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DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 07, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. DAVID A. KEENE

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDS FRED ANDRE FOR APPOINTMENT AS
CHAIRMAN OF THE INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMITTEE

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April 3, 1989

The Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Governor Sununu:

I realize that you must be literally under siege by job seekers and their supporters as you continue the arduous task of putting things together for the President.

Nevertheless, I have decided to take the liberty of writing today and, in effect, joining the army of folks offering you free advice and urging you to help get someone you've never heard of appointed to a job of little direct interest to you because I feel very strongly about the man in question.

Fred Andre' is currently serving on the Interstate Commerce Commission. He was appointed in 1982 by President Reagan because of his knowledge of the sorts of issues that come before the ICC with the strong support of many within the conservative movement. I believe he has served with distinction during difficult times and should be considered seriously for appointment to the Chairmanship and the five year vacancy now open.

Fred's political and intellectual credentials go back to the very beginnings of the modern conservative movement. He has worked in the vineyards and has many friends who would, I can assure you, be grateful for anything you can do to secure for him the appointment he seeks.

I realize that there has been some controversy surrounding appointments to the Commission and that various newspapers have reported that the White House, in appointing Edward

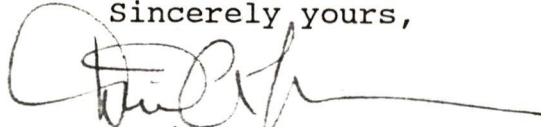
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Emmett, has decided not to reappoint Fred. I hope these reports are without basis for the reasons already stated and because I personally believe that a close check of the problems in the Senate will reveal that once the log jam is broken Fred can get support from Senators of both parties.

With best personal regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,



David A. Keene
Chairman

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 07, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. EDWARD J. KEELAN

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDS THOMAS F. CARNEY FOR APPOINTMENT
TO THE OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT
CORPORATION

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March 29, 1989

The Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Governor:

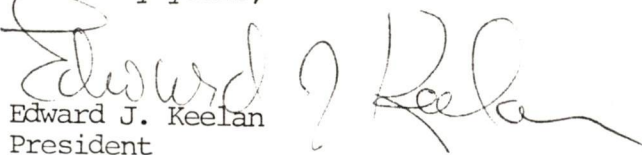
Thomas F. Carney, Jr. is on the list for the Overseas Private Investment Board called O.P.I.C.

I am aware that many demands have been put upon you for positions, such as this, and that I have written to you before on his behalf; but if you could find a way to give Tom Carney consideration for this position I would be most grateful.

Tom Carney would do a great job and would be a credit to the administration.

I sincerely hope that this note finds you and your family well.

Sincerely yours,


Edward J. Keelan
President

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 05, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. GEORGE KLEIN

SUBJECT: THANKS FOR TAKING THE TIME TO MEET WITH HIM;
ALSO APPRECIATED THE OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH
THE PRESIDENT

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George Klein

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March 31, 1989

Governor John Sununu
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Governor Sununu:

It was good to meet with you this week and I want to thank you for the time you afforded me to discuss issues of mutual concern. I also appreciated the opportunity I had to meet with the President, which I hope was helpful.

I look forward to seeing you again in the near future and wherever I or our Coalition can be helpful, you know that we are there.

Good luck and my best wishes for all successes.

Sincerely yours,



George Klein

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 04, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. EDWARD KROHN

SUBJECT: REQUESTS AN ITEM FROM GOVERNOR SUNUNU FOR A
CELEBRITY AUCTION

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MIAMI-DADE
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Number one in America.

Edward Krohn
Chairman

March 28, 1989

Mr. John Sununu
Chief of State
The White House
Washington, DC 20015

Dear Mr. Sununu:

Miami-Dade Community College is the largest Community College in the United States with an unduplicated student head count of over 70,000. We have more minority students enrolled at Miami-Dade than all but four other colleges or universities in the United States.

Our students, like students everywhere, need financial aid. To that end, we are attempting to raise funds for scholarships, grants, etc. We are holding a Celebrity Auction to raise monies for these minority students.

Would you please be so kind as to send us a bit of personal memorabilia that we might auction off to raise these funds? We have received donations from individuals such as President Bush, all Members of Congress, previous Cabinet Members, Bob Hope, Robert Redford, Bette Davis, Lee Iacocca, Mother Teresa, and many others. We have received items such as autographed copies of their books, personalized license tags, autographed photographs, etc. Anything that you can contribute would be appreciated.

Thank you for your help in our fund raising. We will report to you later how the auction proceeded.

Regards,

Edward Krohn

THE WHITE HOUSE
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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 04, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE EDWARD I. KOCH

SUBJECT: WRITES CONCERNING THE ALASKAN OIL SPILL AND
NEW YORK CITY'S DRUG PROBLEM WHICH IS
LEADING TO A CRISIS IN THEIR PRISON SYSTEM

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THE CITY OF NEW YORK
OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10007

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April 3, 1989

Hon. John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff to the President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Governor:

When we were last together, President Bush told me that he would welcome a call or letter on matters of special importance. I decided rather than burden him, I would write to you directly, and if you thought it appropriate, you might take it up with him. There are two issues that I think he should intercede on immediately:

The first one relates to the oil spill in the Gulf of Alaska. The administration appears to take the position that federal involvement, to the extent of taking charge of the clean up, is unwarranted. I believe that is a grave error in terms of accomplishing the clean up speedily. The President has carefully developed his reputation as a conservationist -- his failure to act on the oil spill jeopardizes that reputation.

I do not believe that we should end oil exploration and oil digging in Alaska because of this horrible accident, but I do believe that if we are to continue oil exploration and ultimately extraction, the public must feel comfortable that the federal government will be there not just regulating but stepping in with its resources when there is a catastrophe of the magnitude we are now witnessing in Alaska. All federal resources should be marshalled to respond to this disaster just as the Soviets marshalled their resources to deal with

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the nuclear explosion at Chernobyl. You will recall that when three whales were trapped in an ice pack in Alaska, the United States government and the Soviet government joined hands to break the ice and free the whales at extraordinary cost -- and for three whales! In the Alaskan tragedy, we have wildlife at risk by the millions -- fish, seals, sea otters and birds -- and the federal government is not stepping in to save them. In short, I believe strongly that the federal government should take charge directly and bill Exxon for all expenditures incurred by the federal agencies. I hope the President does this and quickly.

Now to the second matter, which involves drugs. In the City of New York in the last five years we have more than doubled our prison population and the cells to hold them. Five years ago, we had 9,000 prisoners, and today we have 18,900 prisoners in New York City jails. There is the possibility, as we continue to make arrests primarily of drug pushers, that a federal court will close the jails and not allow new prisoners to be incarcerated on the grounds that every prisoner constitutionally requires 60 square feet of space, and it won't be available. There are already many cities in the United States that are under such a federal court order e.g. Chicago, Washington D.C., Miami, Dallas, Houston, Pittsburgh, Phoenix, Philadelphia and San Diego. About five years ago that happened to New York City. Six hundred and ten prisoners were freed by federal court order, and many of them never came back for trial but simply skipped the jurisdiction.

Now to the point. As you know, the Commission on Alternative Utilization of Military Facilities has recommended the closing or semi-deactivation of several bases across the nation, including the Fort Dix Army post in New Jersey. On February 27, I sent the enclosed letter to each Senator and Member of Congress urging that such bases be made available for cooperative use by the federal, state and local governments as drug prison or drug treatment facilities.

As that letter suggests, Fort Dix would be an excellent place to begin a pilot project for such cooperation. As a result of Congressional interest in my proposal, my staff will

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be in Washington tomorrow to discuss it in further detail with staff from Representative John Murtha's office and from the House Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse.

I urge the President to support this effort and to allow Fort Dix to be used as I have proposed. My suggestion is that the total costs -- capital and operational -- be shared equally by the city from which the prisoner comes, the individual state, and the federal government.

The President has often said that the use and sale of drugs is the number one issue in America, and I agree with him. While a whole host of things have to be done, including education and treatment and interdiction, punishment is still our immediate and major action. However, we cannot punish locally if we cannot put people in jail. I am doing my best here in the City of New York. We are now using jail barges but even they take 14 months to build, and we are now at capacity.

I urge that you consider this request expeditiously. It would be a tremendous uplift for all of America to know that the federal government will open these camps for jail purposes and where there is adequate space, for treatment of those cocaine and crack addicts who need in-residence treatment.

If you need more details, please have a member of your staff call our Criminal Justice Coordinator, Peter Benitez at (212) 566-0442.

All the best.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'E. Koch', written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

Edward I. Koch
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THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 03, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE EVAN J. KEMP JR.

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURES A DRAFT BILL "THE AMERICANS WITH
DISABILITIES ACT OF 1989"

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EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20507



March 31, 1989

Office of the
Commissioner

The Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff to the President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Governor Sununu:

As you know, the President is committed to the integration of disabled people into society. Enclosed is a copy of a draft bill, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1989, which will accomplish that priority. The sponsors expect to introduce this bill in Congress by the end of April.

Administration support for this bill is critical. Although there are one or two minor problems to resolve, I believe the bill is an excellent piece of legislation which presents the Administration with a rare political opportunity. By urging Congress to pass the Americans with Disabilities Act, the President, with no political risk, would redeem his campaign pledge "to extend to people with disabilities the same basic equal opportunity protections that are now afforded to women and minorities." (See enclosed press release dated August 10, 1988.) Through his endorsement, not only would the President fulfill his promise to mainstream disabled people, but he would also garner the enduring support of millions more disabled voters in the '92 election.

I have enclosed a copy of my recommendation to the President, encouraging him to appear with the bill's congressional sponsors on an upcoming Ted Koppel Nightline program focusing on the bill. The President's appearance would demonstrate his commitment to mainstreaming and would have an immeasurable impact on the 43 million Americans with disabilities who dream of an end to their isolation and poverty.

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In light of the President's recognition of the urgent need for disability rights legislation, I would like to meet with you to discuss the President's endorsement and the Administration's strategy to secure the bill's passage. Please do not hesitate to call me at (202) 634-6711 to arrange a meeting at your earliest convenience. Thanks for your prompt attention to this matter in the midst of a very busy schedule.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Evan Kemp".

Evan J. Kemp, Jr.
Commissioner

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: MARCH 31, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: DR. SARKIS J. KHOURY

SUBJECT: URGES A HALT TO SYRIAN AGRESSION IN LEBANON

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THE 500 CLUB FOR LEBANON

3/29/89

Mr. John Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Sununu:

Our earlier correspondence dealt with community issues. This letter deals with the assault of Syrian forces on the Lebanese Army currently underway in the land of our ancestors.

We, of the 500 Club - Professional Americans of Lebanese descent - find the arguments for stopping Syria's aggression in Lebanon to be compelling. We mention a few:

(1) The support by Syria of terrorism against the United States is well documented. Putting a limitation, if not reducing, the hegemony of Syria over Lebanon, becomes a necessary ingredient in our battle to fight international terrorism. The policy of appeasement has not succeeded.

Furthermore, a clear and decisive stand against the Syrian policy in Lebanon is a stand against international drug trafficking which is poisoning young Americans. The closure of illegal ports in Lebanon would have put an end to the Syrian drug trade flowing through Lebanon. The corrupt Syrian regime should not be allowed the continued raping of Lebanon.

(2) Syria is fundamentally unstable in economic terms, and in political terms in the long run. The Alawite minority cannot and should not control Syria in the long-run. Any support, explicit or implicit, for Syria will have at best transitory benefits for the United States, if any, and would encourage Assad to be more belligerent.

(3) Syria has earned the title of spoiler of Peace in Lebanon and in the region (Israeli/Palestinian rapprochement). Hegemony over Lebanon, if achieved by Syria, cannot possibly further the cause of peace. It will embolden the Syrians beyond reasonable bounds.

(4) President Aoun's efforts to unify the Lebanese, to disarm the militia (to include the Christian Militia), and

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establish a strong central government have been frustrated, and deliberately so, by the Syrians. Syria's strategy of fragmenting the Lebanese will cannot serve the goal of a democratic and united Lebanon, nor the long-run interests of the United States. The United States lost lives (Embassy bombing and the Marines barracks bombing, to name a few) and huge resources - Political and economic - in its effort to unite the Lebanese under a strong government capable of exercising its authority over every inch of the land. Cutting losses at that time made sense. It no longer does.

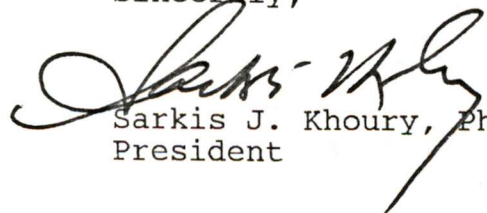
A U.S. policy which openly and aggressively supports President Aoun would be consistent with the justifications of past U.S. policy initiatives towards Lebanon. A Lebanon-specific policy would in no way distract from the Middle East peace initiative. We urge a courageous and enlightened action on this front.

(5) The United States has an honorable tradition of standing up for freedom and the rights of minorities to live in peace and to have access to political power. Supporting Lebanon at this time is an affirmation of this tradition and a splendid reflection on the Bush's administration commitment to human rights. The Lebanese in this regard, are no less deservant than the contras.

We would welcome the opportunity to meet with you by the middle of April so we can discuss this matter further and so we may present you with our position on Lebanon developed by experts in the field with years of experience in Lebanon and in the United States.

We salute you and wish you all the health and wisdom you need in your awesome job. God Bless!

Sincerely,



Sarkis J. Khoury, Ph.D.
President



Mohine Bakhos
Vice President-Lebanese Affairs

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: MARCH 31, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. DAVID A. KEENE

SUBJECT: REQUESTS MEETING WITH GOVERNOR SUNUNU AND A
DOZEN CHAIRMAN'S CLUB MEMBERS TO DISCUSS
ISSUES OF MUTUAL CONCERN AND IMPORTANCE

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38 Ivy Street, S.E., Washington, D.C. 20003
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March 28, 1989

The Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Governor Sununu,

As you know, this is a very special year for us at the American Conservative Union because 1989 marks the Silver Anniversary of our founding. Naturally, we are grateful to reach this milestone and feel some pride that over the last 25 years we have been instrumental in leading the conservative charge in many of the major legislative battles.

We are particularly thankful to our Chairman's Club, a core group of supporters and board members, who through the years have been the heartbeat of the ACU.

Each year, we offer our Chairman's Club members the opportunity to meet with noted conservative leaders and select members of the Administration. (In the past, these have included Don Reagan, Jim Baker, Jeane Kirkpatrick, and others.)

As the ACU begins this very special year of moving into its next quarter-century, I believe it would be most helpful if about a dozen of our key Chairman's Club members could meet with you to discuss our mutual objectives. Upon your agreement, my staff would arrange a small dinner party at a location convenient to the White House. If your schedule permits, we would like to plan the dinner for sometime during the first half of May.

We look forward to working with the Administration and continuing the advancement of conservative values and ideals under the leadership of President Bush and yourself.

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration of our request. I anxiously await your reply.

Sincerely,

David A. Keene

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: MARCH 28, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. PATRICK G. KIRBY

SUBJECT: REQUESTS, ON BEHALF OF GOVERNOR DIPRETE, A
MEETING WITH THE PRESIDENT TO DISCUSS THE
DRUG PROBLEM

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State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, PROVIDENCE

Edward D. DiPrete
Governor

March 21, 1989

The Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

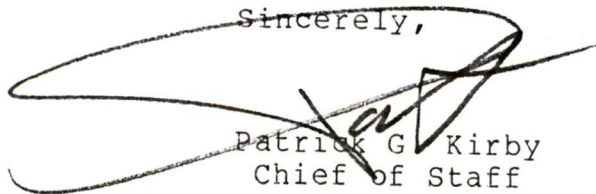
Dear John:

Last fall, Governor DiPrete promised the residents of Rhode Island that he would seek a meeting with the President to discuss the drug problem. The Governor would like to explore the possibility of increasing the use of the military in preventing drug trafficking.

I would like to respectfully request, on behalf of Governor DiPrete, a meeting between President Bush and the Governor in the near future. Only through a cooperative effort on all levels can we hope to reduce the use of drugs in our society.

Thank you in advance for your consideration. I look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Sincerely,



Patrick G. Kirby
Chief of Staff

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: MARCH 28, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. HASAN EL KHATIB

SUBJECT: THANKS FOR LENDING YOUR SUPPORT TO THE ST.
JUDE'S CHILDREN'S RESEARCH HOSPITAL

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March 23, 1989

The Honorable John Sununu
White House Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Governor:

As a member of the board of St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, I personally wish to thank you for lending your support to this worthy cause. The evening will definitely be an event to go down in our hospital's history. The attendance of the President was indeed an honor for Danny, the hospital and a man of your loyal competence.

As an Arab American originally from Jerusalem, I am sincerely concerned about the suffering of the Palestinian Children of the West Bank. I would hope by calling attention to their plight, a resolution can be passed to relieve their sufferings and pains.

Again, thank you for lending your support for such a worthy cause. If I can ever be of any assistance to you in Washington or in the Chicago area, I would be most honored.

Best wishes,

DENA CORPORATION



Hasan El Khatib
President

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: MARCH 27, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE ROBERT W. KASTEN

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDS SEAN O'KEEFE FOR APPOINTMENT AS
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE, COMPTROLLER

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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

March 22, 1989

The Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear John:

I am advised that Dick Cheney is seriously considering the nomination of Sean O'Keefe to be Assistant Secretary of Defense, Comptroller. Sean is our Minority Counsel on the Defense Appropriations Subcommittee. By virtue of his experience on the committee and previous positions in the Defense Department and OMB, in my opinion, Sean is most qualified for the Comptroller job.

John, I would appreciate it if you would lend your attention to Sean's nomination. He was of invaluable assistance to us in the development of the platform in New Orleans last summer, so he is well versed and committed to the President's agenda.

When the Pentagon nominations are submitted to the White House for your review, please help expedite Sean's clearance through the process.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Best regards,


Robert W. Kasten, Jr.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: MARCH 24, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: DR. FRANCIS N. KHERIATY

SUBJECT: FOLLOWS-UP ON HIS PREVIOUS CORRESPONDENCE TO
BE OF SERVICE TO THE ADMINISTRATION

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I see John,

What is happening to my
application to work for your administration?
I am still very interested in working
for President Bush in whatever capacity
you see fit.
May you and your loved ones
have a blessed and happy Easter.
Sincerely, Dr. Frank J. Sponzo
95 Constant St.
Manhasset, N.Y. 03103

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March 16, 1989

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: MARCH 23, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. GEORGE KHOURY

SUBJECT: PERSONAL NOTE

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THE KHOURYS
7 Longwood Road
Salem, New Hampshire 03079

March 19

Dear John,

My sincerest
congratulations on your
receipt of the St. Jude
award. Pat and I had
planned to attend the
banquet, however, responsibilities
at the Conley wake and
funeral "re-oriented" my
schedule.

I am very proud of
you and hope that I see
you soon! Sincerely,
Cathy

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DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 31, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. WILLIAM H. KOLBERG

SUBJECT: SEEKS ASSISTANCE IN SCHEDULING THE PRESIDENT
TO ADDRESS THEIR 21ST ANNUAL CONFERENCE OCT
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The Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief-of-Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear John:

NAB Chairman John Carter and I would appreciate your assistance in scheduling President Bush to be the principal speaker at our 21st Annual Conference on Monday afternoon, October 2, 1989, at the Washington Hilton Hotel.

Joining us for this conference will be more than 2,200 business, education, government and community leaders concerned with building effective public/private partnerships and reforming public education at the federal, state and local levels.

Our initial invitation to President Bush was sent to the White House on March 14, 1989. Joseph Hagin II, Deputy Assistant to the President for Appointments and Scheduling, advised us on April 6, 1989 to renew our invitation closer to the date of the conference.

Since the theme of the conference is **Workforce '89 — Building Quality for the 90's**, special attention will be given to both the new Job Training Partnership system with its focus on at-risk youth, and the nationwide effort to improve the quality of local education systems.

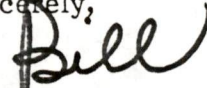
These are subjects with which President Bush identifies and on which he may wish to speak. Our conference is an ideal forum at which he can address the nation on these important issues, especially since it follows the September 27-28 meeting of the National Governors' Association in Charlottesville where the focus will be on education reform and the role the states can play in this effort.

We are working closely with the Committee for Economic Development, and The Business Roundtable Education Committee to develop a united business approach to education reform. Indeed, we and the leaders of eight business organizations committed to education reform are scheduled to meet with Roger Porter and Gregg Petersmeyer on September 21 to discuss specific recommendations on improving education and identifying business' partnership role in helping achieve this objective.

The Honorable John H. Sununu
August 30, 1989
Page Two

Again, John, we would be pleased to have your assistance in placing this invitation on the President's calendar for October 2, 1989, and look forward to having the President join us for our 21st Annual Conference.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Bill", written over the word "Sincerely,".

William H. Kolberg
President & CEO

cc: R. Porter
G. Petersmeyer
B. Kilberg
J. Hagin

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 29, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE JACK KEMP

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURES EXCERPTS FROM GEORGE GILDER'S NEW
BOOK TAKEN FROM FORTUNE MAGAZINE

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John —
 just in case you
 haven't read the book
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The Secretary of Housing and Urban Development

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 philosophy and open new vistas of human
 imagination and moral revival.

THE CENTRAL EVENT of the 20th
 century is the overthrow of matter.
 In technology, economics, and the
 politics of nations, wealth in the
 form of physical resources is steadily declin-
 ing in value and significance. The powers of
 mind are everywhere ascendant over the
 brute force of things.

This change marks a great historic divide.
 Dominating previous human history was the
 movement and manipulation of massive ob-
 jects against friction and gravity. In the classic
 image of humanity, Atlas bears the globe on
 stooped shoulders, or Sisyphus endlessly
 wrestles a huge rock up a slope. For centuries,
 humans grew rich chiefly by winning control
 over territory and treasure, slaves and armies.

Even the Industrial Revolution depended on regimented
 physical labor, natural resources, crude energy sources,
 and massive transport facilities. Wealth and power came
 mainly to the possessor of material things or to the ruler of
 military forces capable of conquering the physical means
 of production: land, labor, and capital.

Today, the ascendant nations and corporations are
 masters not of land and material resources but of ideas
 and technologies. Japan and developing Asian countries
 have become the world's fastest-growing economies.
 Electronics is among the world's fastest-growing major
 industries. Computer software, a pure product of mind,
 is a chief source of added value in world commerce. The
 global network of telecommunications can carry more
 valuable goods than all the world's supertankers. Wealth
 comes not to the rulers of slave labor but to the liberators
 of human creativity, not to the conquerors of land but to
 the emancipators of mind.

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The exemplary technology of this era is
 the microchip—a computer inscribed on a
 tiny piece of processed material. More than
 any other invention, this device epitomizes
 the overthrow of matter. Consider a parable
 of the microchip once told by Gordon
 Moore, chairman of Intel and a founding fa-
 ther of Silicon Valley:

"We needed a substrate for our chip. So
 we looked at the substrate of the earth itself.
 It was mostly sand. So we used that.

"We needed a metal conductor for the
 wires and switches on the chip. We looked at
 all the metals in the earth and found alumi-
 num was the most abundant. So we used that.

"We needed an insulator and we saw that the silicon
 in sand mixed with the oxygen in the air to form silicon
 dioxide—a kind of glass. The perfect insulator to protect
 the chip. So we used that."

The result was a technology—metal oxide silicon
 (MOS), made from metal, sand, and air—in which mate-
 rials costs are less than 2% of total expense. Combining
 millions of components on a single chip, operating in bil-
 lionths of seconds, these devices transcend most of the
 previous constraints of matter. The most valuable sub-
 stance in this, the fundamental product of the era, is the
 idea for the design.

The microchip not only epitomizes but also impels the
 worldwide shift of the worth of goods from materials to
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 industries and reflects the most profound findings of
 modern physics and philosophy. The overthrow of mat-
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George Gilder,
 author of seven
 previous books,
 lives in Tyringham,
 Massachusetts,
 with his wife, four
 children, and five
 computers.



BRAN W. SMITH

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 29, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. ROBERT H. KIME

SUBJECT: SEEKS GOVERNOR SUNUNU ASSISTANCE IN ARRANGING
FOR THE FIRST LADY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
AWARDING OF PLAQUES TO THE SIX WINNERS OF THE
NEW ENGLAND STATES READ-A-THON PROGRAM IN 90

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Mr. John Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C. 20500

8/23/89

Dear Mr. Sununu:

I am the Chairman of the Board for the New Hampshire Multiple Sclerosis Society and I had the pleasure of meeting you on several occasions when you were Governor. You were one of our roasters at a fund raiser we held.

I am writing to you in hopes to have you assist us once again. We have written Barbara Bush in the hope of having her, with her interest in literacy, participate, at the White House, in the presentation of plaques to the top winner in each State in the M.S. "Read-A-Thon" in the six New England States. The presentation could take place almost anytime during the Summer of 1990 at her convenience and would probably not consume more than fifteen minutes. All six children would be together.

The "Read-A-Thon" program teaches children in the elementary years not only to read, but also to help others who are having difficulties in their lives. We, in the six New England chapters, feel that with the first prize being an all expense paid trip to Washington with a parent (which we pay for from chapter expense), and a presentation by the First Lady of a plaque at the White House, we would be able to substantially improve our fundraising efforts for Multiple Sclerosis research and increase the number of kids we get reading books. We need your help. Mrs. Bush's scheduling secretary turned us down. I don't know that Mrs. Bush was even aware of the openness of our request or of the request for that matter. I don't need to tell you of the great public relations impact this would also have for our cause all across New England and it couldn't hurt President Bush any in his second bid for re-election either. We could promise television coverage in all six New England States as well as extensive newspaper and radio coverage.

It should be obvious that we really want this to happen. If Mrs. Bush is unable to help us, perhaps you might be able to steer us to another resource. Would you or the President be willing to do the presentation for example ?.

I want to thank you for your consideration of our cause and hope that possibly we might expect a favorable reply.

Sincerely,



Robert H. Kime
Chairman Board of Trustees
New Hampshire M.S. Society
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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 28, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE JOHN KINCAID

SUBJECT: REQUESTS BRIEF STATEMENT BY SEPT 11 89
RECOGNIZING THE 30TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE
ADVISORY COMMISSION ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL
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August 25, 1989

The Honorable John Sununu
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The White House
Washington, DC 20500

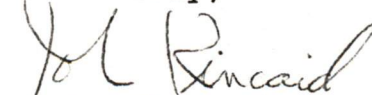
Dear John:

The Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations is developing a special issue of Intergovernmental Perspective to mark the Commission's 30th anniversary. As part of the celebration, we would like to print brief statements--about one paragraph--from persons and organizations who know the ACIR regarding the scope and value of the Commission's work over the past three decades.

We would be especially pleased to have such a contribution to the issue from you as a former ACIR Commission member. We would need to have it by September 11.

Thank you, and we look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,


John Kincaid
Executive Director

THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 28, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. GARY KIEDAISCH

SUBJECT: SUPPORT AND CONGRATULATIONS ON BEING "NEW
ENGLANDER OF THE YEAR"

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August 23, 1989

Gary Kiedaisch
President / General Manager

Governor John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, DC

Dear John,

Just a short note to say hello and congratulate you on the New England Council's selection as "New Englander of the Year". Cyndy and I will be at the annual banquet.

Your doing a great job, they even know how to pronounce your name here in Vermont!

We haven't been back to New Hampshire much this summer, this new job, is a real "throw yourself on the grenade" type effort. I'm having a ball.

If your back for the holidays (either of them), and want to hide let me know. We'd love to see the whole family.

Sincerely,



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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. TOM C. KOROLOGOS

SUBJECT: INVITATION FOR GOVERNOR AND MRS. SUNUNU TO
ATTEND A RECEPTION AT WRITER'S HOME SEP 7 89
IN HONOR OF AMBASSADOR MICHAEL SOTIRHOS

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TOM C. KOROLOGOS
1850 K STREET, N. W., SUITE 850
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20006

August 22, 1989

Dear Governor Sununu:

The President has nominated and the Senate has unanimously confirmed our mutual friend and ally, Michael Sotirhos as the new Ambassador to Greece.

Joy and I would like you and your wife to join us in honoring Michael and Estelle at an informal buffet reception at our home on Thursday, September 7, 1989 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Michael has served as U.S. Ambassador in Jamaica for the past four years and he will be leaving for Greece to take up his new duties shortly.

Hope you can be with us.

Sincerely,


Tom C. Korologos

The Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff to the President
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

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RSVP: Jane Eberle (331-1760)

THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 23, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. JOHN O. KOEHLER

SUBJECT: OFFERS SUGGESTIONS ABOUT HOW THE PRESIDENT
CAN BEST DEAL WITH THE MEDIA, PARTICULARLY
PRESS CONFERENCES

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August 18, 1989

Dear John:

I have just returned after a few days in Washington and, unfortunately, was again unable to see David Demarest, who apparently was traveling. I had wanted it to be a get-acquainted session, but I also had a couple of suggestions which I will now relay to you.

The President is having an excellent rapport with the media. Knowing the Washington press crowd, however, I have to assume that this will not last forever. Thus, you may wish to retain in your contingency file an idea which President Reagan enthusiastically accepted, but was deep-sixed by my successor, who had his own agenda -- one which I felt and still feel was not always in the best interest of the President.

With the Washington media in a feeding frenzy over the Iran-Contra situation and screaming for more press conferences, I suggested that instead of holding them in Washington, where all the questions would be in the nature of "when did you last beat up Nancy or why did you lie to us", the President should hold them outside the Beltway. If, for example, the President wanted to address the farm problem, he should be questioned by the local editors and anchormen in Omaha or Kansas City, who are interested in keeping their readers and viewers informed on issues vital to them. And why not discuss foreign policy issues with UN correspondents in New York.

After 28 years with the AP, I know the feelings of journalists around the country about their Washington brethren. The news people in Chicago, Boston or LA would respond most positively to presidential news conferences in their towns. It would make them feel important too.

Of course, I knew that the Washington crowd would be livid. But where does it say in the Constitution that the President was elected just to keep them happy? Besides, he was not elected by the Washington media anyway. Recalling a poll a few years ago which ranked journalists below used car salesmen when it came to the question of trust, I was convinced that the people would love such a presidential initiative.

Before leaving the White House I briefed then-Vice President Bush on another idea which we used once and after I left it was forgotten.

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Chief of Staff Sununu, August 18, 1989 -- page 2

Prior to President Reagan's March 4, 1989, evening TV speech on the Tower Commission report, I had the media relations staff contact the top radio talk-show producers in the most important markets around the country, i.e. Boston, New York, Chicago, Los Angeles etc., and offer them an interview per telephone the next morning with a top White House official to discuss the speech. David Abshire agreed to do it. We set up a schedule according to which the stations would call in. Abshire talked from his office, with all the background noise and ringing telephones adding to a sense of immediacy and authenticity.

David fielded questions for nearly two hours and it was a resounding success. The interviewers and producers all expressed their appreciation on the air and asked that this method of getting the word out be a regular feature of White House public affairs initiatives.

Of course, you can't regularize something like that because it would lose its appeal after time. However, no matter what the television people like to believe, radio still has a larger audience -- the people in cars, the housewives too busy to watch soaps, the farmers on their tractors etc. But if a major foreign or domestic situation arises involving the presidency, it would be worthwhile considering. For example, I believe explaining the President's position in the aftermath of the Higgins murder by a top official such as Bob Gates would have been of great value in enhancing the image of the Administration.

Sorry to be so windy but I feel deeply about the problem any Administration faces when its communications policy is focused on the Beltway media. The hinterlands need TLC as well, if not more so.

Warmest regards.

Sincerely,



The Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C.

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE EVAN J. KEMP JR.

SUBJECT: APPRECIATION FOR HARD WORK IN REACHING AN
AGREEMENT ON THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES
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EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20507



August 8, 1989

Office of the
Commissioner

The Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff to the President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Governor Sununu:

On behalf of disabled people across the country, I want to thank you for your hard work and persistence in reaching an agreement with the Senate on the Americans with Disabilities Act. You played a critical role in making the negotiations successful. With your continuing support, I have no doubt that President Bush will be signing the ADA into law before the end of this year.

Thanks again for all your endeavors toward passage of the ADA.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Evan".

Evan J. Kemp, Jr.
Commissioner

cc: President George Bush

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 14, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MS. ELIZABETH Y. KEPLEY

SUBJECT: WRITES CONCERNING VARIOUS PROBLEMS WITH THE
AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT AND SUGGESTS
SOME CHANGES

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Research Council

T.M.

Gary L. Bauer, President

August 10, 1989

The Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Governor Sununu:

The Family Research Council, a division of Focus on the Family, would like to thank you for the efforts made to alleviate several troublesome sections of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

We believe that the initial religious tenets provisions incorporated into the qualification standards of Section 103 and Title III of S. 933 will protect religious organizations across the country. We view this as a victory won and are grateful for your efforts.

As you are probably well aware, there are still various problems with the bill. We would like to work with the White House to see positive changes and interpretations remedy these areas of concern either in the Committee report or on the Senate floor. Section 3. (2) (C) defines the term "disability" with respect to an individual. We believe that the language "being regarded" can be interpreted as "perceived", extending the coverage to those who are "perceived" as having a disability. The extension of such coverage to the more controversially defined disabled individuals - alcoholics, drug abusers and HIV carriers - is of concern.

We would like to see Section 101 (4) (B) amended to include religious organizations as exceptions. The proposed amendment would be:

Section 101 (4) (B)

(B) EXCEPTIONS. - The term "employer" does not include -

(i) the United States, a corporation wholly owned by the government of the United States, or an Indian tribe; or

(ii) a bona fide private membership club (other than a labor organization) that is exempt from taxation under Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; or

iii) CHURCHES, RELIGIOUS CORPORATIONS, ASSOCIATIONS AND SOCIETIES WHICH ARE EXEMPT FROM TAXATION UNDER SECTION 501 (c) (3) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986.

The Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff
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We will continue to educate members of the Senate and the business community to these concerns.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Elizabeth Y. Kepley". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of each word being capitalized and prominent.

Elizabeth Y. Kepley
Director
Government Relations

/eyk

cc. The Honorable Roger Porter
Assistant to the President for Domestic Policy
The Honorable William Roper
Deputy Assistant to the President for Domestic Policy

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 14, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: DR. ERNEST L. KISTLER

SUBJECT: INVITATION FOR GOVERNOR SUNUNU TO BE THE
KEYNOTE SPEAKER AT THEIR ENGINEERS WEEK
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SHREVEPORT CHAPTER OF THE LOUISIANA ENGINEERING SOCIETY

SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA



Affiliated With National Society of Professional Engineers

The Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

11 August 1989

Dear Governor Sununu:

On behalf of the Engineering and Scientific Council of Shreveport (ESCS) and the Shreveport Chapter of the Louisiana Engineering Society (LES), I am pleased to invite you to be the Honored Guest Speaker at our Engineer's Week Banquet this year. The banquet is scheduled for Saturday evening, February 24th, but that is somewhat flexible if necessary to meet your schedule.

This will be quite an event, honoring local engineers and engineering companies, and celebrating progress on our new initiative entitled "Volunteer Engineers and Scientists in Educational Research" (VESPER). If you are able to accept our invitation to speak, we hope you will comment specifically on the importance of professionalism, active membership and participation in professional society activities, and active cohesive involvement of engineers and scientists in the public arena. We hope you will comment also on the need for maintaining the highest standards of integrity and excellence. Your selection as an ASME Fellow and White House Chief of Staff are great tributes to your professional career as an engineer and to your effectiveness in public service. Indeed the Ark-La-Tex area would be inspired and honored to have you speak.

VESPER is a project for engineers and scientists to reach out and be involved visibly in helping meet community needs specifically in the area of education, and it is the first initiative under our new local program called Project Independence. You will be pleased to note that both of these ideas were conceived by the Ark-La-Tex Section of ASME, as initiatives contributing to the profession of engineering and simultaneously to the betterment of this local community. VESPER is an innovative approach to educational excellence, and President Bush has lifted the banner of EDUCATION as one of his primary initiatives. It is quite possible that he might want to consider application of the concept at a national level after the Shreveport-Bossier area has served as a test bed for implementation procedures.

Enclosed is a brief synopsis of initial actions now being finalized and set into motion through VESPER. This synopsis was presented for review at an ASME Industry Breakfast in Shreveport last February, and then at the Regional Administrative Conference (RAC) for ASME Region X last April in Ft Worth. It was presented next

at a Citizen's Forum held by the City Council of Shreveport, and then at meetings of the Executive Boards of ESCS and the Shreveport Chapter of LES. At all presentations the concept was very favorably received, and we are now ready to move ahead with final kick-off plans and implementation knowing that there is strong local support. A number of the action items will have been accomplished by this coming February, and there will be much progress to celebrate.

At the ASME RAC in Ft Worth last April, delegates from several cities in Region X expressed interest in working with us on the concept, and participating in satellite teleconferences that we have proposed to broadcast over the Louisiana Educational Satellite Network (LESN) using superb studios of the Alternate View Network here in Shreveport. If you can come to Shreveport as speaker for Engineer's Week we would like to try to arrange an interview session on Saturday morning, along with a discussion of VESPER, and then downlink the interview and discussion to other cities all across the nation.

It is a great pleasure to be authorized to extend this invitation. There has been considerable excitement here with the plan to extend this invitation to you, and the Ark-La-Tex region eagerly looks forward to your being able to accept. I will call a few days after you receive this letter in order to answer any questions, and if we are fortunate enough to have your tentative acceptance then it would be very nice to make an announcement at the Region X IRAC meeting in Dallas on August 19th. I am sure the ASME Region X Vice President as well as regional officers for a number of other ESCS Member Societies will want to set early plans to be a part of this superb Engineer's Week Banquet with you. Thank you for your consideration.

Very truly yours,



Ernest L. Kistler, PhD, PE
President Elect

Enclosure:
Synopsis of Project Independence

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 14, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. GEORGE J. KHOURY

SUBJECT: CONGRATULATIONS ON BEING THE RECIPIENT OF
THE "NEW ENGLANDER OF THE YEAR AWARD"

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Executive Offices

August 9

Dear John,

I just received notification that you will be this year's recipient of the "New Englander of the Year award" conferred by the New England Council.

Beyond my personal pride in the fact that you are receiving yet another high accolade, I am excited that it will give me an opportunity to see you in November!

Congratulations and warmest regards.

Sincerely,

George

G. J. Khoury

Director, Customer Relations

"THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 11, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: DR. SARKIS J. KHOURY

SUBJECT: APPRECIATION FOR LETTER RE LEBANON; ENCLOSURES
COPY OF PLAN TO HOLD A CONSTITUTIONAL
CONVENTION IN LEBANON WITH THE PARTICIPATION
OF MANY PRO-LEBANON GROUPS

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Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20005

Dear Dr. Sununu:

Thank you for your reassuring letter of July 28, 1989. I am delighted that the Bush Administration is not retreating from a firm commitment to a united, sovereign and free (from all foreign forces) Lebanon.

The current hostage crisis further dramatizes what we have been maintaining all along, that is, the solution to western hostages and prospective hostages and victims of terrorism lies in freeing the three million Lebanese hostages from foreign forces and intrigue. The restoration of a strong central government in Lebanon is key to ending terrorism, subversion and the killing innocent civilians.

I know that my colleagues in the 500 Club and the Lebanese community in the U.S. and in Lebanon (indeed the world, believe strongly in the above position. There is no guarantee to individual freedom and basic human rights through chaos and anarchy. Nineteen years of war are more than the Lebanese can tolerate as the fabric of their nation is hanging by its last thread.

The 500 Club and other organizations with similar philosophies will be holding a constitutional convention on Lebanon to which all parties will be invited. We shall demonstrate, conclusively, that the Lebanese are very capable of agreement and that the West can play a critical role.

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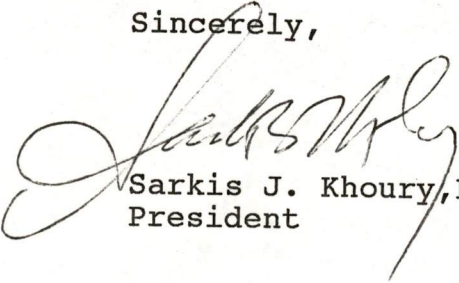
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Enclosed please find a copy of our proposed program.

We would appreciate any encouragement and suggestion from your office.

Thank you for your support and efforts! God Bless!

Sincerely,



Sarkis J. Khoury, Ph.D.
President

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 09, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. ALAN L. KEYES

SUBJECT: REQUESTS MEETING WITH GOVERNOR SUNUNU TO
DISCUSS HOW HIS GROUP CAN HELP THE PRESIDENT
IMPLEMENT THE GRACE COMMISSION
RECOMMENDATIONS

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Alan L. Keyes
President

August 7, 1989

The Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Sununu,

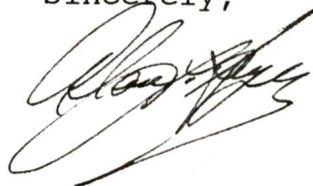
I enjoyed speaking with you today following Brent Bozell's World Freedom Foundation briefing.

As I mentioned, I am now president of Citizens Against Government Waste. We are one of the fastest-growing citizens' movements in the country, with 350,000 members nationwide in just the past eighteen months, and adding 20,000 more each month.

As you know, President Bush was enthusiastic about the Grace Commission report. Following his election last fall, he expressed to my predecessor his support for implementation of the remaining recommendations. The President's budget for FY 1990 contained many Grace Commission recommendations.

I would appreciate the opportunity to meet with you to discuss how Citizens Against Government Waste can help the President implement cost-cutting recommendations and reduce the deficit without raising taxes.

Sincerely,



THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 08, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE ROBERT W. KASTEN JR.

SUBJECT: CONVEYS THOUGHTS ON HOW TO ENSURE VICTORY FOR
THE PRESIDENT'S CAPITAL GAINS INITIATIVE

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COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-6025

August 3, 1989

Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff to the President
The White House
Washington DC 20500

Dear John:

I am writing to convey some of my thoughts on how we can ensure victory for the President's capital gains initiative.

Dick Darman and Nick Brady have done a tremendous job in guiding the capital gains issue through the Ways and Means Committee. But in order to achieve final victory in September, I believe the President must now take the case for a capital gains tax cut "on the road" and directly to the American people.

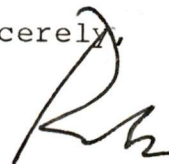
I have a few suggestions on themes that the President may want to stress in his message: First, capital gains is a competitiveness and jobs issue. Keeping the U.S. tax rate as high as it is amounts to a giveaway of American jobs to our international competitors who tax gains at significantly lower rates (in fact, many of them don't tax capital gains at all).

Second, a capital gains cut will benefit ordinary folks -- from the family selling its mutual funds to finance a child's education to a widow cashing in her husband's lifetime investments to pay for her retirement to a small businesswoman selling her corner grocery store. In fact, 50 percent of the dollar volume of all capital gains go to people earning less than \$60,000; 21 percent go to people with less than \$10,000.

Third, a capital gains tax cut is needed to revive the U.S. economy. Recent economic signs point to sluggish growth ahead. The proper policy response is to slash the capital gains rate immediately -- and get the economy moving again through investment.

I hope to discuss this with you soon.

Sincerely,



Robert W. Kasten, Jr.

RWK/cvc

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 07, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: LT. JOSEPH D. KENNEY

SUBJECT: REQUESTS ASSISTANCE IN PRESENTING A PAINTING
TO THE PRESIDENT

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The Honorable John H. Sununu
White House Chief of Staff
White House
Washington, DC 20005

2 Aug 1989

Dear Mr. Sununu:

My name is Lieutenant Joseph D. Kenney a resident of Wakefield, New Hampshire and I am currently stationed at Quantico, VA in the United States Marine Corps. I met you as an honored guest at the 1988 New Hampshire Special Olympic Games in Durham, NH as you officially opened the event as Governor.

Sir, I am writing to you for help concerning a painting I would like to present to President Bush. Earlier this year in March I was invited to the White House by President Bush as the Metropolitan Area of Washington, DC Toys For Tots Events Coordinator. The 1988 Marine Toys For Tots Program was extremely successful as we collected close to 80,000 new toys for underprivileged children in the DC area.

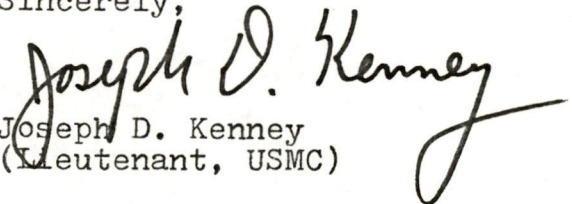
My meeting with President Bush in the White House Oval Office on March 1st of this year was most memorable. I was impressed by the President's friendliness and curiosity toward the Marine Toys For Tots Program. It was a day I was proud of and glad to be an American. Somehow, I wanted to reciprocate the President's kindness and generosity.

Unbeknownst to me, my brother, David a former Marine and established sculptor/painter in Boston, MA was painting a picture for President Bush during this same time frame. It was not until later he suggested I present the painting to President Bush on behalf of my work with Toys For Tots. The painting, a 30"x24" picture with a mahogany/gold frame, stems from the Artist's Steppenvolk Art Series where the people of the Steppes civilization 2500 years ago in Central Asia maintained an honorable and free society--much like the leaders of America value today.

My reason for approaching you sir is that it is my understanding most gifts to the President are never presented or received. If anything, I would appreciate your support when I approach the White House Staff concerning this matter.

As a Marine and a man who treasures the value of the American way, I want to thank you for your work (especially with New Hampshire Special Olympics). I wish you, Mrs. Sununu and your family Good Health and High Spirits.

Sincerely,


Joseph D. Kenney
(Lieutenant, USMC)

Enclosures

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 07, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. JOHN W. KIERMAIER

SUBJECT: INVITATION FOR GOVERNOR SUNUNU TO ADDRESS THE
FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION SOME EVENING IN
THE NEAR FUTURE

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28 July 1989

The Honorable
John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Sununu:

On behalf of the Board of Governors of the Foreign Policy Association, we cordially invite you to speak before an FPA audience.

The FPA represents the major public forum for addresses on international affairs in New York City. We are the nation's leading nonpartisan, nonprofit organization in the field of public education on world affairs. FPA brings American foreign policy makers, as well as presidents, prime ministers, statesmen and scholars from around the world, to its podium.

In the past year, we presented a myriad of world leaders, including Egyptian President Mohamed Hosni Mubarak, Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir, Chinese Foreign Minister Qian Qichen, and French Minister Pierre Berezgoy. From here at home, our speakers included National Security Advisor Brent Scowcroft, United Nations Ambassador Vernon Walters, Secretary of State George Shultz, and Defense Secretary Frank Carlucci. Over the years, other prominent world leaders, including British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, Indian Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi, Japanese Prime Minister Takeo Fukuda, and Chinese Premier Zhao Ziyang have spoken at FPA gatherings.

A foreign policy address by you would attract informed individuals representing the fields of finance, education and government. The diversity of our audience provides an excellent forum for prominent leaders to communicate directly with the American public. Additionally, television and press coverage give national and international attention to our guest speakers.

As is our custom, you would present a 20 minute address. A discussion would follow for the remainder of the hour, with guests asking questions, and an informal reception in your honor would conclude the evening. We would begin at 6:00 p.m. and finish by 7:30 p.m.

With every hope that you will be able to accept this invitation, and with further good wishes to you personally,

Sincerely,

John W. Kiermaier
President

Mrs. Cyrus R. Vance
Speakers Committee Chairman

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 07, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MS. KATHERINE N. KUNTZ

SUBJECT: REQUESTS PERMISSION TO USE A QUOTATION FROM
GOVERNOR SUNUNU IN THEIR LATEST FUNDRAISING
CAMPAIGN

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July 31, 1989

Mr. John Sununu
White House Chief of Staff
for the Bush Administration
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. Sununu:

As a part of our new building campaign, we are preparing a fundraising brochure. We have included a quote by you (see sample page attached). Would you please give us permission to use this quote?

To give us permission to use this quote, please sign the statement below and returning in the enclosed envelope. If you wish to change the quote, please make the changes on the sample and return it in the envelope along with your permission.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. This brochure is scheduled to go to press within the next two-three weeks. We will send you a copy as soon as it is printed.

We appreciate your continued support of the Institute.

Warmest regards,

Katharine N. Kunst
Assistant Director

Attachment

I hereby grant the Institute of Policy Sciences and Public Affairs permission to use the quote, as requested, in their fundraising brochure.

(Signature)

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 04, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MRS. CORETTA SCOTT KING

SUBJECT: REQUESTS ASSISTANCE IN SECURING CRITICAL
\$300,000 FUNDING FOR THE COMMISSION OR THEY
MAY NOT BE ABLE TO SURVIVE ANOTHER YEAR

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The Honorable John H. Sununu
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The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
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Dear Governor Sununu:

I find it most difficult to discuss \$300,000, modest but critical funding for the Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Holiday Commission, when all Americans must share a common concern about terrorists and continued violence in the Middle East. Our prayers are with the family of Lieutenant Colonel William R. Higgins and President Bush and his call for the reversal of the cycle of violence in that region.

The Federal Commission was not included in the 1989 supplemental budget and we lost \$300,000. I wrote Mr. Richard G. Darman, Director of the Office of Management and Budget, on June 23, 1989, but I never received a formal response to my appeal for help. I understand that no Sub-Committee of the Senate Appropriations Committee will accept responsibility for the inclusion of the Commission's authorized appropriation in its budget recommendations. Unless we can turn this situation around, I fear that the Commission can not survive another year.

The Commission will hold its next meeting on September 19, at which time we will add Lee Atwater and several others to our membership. The Act establishing the Federal Commission requires that the President name four persons to the Commission. I would hope that the President might make these appointments prior to our September meeting. Persons at the Executive, Cabinet and Agency level who have the resources and commitment to help the Commission include Vice President Dan Quayle, HUD Secretary Jack Kemp, HHS Secretary Dr. Louis Sullivan, and Education Secretary Lauro F. Cavazos, USIA Director Bruce S. Gelb, Attorney General

*Tax deductible contributions may be made to the Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Holiday Corporation,
a Nonprofit Charitable Organization formed to carry out the work of the Commission.*

Governor Sununu

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August 2, 1989

Richard L. Thornburgh, Defense Secretary Richard B. Cheney,
Secretary of State James A. Baker, Interior Secretary Manuel
Lujan, Jr. and Labor Secretary Elizabeth Dole.

Our thanks and warm regards to the President and Mrs. Bush.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Coretta Scott King". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Coretta Scott King

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: JULY 31, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE JACK KEMP

SUBJECT: WOULD BE HAPPY TO MEET WITH GOVERNOR SUNUNU
TO PLAN STRATEGY FOR DEALING WITH THE HUD
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July 28, 1989

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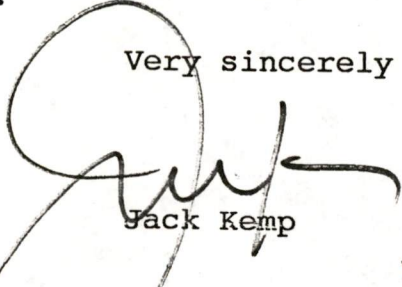
Dear Governor Sununu:

Thank you for your note of July 7, and for sending along a copy of Mitch Daniels' comments concerning the problems facing the Department.

John, I agree with Mitch's basic point that political favoritism at HUD has not been limited to Republicans, and I have stated emphatically that I will eliminate abuse, be it Republican or Democrat. But as the enclosed article shows, we are doing more for President Bush by letting the "chips" fall where they may than by trying to turn this into an "anti-democrat" problem.

Thank you again for your letter, for your encouragement and support, and be assured I will work hard to make you and the President proud of your decision to invite me into the cabinet at this great moment in history.

Very sincerely yours,


Jack Kemp

*I'd be happy to
visit with you about
strategy on this, at
any time convenient
to you.
JK*

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: JULY 31, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MS. BARBARA KEATING-EDH

SUBJECT: ANNOUNCES THAT SHE IS BACKING CLARE L.
BERRYHILL TO FILL THE SEAT OF TONY COELHO

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Barbara Keating-Edh
913 Wycliffe Court
Modesto, California 95355
(209) 522-6572

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July 27, 1982

Dear John,

I write as a fellow Council for National Policy Member.

Like you, I applauded the resignations of both House Speaker Wright and liberal Majority Whip Tony Coelho. These vacancies have provided us with some unexpected opportunities to capture these House seats.

In the 15th Congressional District where I reside, those of us who treasure freedom, fiscal responsibility and a strong defense are particularly delighted to see T. Coelho's political career abruptly ended.

Here in the San Joaquin Valley in California there has been a scramble to fill that vacated seat. The Democrats have gotten behind an Assemblyman named Gary Condit who promises to carry on where Tony Coelho left off. Coelho is visible in his support for this individual, hoping to transfer his mantle smoothly and retain the seat for the Democrat Party. Coelho's young protege promises to continue to provide "pork barrel" to the local farmers, projecting a conservative image at home while voting as a liberal Democrat on the floor of the House.

As the Republican County Chairman here in Stanislaus County, I am determined to work my heart out to snatch this seat from the liberal Democrat leadership. Mr. Coelho has met his match in determination.

I am backing a conservative Republican in the race. In fact, I have taken a short leave from my duties at CONSUMER ALERT to manage the campaign of the Republican candidate Clare L. Berryhill.

Clare Berryhill is the candidate the liberal Democrats least wanted to face in this race. He served in both the State Assembly and the State

Senate here in California. In 1982 Governor Deukmejian appointed Clare to State Director of Department of Food and Agriculture, where he moved swiftly to clean up the medfly mess left by the previous Governor, Jerry Brown.

A farmer, Clare has a strong background in agriculture and legislative leadership. His experience and record of accomplishments are in dramatic contrast to his young opponent. Clare has already stated publicly his opposition to abortion, to the Congressional pay raise and to gun control.

He will be a welcome addition to the growing number of pro-active conservative House members.

This special election will be short, fierce and expensive. Voters will decide on September 12th - just six weeks from now!

Clare Berryhill needs immediate financial support as well as prayers and other assistance from those who share his political ideology. We're fortunate to have a man of his stature as our candidate. The Democrats are really worried about losing this seat.

If you wish to contact the Berryhill for Congress Committee, you can write to PO Box 1506, Ceres, CA 95307 or call 209 578-1989.

Cordially,

Barbara Keating-Edh
Barbara Keating-Edh

*John -
We are doing that
our best to see that
the Coelho seat is filled
with support for President
Bush's policies.
Best wishes,
Barbara*

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: JULY 31, 1989

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. DEAN R. KLECKNER

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDS ALAN REYNOLDS FOR APPOINTMENT TO
THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE

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July 25, 1989

Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
White House
1600 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Sununu:

I am writing to you on behalf of the appointment of Alan Reynolds to the Federal Reserve Board of Governors to fill the seat recently vacated by Robert Heller.

Alan Reynolds, in my view, would be an outstanding appointment to the Board for the following reasons.

First of all, Alan understands free markets and the strategic role the Federal Reserve plays in determining the viability of free markets.

Second, he understands the importance of keeping inflation on a downward trend while at the same time maintaining strong real economic growth.

Third, Alan Reynolds knows the importance of tax policy and the role it plays in promoting growth, savings and investment. Continuation of the economic expansion is essential to the success of the Bush Administration's economic policies. The Federal Reserve holds the key.

Fourth, Alan Reynolds is a respected, articulate economist who understands the importance of the United States in the world economy and the strategic relationships among the world's central banks.

Above all else, Alan is a team player capable of defending final decisions.

As you consider candidates to the Federal Reserve Board, your search is not likely to find a candidate more qualified than Alan Reynolds.

Sincerely,

Dean R. Kleckner
President