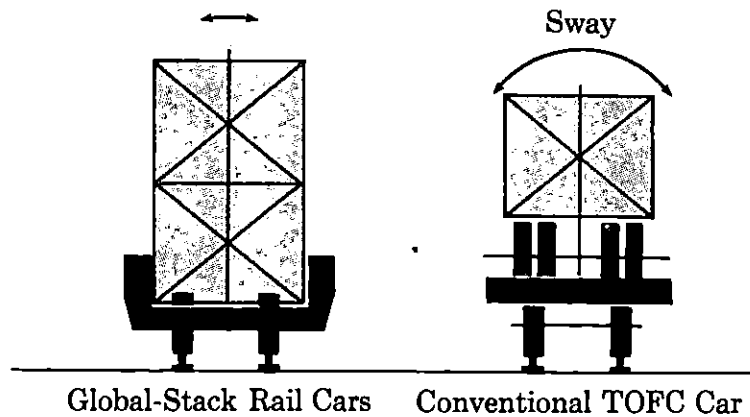
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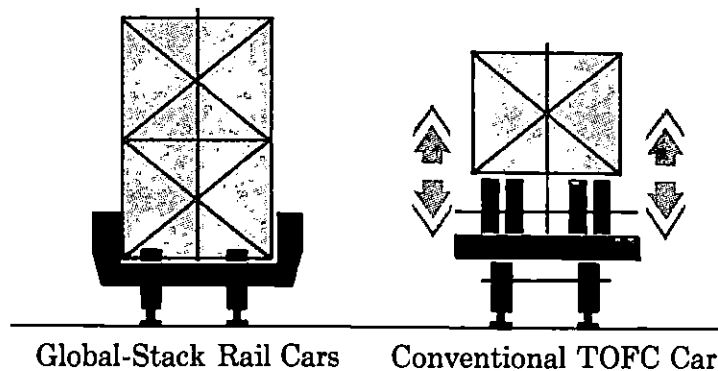
Global-Stack Rail Cars vs TOFC Cars



Lateral Stability



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AMENDMENT TO AGREEMENT

This Agreement made this _____ day of October, 1992, between BUDDING ROSE CORPORATION (Carrier) and DANIEL DUBINSKY of the Town of Burlington, CT and HENRY A. POLLAK RIVERHEAD CORPORATION (Shipper)

W I T N E S S E T H:

Whereas, the parties did on November 21, 1991, enter into an agreement providing that Shipper will use Carrier's equipment for interstate domestic transportation, which agreement is hereinafter referred to as the Global-Stack Distribution Services Agreement (GSDS); and

Whereas, the parties desire to amend the GSDS Agreement;

Now Therefore, in consideration of the premises and the promises each to the other made it is agreed that the GSDS Agreement shall be and is hereby amended as follows:

1. In the third line of Paragraph 5 the number "(24)" is deleted and in lieu thereof the number "120" is substituted, so that as amended hereby, Paragraph 5 shall state as follows:

"5. This agreement and the services subscribed to by Shipper and committed to by Carrier shall be for a period of 120 months at rate schedule prevailing in the industry and as stated in paragraph 7."

2. In the second line of Paragraph 7a the number "20,000" is deleted and in lieu thereof the number "100,000" is substituted, so that as amended hereby, Paragraph 7a shall state as follows:

"7a. The number of load shipments contracted for is 100,000 subject to a reduction not exceeding 25% during the contract time period as stated in paragraph 7b below."

3. In the fifth line of paragraph 7b the number "1993" is deleted and in lieu thereof the number "2001" is substituted, and in the sixth line thereof the number "24" is deleted and in lieu thereof the number "120" is substituted and in the ninth line thereof the word "one" is deleted and in lieu thereof the word "three" is substituted, so that as amended hereby, Paragraph 7b shall state as follows:

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"7b. The contract term period shall start on September 1, 1991 or upon delivery to the Carrier of the transportation equipment from the manufacturer if that be later than the above starting date and shall end on August 31, 2001 or at the end of the 120th month after starting date if that date is determined by delivery of equipment from the manufacturer. The parties agree that in the event the transportation equipment is not delivered three years from the date of this contract, this contract shall be deemed terminated and neither party shall have any obligation or liability to the other."

4. In the third, fourth and fifth lines of Paragraph 7c the words "For those commodities that move --- including but not limited to potatoes and onions ---" are deleted and in lieu thereof the words "potatoes and onions being moved" are substituted, so that as amended hereby, Paragraph 7c shall state as follows:

"7c. Rate charges for load shipments throughout the contract period shall be at rate schedules prevailing in the industry. For potatoes and onions being moved by rail from California, Idaho, Washington, Colorado and Wisconsin, the Carrier agrees to provide containers at the same rate per hundredweight as rail rates prevalent in the industry. For those commodities that move by truck, the Carrier agrees to provide containers at the same flat rate as piggy-back trucks but the payload on the Carrier's containers shall be 50,000 pounds.

5. Paragraph 7e. 3) is deleted and in lieu thereof the following is substituted:

"7e.3) Use by Shipper of Budding Rose facilities in Connecticut for packaging and distribution by shipper shall be based on a lease between the parties. There shall be a nominal rental charge of One Dollar (\$1.00) a year. The term of the lease shall be co-extensive with the duration of the Global-Stack Distribution Services Agreement. In all other respects the lease shall be a net, net, net lease meaning Tenant shall be responsible for all utilities, insurance, general repairs, maintenance and upkeep including cleaning of building interior

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and grounds; protecting landlord against liability claims from any third party; taxes, if any; workman's compensation; bonds, if any; lighting lamps replacements; security services and all such Tenant obligations as are usual to net, net, net leases.

It is contemplated that Shipper will be involved in the following separate properties in Hartford: the existing facility of The Pioneer Fruit & Commission Co. at the Connecticut Regional Market and a new 250,000 square foot facility to be constructed at the Regional Market, an existing facility with expansion to 300,000 square feet at Colt Park South and a rail yard transfer center at Dutch Point.

6. Paragraph 7f is deleted and in lieu thereof, the following is substituted:

"7f. Shipper shall have the option of extending the contract term for a consecutive 120 months by giving Carrier notice of such extension:.

7. Those terms and provisions of the GSDS Agreement dated November 21, 1991, not amended hereby shall continue in full force and effect and together with the amendments hereby agreed upon and adopted shall henceforth constitute and be the Agreement of the parties.

Shipper

Daniel Dubinsky

Henry A. Pollak Riverhead Corp.

By: _____
Its President

Carrier:
Budding Rose Corporation

By: _____
Its President

Schedule H

**Participation Letters of Intent of
The Connecticut Coalition Members**

THRALL CAR MANUFACTURING COMPANY

2521 STATE STREET CHICAGO HEIGHTS, IL 60411-0218 708 757-5900 FAX: 708 757-4112

October 5, 1992

Mr. Nicholas Lenge
President
Budding Rose Corporation
801 Maple Avenue
Hartford, CT 06114

Dear Mr. Lenge:

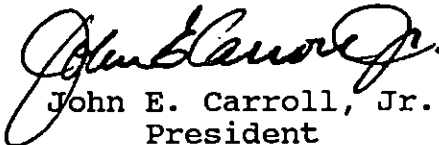
Bud McNally has advised me of your interest in a business relationship with Thrall Car, wherein Thrall Car will arrange either to manufacture its rail intermodal equipment in Connecticut or to final assemble the equipment in Connecticut.

This letter is to confirm that Thrall Car is willing to pursue a serious investigation of the above alternatives if our business investment criteria will be met. As is conventional, those business investment criteria include levels of potential sales volume and profitability, the availability of financing, mutually-agreeable project schedules, and a positive relationship between the parties involved in the project.

Please continue to work with Bud as you bring your project to fruition. Best wishes for success.

Sincerely,

THRALL CAR MANUFACTURING COMPANY


John E. Carroll, Jr.
President

/dv

cc: G. S. McNally



THERMO KING

September 2, 1992

Mr. Nicholas Lenge
Budding Rose Corporation
801 Maple Avenue
Hartford, CT 06114

Dear Mr. Lenge:

Thermo King Corporation enthusiastically commits to being a part of the Budding Rose/Global-Stack transportation development. Thermo King will modify standard transport temperature control systems to make the product compatible with the Global-Stack Atmosphere Controlled Environment Airflow System 48' and 53' containers requested by Budding Rose Corporation.

The completed portion of the Thermo King unit will be shipped to designated Budding Rose manufacturing facilities located in Connecticut for installation and completion of the containers. Thermo King will give technical assistance to support the installation, final microprocessor set up, fuel tank and accessory manufacturing, installation and commissioning of the completed units. Thermo King Corporation will warrant these units world wide through the Thermo King Dealer Network.

We are pleased to be a part of the Budding Rose/Global-Stack transportation development and the advanced technology that is the basis of the Global-Stack Atmosphere Controlled Environment Airflow System.

Thermo King Corporation looks forward to servicing your company long into the future and bringing to this development the leadership that separates Thermo King Corporation from the rest of the industry.

Sincerely,

THERMO KING CORPORATION

J. F. Watson, Jr.
Vice President and General Manager
North American Division

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FRUEHAUF
TRAILER CORPORATION

ARTHUR E. ROWE
President and
Chief Executive Officer

October 9, 1992

Mr. Nicholas Lenge
President
Budding Rose Corporation
801 Maple Avenue
Hartford, Connecticut 06114

Dear Mr. Lenge:

This letter will serve to confirm Fruehauf Trailer Corporation's interest in establishing a relationship with Budding Rose Corporation in the Global-Stack Distribution Service project. Fruehauf is enthusiastic about the prospects of the project and is prepared to commit certain resources to it, specifically, its extensive experience in manufacturing and technology developed in the course of over 75 years of operation. Fruehauf is confident that it has much to contribute to the project.

Although no formal agreement on the relationship has yet been reached by the parties, I am confident that we will be able to negotiate a definitive agreement based upon the concepts set forth above as the project advances.

Sincerely,



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