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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 19, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE LAMAR SMITH

SUBJECT: SUGGESTS A ONE-YEAR, 10 PERCENT CUT IN
GOVERNMENT OVERHEAD TO REDUCE THE DEFICIT

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The Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff to the President
Office of the Chief of Staff
The White House Office
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Governor Sununu,

For good or bad, there is already wide agreement -- Democrat, Republican, House, Senate -- on these common elements of a budget agreement: defense cuts, entitlement adjustments, user fees, and debt interest savings.

If we add a one-year, 10 percent cut in government overhead, which now accounts for one-fifth of the federal budget, we can reach the goal of \$500 billion in deficit reduction in five years.

And we can reach that goal with no new taxes and without other cuts in people, programs, or benefits.

Here's how it would work.

	<u>Expected Revenue</u> <u>(in billions)</u>
Defense cuts	\$140
Entitlement adjustments	100
User Fees	50
Debt interest savings	70
Overhead cuts	<u>140</u>
TOTAL	\$500

First year savings would be \$49.9 billion.

Enclosed is additional information on the proposal to cut indirect costs.

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Honorable John Sununu
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The proposal to cut overhead costs of the federal government has been endorsed by The Council for Citizens Against Government Waste, The Heritage Foundation, Citizens for a Sound Economy, syndicated columnist Warren Brookes, and many newspapers.

Let's cast aside narrow partisanship and embrace a new idea: cut overhead to reduce the deficit.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lamar", written in dark ink.

Lamar Smith
Member of Congress

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 19, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. ROBERT A. SWANSON

SUBJECT: SUPPORTS EXTENSION OF R&D TAX PROVISIONS IN
A BUDGET AGREEMENT

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October 18, 1990

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

As the Administration and Congress approach a final decision on a budget agreement, I want to extend my firm belief that deficit reduction, critical to the vitality of the nation, is a top priority that requires immediate action.

As an active member of the research community, we are equally convinced that growth and investment initiatives are essential to a successful, long-term deficit reduction plan. Specifically, the technology community strongly supports extension of R&D tax provisions. Genentech supports the current Senate budget proposal, which includes extensions of the R&D provisions.

Over the past 5 years, Genentech has averaged research and development spending at a level of 40% of our sales -- not profits. We are currently engaging in R&D spending at a level placing us in the top 100 companies in the United States -- even though we are not yet in the Fortune 500. We know first hand the concrete, tangible benefits of the R&D credit. Therefore, I urge you to strongly advocate one of the key pro-growth tax incentives supported by the President that was part of the Summit agreement.

We recognize the difficulties involved in reaching a solid budget agreement. However, allowing the expiring R&D provisions to lapse would adversely affect our company and America's science and technology community at a time of increased global competition. I urge you to advocate passage of a final agreement that contains extensions of these important provisions.

Sincerely,



Robert A. Swanson
Chairman of the Board

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CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 18, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE SAMUEL K. SKINNER

SUBJECT: ENDORSES THE CABINET AFFAIRS' EXECUTIVE
BRANCH SURVEY OF FALL 1990 ACTIVITIES

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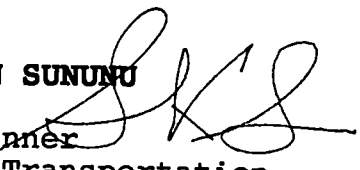


THE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20590

October 15, 1990

MEMORANDUM FOR GOVERNOR JOHN SUNUNU

FROM: Samuel K. Skinner 
Secretary of Transportation

SUBJECT: Executive Branch Survey of Fall 1990 Activities

Ede Holiday and her Cabinet Affairs staff recently completed an exercise that I found very beneficial and wanted to highlight for your attention. Each executive department and agency was asked to submit a synopsis of its key activities and initiatives through December. The Cabinet Affairs staff followed up this effort by meeting with senior staff from each department or agency to discuss individual reports.

I have discovered two important benefits derived from this endeavor:

1. I now have a document that can serve as a short-term management tool encompassing priority activities throughout DOT; and
2. Ede has obtained a detailed sense of my immediate focus that can be used to support Presidential themes to be stressed in the near term.

I applaud Ede and her staff for taking the time to complete this exercise, and I would heartily endorse that we institutionalize the report based on its mutual value.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 18, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. DAN STEIN

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING THE FLAWS IN THE IMMIGRATION
REFORM BILL PASSED BY THE HOUSE AND SENATE

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October 17, 1990

John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
Office of the President
1600 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Sununu:

Legal immigration reform bills passed by the House and the Senate have resulted in a number of differences which have yet to be ironed out. Some of the areas open to negotiation should be of prime concern to the White House.

For example, the provision of the House bill setting up a bureaucratic labor "attestation" system to determine the eligibility of employment-based visas remains a part of the bill. That particular provision was objected to by Michael J. Boskin, Chairman of the President's Council of Economic Advisers in his October 16th letter to the Wall Street Journal. There are many other flaws in the bill which are just not being addressed in the ongoing negotiations.

I hope you find my enclosed op-ed, which appeared in the Washington Post on October 16, 1990, to be of assistance. The most extensive change in immigration policy should not be addressed in the waning moments of an expiring Congress. It is a matter far too important to be subject a last-minute legislative process.

Sincerely,

Dan Stein

Dan Stein
Executive Director, FAIR

Enclosure

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. ROBERT F. SILVERSTEIN

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDS FOREST J. BOWMAN FOR APPOINTMENT
AS U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE FOR ONE OF THE TWO
NEW REGIONS BEING CREATED FOR WEST VIRGINIA

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October 11, 1990

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

By way of reintroduction, we met at Kitty and John Jr.'s wedding in Charleston. Although I have played golf with John Jr. on several occasions, I hear about you through Tom and through the media.

I am recommending Forest J. Bowman, Professor of Law at West Virginia University for an appointment to one of the two United States District Judgeships which will be created for the Northern and Southern Districts of West Virginia by the Civil Justice Reform Act of 1990, S.2648.

As a former Republican office holder, I believe that Jack Bowman's selection as a federal judge would reflect positively on the party, the state, and the nation.

Attached is curriculum vitae for Forest Jackson Bowman.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Robert F. Silverstein

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 17, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. DAVID A. SCHOENWOLF

SUBJECT: INVITATION TO GOVERNOR SUNUNU TO SPEAK AT THE
SOCIETY'S LAWLER LECTURE ON MAY 7 91 IN
BOSTON

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12 October 1990

Ms. Jackie Kennedy
Assistant to Chief of Staff
White House
Washington D.C. 20500

Subject: Boston Society of Civil Engineers Section of
of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

Dear Ms. Kennedy:

On behalf of the Engineering Management Technical Committee of the Boston Society of Civil Engineers Section of American Society of Civil Engineers (BSCES/ASCE), I am writing to extend an invitation to Mr. John Sununu, Chief of Staff, to speak at the 1991 Lawler Lecture. The Lawler Lecture is an annual event sponsored by the Engineering Management Technical Group of BSCES/ASCE. This year, the Lecture will be held on 7 May 1991 at a prominent hotel in the Boston area.

The Joseph C. Lawler Lecture was established in memory of ASCE Civil Engineering Management Award Winner Joseph C. Lawler to provide a forum to discuss important aspects of engineering management. These aspects include management of projects, general management of engineering organizations and the management of engineering education and professional development.

A prominent speaker is typically chosen for the Lawler Lecture. Past Lecturers have included:

- o Senator Paul Tsongas
- o Dr. Lester Thurow, Dean of MIT Sloan School
- o Dr. Thomas Larsen, Secretary of Pennsylvania Department of Transportation
- o Arnoldo Hax, Assistant Dean of MIT Sloan School
- o Ken Olson, President of Digital Equipment Company.



Ms. Jackie Kennedy
12 October 1990
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We would be pleased to have Mr. Sununu, a civil engineer responsible for coordinating the White House Cabinet, make a presentation on a topic of Engineering Management.

Our usual format for the Lecture is as follows:

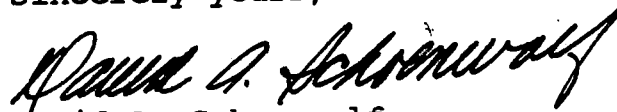
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6:30 - 7.30 p.m. Dinner
7.30 - 8.30 p.m. Presentation

The presentation should be no more than one hour in length and would be followed by a brief question and answer period. The use of slides or other visual aids can be accommodated.

We will be looking forward to Mr. Sununu's response to our invitation. If you have any questions or need additional information you can contact me at the following address:

Haley & Aldrich, Inc,
58 Charles Street
Cambridge, Massachusetts 02141
(617) 494-1606 or (617) 494-4910 ext 424.

Sincerely yours,



David A. Schoenwolf
Chairman
Engineering Management Technical Committee

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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: DR. JAMES H. SAMMONS

SUBJECT: ANNOUNCES THE OPENING OF HIS NEW OFFICE

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October 5, 1990

Mr. John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff & Assistant to the President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. Sununu:

I am pleased to announce the opening of our new office, effective immediately, as follows:

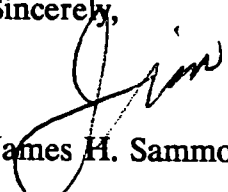
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I have formed this entity to utilize my experience in organized medicine and to carry on with my intense interest, commitment, and concern for the problems and issues that continue to arise in the health care field in both the public and private arena.

My own personal involvement as well as the capability of pulling together expert teams and task forces to assist your organization in facing these challenges is our promise and commitment. Whether your needs involve health policy areas or study and management recommendations for specific business or clinical projects in the health care field, I believe we can offer unique capabilities to help satisfy those needs.

Please write or call if I can be of assistance.

Sincerely,


James H. Sammons, MD

JHS/bmg

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 15, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MS. ELLEN SAUERBREY

SUBJECT: ALTHOUGH ALEC SUPPORTS ENACTMENT OF A NEW
FEDERAL CLEAN AIR ACT, MEMBERS HAVE SOME
CONCERNS REGARDING THE AMENDMENTS WHICH ARE
NOT IN CONFERENCE

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October 11, 1990

The Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, DC 25000

Dear Governor Sununu:

The American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC) has a number of concerns about the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990 which we hope the conferees, now working to resolve the differences between the House and Senate bills, will take into consideration. Some of ALEC's strongest concerns revolve around the issue of utility regulation.

As an organization serving state legislators from all fifty states, ALEC has consistently favored approaches for enacting a new federal Clean Air Act that will provide maximum environmental benefits at reasonable cost to state electricity consumers.

The clean air proposals currently being considered by the House/Senate conference committees are projected to cost between \$29 to \$36 billion annually. As much as \$5 to \$7 billion of these costs may be borne directly by electricity consumers to pay for the acid rain segment of the bill, which in some regions of the country will lead to rate increases exceeding 10 percent. Moreover, the Administration has estimated that if Congress accepts the Senate version of the Clean Air bill it will be adding, in addition to the cost of the acid rain requirements, another \$7.3 billion dollars annually in utility compliance costs.

The additional \$7.3 billion in costs to consumers results from the fact that the Senate bill requires electric utilities to install controls, beyond that in the acid rain legislation, to satisfy the air toxics segment of that bill.

By contrast, the House bill requires that EPA undertake a three year study of emissions from power plants to determine whether additional controls for air toxics are even warranted. If the Congress accepts the Senate version of the bill, no region of the country will be immune from the regulatory and economic effects of imposing perhaps unnecessary air toxics regulations on electric utilities. Under the existing Section 112 of the Clean Air Act, EPA has considered whether additional regulation of the most prevalent "air toxic" emissions from power plants is necessary, and thus far, has found that it is not. ALEC asks that the conferees consider adopting the House provision on the critical issue of air toxics regulation of electric utilities.

On a topic closely related to the cost of the acid rain title, ALEC also has concerns about the functioning of the allowance trading provisions. The allowance system is a major regulatory innovation that could dramatically help reduce compliance costs.

For that reason, ALEC hopes that the conferees will develop a final bill that: 1) gives utilities certainty as to the number of allowances that will be available at a given plant in both phases of the compliance program; 2) avoids imposing an array of restrictions on how allowances can be used or traded; and 3) encourages development of a truly national market in allowances.

At this point, neither bill provides utilities and thus, indirectly, the states, with any certainty about the number of allowances they will receive in Phase II (after the year 2000). Providing that certainty could perhaps best be accomplished through the addition of a table which a given unit in Phase II is entitled, just as is done for Phase I affected units.

The House bill, by and large, provides the best system for facilitating allowance transfers, and divides the nation into two separate trading regions.

Finally, ALEC hopes the conferees will produce a bill that imposes a reasonable Nitrogen Oxide (NOX) control program on the nation's utilities. ALEC has deep concerns about the Senate provisions which would require owners and operators to install control technologies in approximately 400 units before January 1, 1995. Even if domestic manufacturers were capable of supplying individual units with the requisite equipment, the delay would require lengthy outages that, prior to 1995, might interfere with electric service in some regions of the country.

Thus, with regard to controlling NOX emissions from power plants, ALEC believes that the House compliance date of the year 2000 should be adopted in lieu of the Senate date of 1995.

As fellow legislators, the members of ALEC appreciate the difficult job that the conferees face and simply ask that, as outlined above, the high costs of the bill be reduced whenever possible.

Sincerely yours,

Ellen L. Sauerbrey

Delegate Ellen Sauerbrey
National Chairman

Samuel A. Brunelli

Samuel A. Brunelli
Executive Director

CC: House and Senate Conferees

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 12, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: DR. WARREN K. SINCLAIR

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDS APPOINTMENT OF DR. EDWARD WEBSTER
FOR THE POSITION AS COMMISSIONER FOR THE
NUCLEAR REGULATORY COMMISSION

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October 10, 1990

Mr. John H. Sununu
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Sununu:

I wish to support the candidacy of Edward W. Webster, Ph.D. of Boston, Massachusetts for the position of Commissioner for the U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Dr. Webster is extremely well qualified for this appointment. He is an electrical engineer and physicist with a national and international reputation in medical physics and in radiation safety. His extensive contributions in research and in education in these fields have resulted in his being selected for many key roles both nationally and internationally. Nationally, he has served on the Council, on the Board and on many committees of the National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements (NCRP) and is now a most active honorary member. His contribution to sound standards of radiation protection for radiation workers and the public have been of outstanding service to the Council and to the nation. He has also served on a variety of important committees of the National Academy of Sciences and contributed especially to the well known "BEIR III" report on radiation risks of a decade ago.

Internationally he serves on the U.S. delegation to the United Nations Scientific Committee on Atomic Radiation, the premier world body dealing with radiation levels and effects, worldwide, and both the International Atomic Energy Agency and the International Commission on Radiological Protection have benefitted from his advice through service on their committees.

Dr. Webster is Professor of Radiology at Harvard University and has been very active in education and research, not only for the University but also for such professional organizations as the Health Physics Society and the American Association of Physicists in Medicine. He has also served the federal agencies, including the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, the Veterans Administration and the National Institutes of Health, in a variety of capacities.

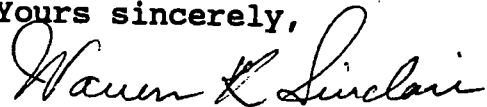
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Dr. Webster would bring unique knowledge of radiation safety to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and a sound conservative position on public policy with respect to radiation problems which recognizes the important uses to which ionizing radiation can be put and the need to have adequate protection from its hazards.

I know that Dr. Webster would receive the support and confidence of the entire professional community in the radiation safety field not only because of his abilities but also his dedication to a chosen task. It has been my responsibility as President of this Council to call upon Dr. Webster on many occasions for his particular expertise. He has always responded with outstanding dedication.

I am quite sure that if appointed to the role of Commissioner of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission Dr. Webster would perform outstanding service in the interests of the people of the United States.

Yours sincerely,



Warren K. Sinclair
President, NCRP
Professor Emeritus,
University of Chicago

cc: Mr. Chase Untermeyer

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 12, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. J. LAWRENCE SHANE

SUBJECT: URGES A PRESIDENTIAL VETO OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS
ACT OF 1990

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J. LAWRENCE SHANE
VICE CHAIRMAN

October 10, 1990

*The Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff
Office of the President of
the United States
White House
Washington, D.C. 20500*

Dear Governor Sununu:

*On behalf of Scott Paper Company, I am writing to urge
a Presidential veto of the Civil Rights Act of 1990.*

*Scott Paper Company is proud of its record of equal
employment opportunity, and we support your efforts
to force a compromise with Congress that will protect
employee rights without unnecessarily burdening
employers. But like many responsible companies, we
are concerned that the Civil Rights Act will encourage
litigation and impose an unhealthy and unproductive
employment environment.*

*The Civil Rights Act will increase employment liti-
gation because of its provisions for an expanded
statute of limitations, jury trials, and compensatory
and punitive damages. We feel strongly that these
changes in the law go well beyond Congress' stated
intention merely to overturn recent Supreme Court
precedent. These features of the bill will do nothing
to positively influence employment practices, will
expose even well-intentioned employers to inordinate
litigation expense, and represent a departure from
Title VII's approach of encouraging the quick and
inexpensive resolution of employment discrimination
claims.*

*One of the most controversial aspects of the Civil
Rights Act is reflected in the debate over whether
it would require employers to adopt hiring and
promotion quotas. Despite the Act's statement
that quotas are not required, its treatment of*

The Honorable John Sununu
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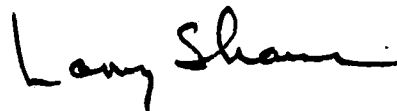
the issues raised in the Supreme Court's decision in Wards Cove Packing Co. vs. Atonio makes it extremely easy for employees to bring -- and extremely difficult for employers to defend -- disparate impact claims.

Under these circumstances, many employers believe that a prudent preventative measure would be to adopt hiring and promotion quotas to ensure that women and minorities are not affected or represented disproportionately. If this happens, the Civil Rights Act will have served to mark a dramatic and unfortunate shift in our nation's efforts to make race and gender irrelevant in the workplace.

We urge the White House to work with Congress to modify the onerous procedural and remedial provisions of the law. Without these changes, the bill remains unacceptable.

Thank you very much for your efforts in this regard. We appreciate your attention to the concerns of Scott Paper Company.

Sincerely,



JLS/sc

cc: J. A. Morrill
W. P. Lawrence
W. D. Bubb
B. G. Terpstra

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 11, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. ELTON B. SPEPHENS

SUBJECT: URGES THE ADMINISTRATION TO REINSTATE THE
INDUSTRIAL BONDS FOR FINANCING PROGRAMS IN
THE UPCOMING BUDGET AGREEMENT

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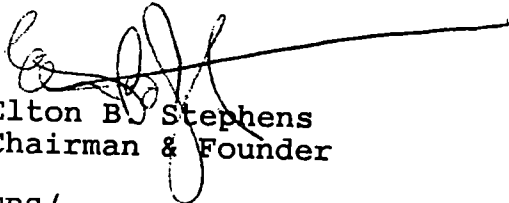
J. T. Stephens
President
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October 4, 1990

Governor John H. Sununu
White House Chief Of Staff
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Governor Sununu:

In order for there to be growth in the economy and new manufacturing jobs to increase we need the industrial development bonds for financing programs. Please reinstate them in the upcoming Budget Agreement. Thanks.


Elton B. Stephens
Chairman & Founder

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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MRS. JAMIE SASSONE

SUBJECT: REQUESTS A 300-1500 WORD PRO-LIFE ARTICLE OR
STATEMENT FOR USE IN THE FEB 91 ISSUE OF ALL
ABOUT ISSUES

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Hon. John H. Sununu
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Dear Mr. Sununu:

Recently we wrote to you requesting a 300-1500 word pro-life article or statement from you that we could use in the February 1991 issue of our magazine, *ALL About Issues*. This issue will focus on minority involvement in the pro-life movement; why more minorities people should be involved and what each person can do to make a difference. The focus of the the article was and still is up to you.

Our deadline for receiving an article, November 1, 1990, is approaching, and we have still received no reply to our request. Please notify the editor of the magazine, **Mr. Jeffrey Rubin**, at the address above as to whether or not you will be able to send an article in to us. We truly believe that our readers can benefit greatly from what you have to say; therefore we would appreciate it if you could find time out from your busy schedule to send us your ideas and feelings on this important pro-life issue.

If you are able to send us an article, please enclose a photo of yourself as well.

Thank you for giving your attention and serious consideration to this request.

With God for Life,

(Mrs.) Jamie Sassone
Correspondence Secretary

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 10, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE ALAN K. SIMPSON

SUBJECT: URGES THE ADMINISTRATION TO PURSUE THE
INCLUSION OF MARITIME ISSUES IN THE CURRENT
GATT TALKS

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United States Senate
Assistant Republican Leader

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

October 2, 1990

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

Dear John:

I am writing to you to express my personal support for the inclusion of maritime issues in the current GATT talks. I, too, want to see a resurgence of our U.S. flag maritime fleet and I feel that the GATT talks are the most effective and appropriate forum in which to address the inefficiencies of our own maritime policies as well as the unfair policies of our competitors. As you may know, my good friends Senators Chuck Grassley and Bob Dole wrote the President in early August on this issue.

Senator John Breaux introduced Senate Concurrent Resolution 63 on August 4, 1989. It urges the President in the strongest possible terms to ensure that the United States does not propose maritime transportation services for inclusion in the GATT talks. Currently, it has the support of 54 cosponsors in the Senate.

I believe this resolution is too narrow and demonstrates little foresight. If agricultural issues are to be included in the GATT discussions, then the maritime issues should also be dealt with. When we passed the Farm Bill in 1985, Congress stated that it was in the best interests of this country to have a productive and healthy agricultural industry and an active American maritime industry.

In addition, there also seems to be considerable support for their inclusion among maritime industry officials. One report from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a few years ago concluded that our maritime policies have failed miserably. It certainly does not make any sense to resolve the agricultural subsidy problem at the GATT talks, without including the maritime subsidies. I think it would be most productive -- to everyone -- to have both of these critical issues resolved together.

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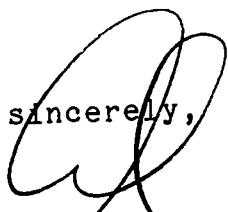
There are also some very significant statistics of which you should be aware. Almost 40 years ago, the American-flag fleet had over 1000 vessels with 56,000 seafaring jobs -- meaning that we carried 43 percent of the volume of American foreign trade. In 1990, those numbers have dwindled to under 400 vessels, fewer than 10,000 seafaring jobs, and less than 5 percent of the volume of our foreign trade.

GATT is intended to be the global round table for discussions to solve the inequities that exist in trade practices from country to country -- and this is exactly where these maritime issues should be settled. John, I sincerely ask you to urge the President to pursue these issues during the remainder of the 1990 GATT talks.

Thanks for your attention to this matter, my friend.

With best personal regards,

Most sincerely,



Alan K. Simpson
United States Senator

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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 10, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. JOHN A. SVAHN

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John A. Svahn
292 Oak Court
Severna Park, MD 21146

Oct. 9, 1990

Dear John -

Just a note of encouragement
from outside the beltway.

You're looking good - Don't let
the groupies get to you.

Rollins was right - the Congress
isn't a state legislature - too
bad - they might get something
done. Hang in there -

Best Regards

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**THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 05, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE TED STEVENS

SUBJECT: BRIEF NOTE REGARDING COMING EVENTS

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TED STEVENS
U. S. SENATOR FOR ALASKA
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20510
202-224-3004

Dear John:

W. H. Advance still
maintains NO TV camera in
the holding room for video shot of
Shirgelewski, Murkowski, Young, Stevens with
President by ANWR map.

This is the news we want:
The Republican Team will be the

Most effective working on ADWR.

Governor Cowper is going to
be here in D.C. - he'll see Watkins,
Lujan, Sessions, Thornburgh and
others: His message - the Democrat
Governor has tried to get ADWR.
(He's working for Knowles). We know
Arkans will get a shot as a Republican
Governor later on the 9th - but our team
will be there at 7:45 AM when G H W B
arrives.

PLEASE - clear the shot at 7:45 AM
on the 9th Ted S

SENATOR TED STEVENS
U. S. SENATE
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20510

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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. JOHN SCULLEY

SUBJECT: SUPPORTS THE DEFICIT REDUCTION AGREEMENT

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John Sculley
Chairman, President
and CEO

October 4, 1990

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

I commend you for forging a real deficit reduction agreement. The federal budget deficit poses the largest structural obstacle to lowering the cost of capital in this country; it must be reckoned with. This budget agreement is a significant step towards tackling this crucial problem.

The fact that nearly all interested observers complain about painful provisions only underscores the depth of the agreement's content. Apple Computer, Inc. will certainly feel the pain from the inclusion of certain provisions and the exclusion of others. Nevertheless, this agreement represents a courageous, bipartisan effort to reduce the deficit, and it has earned our support.

Sincerely,

John Sculley
John Sculley

THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 04, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE TED STEVENS

SUBJECT: FORWARDS LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT FROM THOMAS
EWALD, RECENTLY RELEASED BY SADDAM HUSSEIN
AFTER BEING A "HUMAN SHIELD" AT AN IRAQI
MILITARY INSTALLATION

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WASHINGTON, DC 20510-6025

October 3, 1990

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

Dear John:

Enclosed is a letter to the President from Thomas Ewald. Tom was recently released by Saddam Hussein after spending time as a "human shield" at an Iraqi military installation. Tom used to work on my staff, and I have known his father since college.

Tom wanted to let the President know of his impressions of Iraq, and had hoped that I might be of assistance in transmitting this letter. Any help you could offer would be greatly appreciated.

With best wishes,

Cordially,


TED STEVENS

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 04, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. STEPHEN J. SKUBIK

SUBJECT: REQUESTS ASSISTANCE IN HAVING THE PRESIDENT
VISIT STOWE RECREATION PATH, ANNE LUSK OF
STOWE, VERMONT HAS BEEN DESIGNATED AS THE
119TH POINT OF LIGHT

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September 28, 1990

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

Dear Governor:

Anne Lusk of Stowe, Vermont, is the prime mover of the idea for building the Stowe Recreation Path. Stowe has been designated the 119th Point of Light for her stellar achievement.

Anne believes that President Bush could be instrumental in having many more communities throughout America to become involved in building such recreational trails. These trails not only enhance the aesthetics of a community, they allow people of all ages to enjoy nature's bounties, they help to keep children off the streets, they provide opportunities for biking and walking and are where friendships are made.

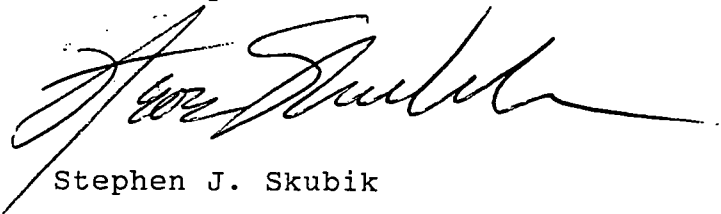
Anne also believes that by encouraging biking, the President would encourage fuel conservation. Walking and biking the trails would also improve the physical well being of Americans.

It is the purpose of this letter to seek your support for having the President visit the Stowe Recreation Path sometime this fall. The President would certainly enjoy himself while at the same time make it evident that he supports volunteerism on the local level. It would be a great opportunity for some excellent photography.

And Governor Sununu, I want you to know that I am very proud of your efforts on behalf of the President, and am proud of the way the President is responding to the serious problems on the domestic and international fronts.

Best wishes to you, your family and our President.

Sincerely,



Stephen J. Skubik

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DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 04, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. BENJAMIN SHORE

SUBJECT: REMINDER THAT THE WASHINGTON PRESS CLUB
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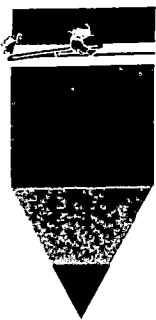
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October 3, 1990

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

Dear Mr. Sununu:

Once again, I would like to remind you that the Washington Press Club Foundation will hold its annual "Congressional Dinner" on Wednesday, January 30. As you may know, the Congressional leadership sits at the head table, and many members of Congress and the administration are guests of the reporters.

We hope that you would not schedule any conflicting event for the President on that date.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me (at Copley News Service, 737-6960) or our executive director, Julie Hurt.

Sincerely,

Benjamin Shore
BENJAMIN SHORE
President

THE WHITE HOUSE
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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE TED STEVENS

SUBJECT: REQUESTS ASSISTANCE IN GETTING THE PRESIDENT
ON FILM FOR THE ALASKA GOVERNOR RACE DURING
BREAKFAST ON THE HILL ON OCT 9 90

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TED STEVENS
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Dear John

On the morning of the 9th, The President will come to a breakfast for Arliss S and Donny. Murkowski, Young, Arliss and I will meet him in a holding room. I'm trying to get an Alaska map - which highlights ANWR, with lighting and our camera for TV in that holding room.

This is the Alaska Governor's race issue: who can be most effective in

the battle for ANWR.

The simple answer is:
Arless working with Murkowski,
Young and Stevens with the strong
support from President Bush
is the only team which can
and will work together. It's
an all Republican team.

The White House advance people
told my staff no camera in the
holding room. You and I know
GHWB doesn't need a script or more
than 45 seconds to deal with ANWR
with this team. Please help me - I want
that camera for TV news and a political spot.
THANKS Ted

THE WHITE HOUSE
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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE H. JAMES SAXTON

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDS DR. ALVIN FELZENBERG FOR A
PERMANENT POSITION WITH THE ADMINISTRATION
AFTER TERM AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF COMMISSION
ON THE FEDERAL APPOINTMENT PROCESS IS ENDED

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

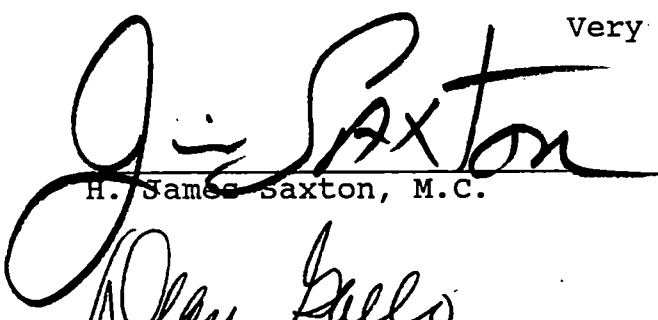
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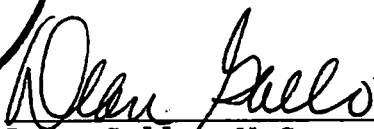
As you may know, the President's Commission on the Federal Appointment Process is well on its way to completing its task. Our friend and colleague, Dr. Alvin Felzenberg, serves as its executive director. We expect the Commission to render a significant contribution to the nation and eagerly await its final report.

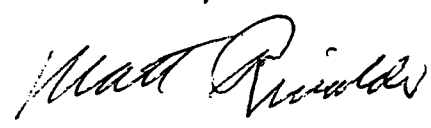
It was our understanding that Dr. Felzenberg would have a further opportunity to serve the President after the Commission has completed its work. We have known Al for many years and are more than familiar with the excellent work he did as New Jersey's Assistant Secretary of State during the eight years of the Kean Administration. With the Commission expecting to finish its early in December, we firmly support the placement of this talented individual in a permanent position. He would be a continuing asset to the Bush Administration.

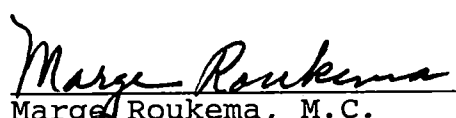
We appreciate your consideration of Dr. Felzenberg and thank you in advance for your attention to this matter.

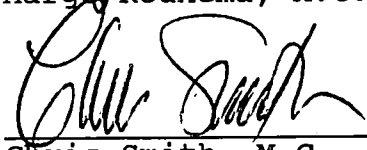
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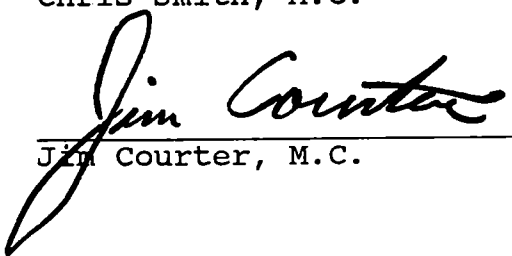

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 02, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: DR. GILVEN M. SLONIM

SUBJECT: FORWARDS COPY OF LETTER TO HENRY KISSINGER
REGARDING THE CURRENT CRISIS IN THE MIDDLE
EAST

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The Oceanic Educational Foundation

Office of the President

September 25, 1990

My Dear Governor Sununu,

Hopefully you will find my note to Henry Kissinger to be of interest.

Saddam Hussein must not continue to exploit the American Media as his 'Fifth Column!'

This central concern prompted my note together with the aim of sustaining the President's national, as well as international, support, while at the same time reinforcing the will of our citizens, indeed, people throughout the world to "Stay the Course."

Incidentally, I passed along a copy to Pat Buchanan to reinforce his faltering resolve to serve the 'National Interest.'

Sincerely,

Gilven M. Slonim
Gilven M. Slonim
President

Governor John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff to the President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20501

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 01, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE TED STEVENS

SUBJECT: FORWARDS LETTER FROM MICK ARNOLD

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TED STEVENS

U. S. SENATOR FOR ALASKA

WASHINGTON, D. C. 20510

202-224-3004

Dear John -

Another item from my friend
the former Dan from Oxford who
will soon be your New Hampshire
neighbor.

No need for discussion - but I
wonder his call for broadcasts from
Egypt and other Arab nations into
Iraq makes sense

Best
Ted

Petersfield,
England
1992

My dear Ted,

Herewith the current Overview. I trust you have safely received the last one and also the letter I sent you in the interim, regarding the possibility of getting Saddam Hussein arraigned before some sort of world court for genocide, war crimes and so on. I still think it would be a good idea.

Incidentally, I don't think I have ever mentioned this before but it occurs to me that some of the comments and opinions I express must run counter to your own thoughts. I am aware of this and have taken care not to know too much of your opinions on purpose, since this could subconsciously affect what I write, and I believe that one of the possible values of the Overview to you (if any) may be the fact that it is completely objective - no lobby, no axe to grind. If I am wrong, please tell me.

You must be reaching the climax of the electioneering season, and I wish you great success. Unfortunately, we don't get much information on the subject over here, but I trust the Republicans will gain some seats. Any chance of getting a majority? That would be great!

All the very best to you all. If you have a few seconds scribble me a note - it always gives me a great boost to hear from you.

Yours ever,

Mick

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: OCTOBER 01, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE HENRY J. SPALLONE

SUBJECT: APPRECIATION FOR MEETING AT IONA COLLEGE 'S
50TH ANNIVERSARY

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HENRY J. SPALLONE
MAYOR



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OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
CITY OF YONKERS

September 26, 1990

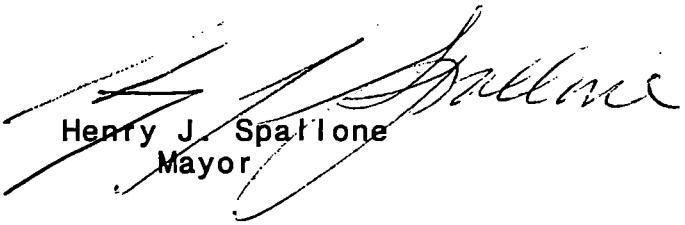
Honorable John Sununu
Chief of Staff
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Sununu:

It was with great pleasure that I was able to meet
you at Iona College's 50th Anniversary.

I wholeheartedly concur with the principle of
private values in public policy and the commitment to
fundamental principles and values in public office.

Very truly yours,


Henry J. Spallone
Mayor

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 28, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. RICHARD SCHWEIKER

SUBJECT: URGES THE ADMINISTRATION TO OPPOSE THE DAC
TAX PROPOSAL; REQUESTS A MEETING

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JOHN SUNUNU		ORG	90/09/28
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HONORABLE JOHN H. SUNUNU CHIEF OF STAFF

WHITE HOUSE DC 1, MORE THAN 10,000

WILL BE DELIVERED IN THE NEXT WEEK

GOVERNOR SUNUNU

I AM CONTACTING YOU ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN COUNCIL OF

LIFE INSURANCE, WHICH REPRESENTS MORE THAN 600 LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES THAT HOLD MORE THAN 93 PERCENT OF THE LIFE INSURANCE IN FORCE IN THE UNITED STATES. IN ADDITION, THOSE COMPANIES MANAGE MORE THAN 99 PERCENT OF THE NATION'S INSURED PENSION PLAN BUSINESS.

THE LIFE INSURANCE INDUSTRY IS BEING TARGETED AT THE BUDGET SUMMIT FOR AN UNFAIR TAX INCREASE. THE SO-CALLED DAC TAX PROPOSAL NOW BEFORE THE SUMMIT WOULD HAVE A DEVASTATING IMPACT ON OUR INDUSTRY. IT WOULD RAISE THE BUSINESS'S TAXES BY TWO-THIRDS. OUR INDUSTRY IS UNITED IN OPPOSITION TO THIS PROPOSAL. IN RESPONSE, MORE THAN 100,000 TELEGRAMS OPPOSING SUCH A TAX HAVE BEEN DELIVERED IN THE LAST SEVERAL DAYS TO MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE AND SENATE FROM PEOPLE WHOSE LIVELIHOODS WOULD BE THREATENED BY SUCH A TAX INCREASE.

WE WOULD APPRECIATE AN OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH YOU
PERSONALLY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE REGARDING THIS MATTER.

SINCERELY,

RICHARD S. SCHWEIKER

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 28, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE PAT SAIKI

SUBJECT: FORWARDS AN ARTICLE ON KAHOO LAWE

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House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

MEMORANDUM

September 26

Hon. Governor -
Here is the
latest addendum on
"Kahoolawe."

Alaka,
Pat

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 24, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. JAMES D. STATON

SUBJECT: URGES THE ADMINISTRATION TO PROTECT THE
INFLATION FACTOR FOR THE SURVIVING BENEFIT
PROGRAM DURING THE DEFICIT REDUCTION
NEGOTIATIONS

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TEMPLE HILLS, MD 20748

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Priority Letter

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CHIEF OF STAFF JOHN SUNUNU
1600 PENNSYLVANIA AVE N W
WASHINGTON DC 20500

WHENEVER THERE IS A WORLD THREAT, THE U.S. ARMED FORCES IS THE FIRST LINE OF DEFENSE TO DEFEND RIGHTS AND FREEDOMS FROM OPPRESSION FOR PEOPLE THE WORLD OVER. APPARENTLY, THE ADMINISTRATION AND SOME MEMBERS OF CONGRESS FEEL THIS SAME CALLING FOR ARMED FORCES PERSONNEL SHOULD TAKE PLACE WHENEVER THE FEDERAL DEFICIT RUNS INTO TROUBLE. INSTEAD OF GRENADA, PANAMA AND THE PERISIAN GULF, IT NOW BECOMES REDUCED PAY INCREASES, DELAYS AND LESS COST-OF-LIVING ALLOWANCE (COLA) ADJUSTMENTS. HOWEVER, NOW EVEN THE WIDOWS OF FORMER SERVICE MEMBERS ARE BEING CALLED UP AS PUBLIC LAW 95-397, PASSED ON SEPTEMBER 30, 1978, TO PROTECT THE INFLATION FACTOR FOR THE SURVIVING BENEFIT PROGRAM (SBP) IS BEING THEATENED. WHAT IS INCOMPREHENSIBLE, IS THE FACT THAT EVERY YEAR SOMEONE IS TAKING AIM AT THE MILITARY FAMILY.

MILITARY PERSONNEL'S PAY IS CURRENTLY 12 PERCENT BEHIND THEIR CIVILIAN COUNTERPARTS AND NOW YOU SUPPORT ONLY A 3.5 PERCENT PAY INCREASE? GOVERNMENT ECONOMIST ARE PREDICTING LAST YEARS INFLATION WILL BE 4.5 PERCENT TO 5.2 PERCENT. WHERE IS THE RATIONALE FOR THIS ACTION? OF COURSE- - THE FEDERAL DEFICIT REDUCTION. AND, THEN YOU SUGGEST DELAYING THE PAY INCREASE UNTIL APRIL 1, 1991, DEVALUING THE PAY INCREASE TO 2 PERCENT!

AS IF THIS ACTION WOULDN'T DEMORALIZE THE MILITARY COMMUNITY ENOUGH, YOU SPEAK OF FREEZING THE 1991 COST-OF-LIVING ALLOWANCE FOR RETIREES AND THEIR WIDOWS PROVIDING A COLA MINUS ONE PERCENT FROM 1992 THROUGH 1995. TO ADD "SALT" TO AN OPEN WOUND, YOU THEN RECOMMEND WITHHOLDING THE COLA FOR PERSONS UNDER AGE 62.

JUST HOW FAR WILL CONGRESS GO TO BALANCE THE BUDGET? WHAT HAPPENED TO THE PROMISES AND LAWS TO PROTECT MILITARY MEMBERS AND THEIR WIDOWS FROM INFLATION? WHAT HAPPENED TO THE WORD "FAIRNESS" AND DEMONSTRATED EFFORT TO SUPPORT THAT WORD?

WILL THOSE THOUSANDS OF YOUNG MILITARY FAMILIES FORCED TO UTILIZE THE FOOD STAMP PROGRAM NOW BE FORCED TO LOWER THEIR HEADS EVEN FURTHER AND ASK FOR MORE ASSISTANCE.

western union

Priority Letter

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IF, IN FACT, ALL SEGMENTS OF OUR SOCIETY WERE GOING TO BE REDUCED
FAIRLY AND EQUITABLE, I BELIEVE NO CITIZEN, CIVILIAN OR MILITARY,
WOULD HAVE A PROBLEM BEING "CALLED-UP" FOR ACTION. HOWEVER, YOU
AND I KNOW, THIS WILL NOT BE THE CASE. THEREFORE, I URGE EACH
NEGOTIATOR AT THE BUDGET SUMMIT CONFERENCE TO REEXAMINE THEIR
THINKING AND REVERSE THE DANGEROUS PROCESS PLACED IN MOTION AT THE
CONFERENCE. THE MILITARY ACTIVE AND RETIRED, HAVE CONTRIBUTED SO
MANY WAYS ALREADY!

JAMES D. STATON
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 24, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. FRANK SUSSLER

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURES A LETTER WHICH HE WOULD LIKE
FORWARDED TO THE PRESIDENT

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FRANK SUSSLER

142 MOUNTAIN ROAD, FARMINGTON, CONNECTICUT 06031

Sept 20, 1990
Governor John H. Snymer
Chief of Staff To The President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Governor Snymer:

Enclosed you will find my letter to President George H.W. Bush. Both of us are members of the class of 1942 at Phillips Academy, Andover. My father will turn 100 years of age on November 2, 1990. We are planning a party to celebrate this rare occasion on Saturday, November 3rd. Appreciating the tempestuous events facing the President in the current global crisis, I am hoping that you can have the contents of my letter summarized for him and then arrange an appropriate message to my father.

If the record is checked, it will indicate that my father was born in New York in 1892. This is not accurate. He was actually born in a small town on the Black Sea November 2, 1890 and brought to the United States as an infant by my grandparents on his second birthday. My grandmother recorded his birth as just taking place in New York so that he would enjoy American citizenship as a native born. I have since learned that this was not uncommon among the immigrants of that period.

Sincerely yours

Frank Sussler

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 25, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. RICHARD S. SCHWEIKER

SUBJECT: URGES THE ADMINISTRATION TO OPPOSE A TAX
INCREASE ON LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES

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**American Council of Life Insurance**

Richard S. Schweiker
President

September 24, 1990

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

Dear John:

Reports from the budget deficit summit indicate that the summit is continuing to consider a tax increase on life insurance companies through the amortization of insurance policy acquisition costs (DAC). The latest proposals set the revenue target from a DAC provision at about \$2 billion per year. While this is a reduction from the upper range of earlier revenue targets, a DAC of this magnitude would nevertheless constitute an enormous, and potentially devastating, tax increase on our business. The life insurance industry's taxes would increase by almost 2/3!

You should understand that the the DAC proposal you are considering would impose a double tax hit on the life insurance business. It would overturn tax rules that have been in place since 1913. In 1984, Congress considered proposals to amortize selling expenses. It decided, instead, to address the DAC issue by significantly reducing the reserve deductions for life insurance companies. There is no recognized life insurance accounting system that both reduces reserves and amortizes selling expenses! However, this would be the result under the pending DAC proposal.

As the Wall Street Journal reported last week, the DAC proposal "would be the largest whack at a single industry since the real estate industry was similarly highlighted in 1986." There is simply no justification for so targeting an industry in overall budget deficit reduction efforts; and particularly in what are already uncertain economic times.

Our business, companies and agents alike, continues to be unified in strong opposition to the DAC proposal on the Summit's agenda. I encourage you to oppose it. Attached is a memorandum setting forth our objections in more detail.

Sincerely,

Richard S. Schweiker

P.S. Gov. - any help would be greatly appreciated.
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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 25, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE PETER F. SECCHIA

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING HIS DESIRE TO SPEAK WITH THE
PRESIDENT

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EMBASSY OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Rome, September 17, 1990

PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL

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

Dear Governor John:

Each time I read a cable that says "in my recent meeting with the President" and/or I talk to other ambassadors who say "I had a chance to meet with the President" . . . I remember our conversation of almost 15 months ago.

I had called Patty Prysock to ask for an appointment and you asked me not to do that. Therefore, I haven't talked to President Bush (except at official meetings or receptions) since June 28, 1989.

Since you are the "keeper of the gate," I still have my agreement "not to bother him." However, if others aren't going to honor this agreement -- do you still want me to do it? Do you still want me to be denied?

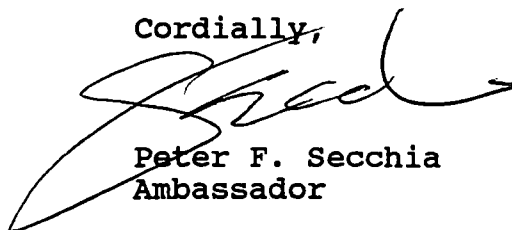
Then, again, if I have nothing to say -- I wouldn't ask for the appointment. However, Rome is often denied funding, equipment, and support. Today, after pledging tornadoe jets and another frigate to the Persian Gulf . . . the International Herald Tribune failed to mention it.

If Italy doesn't count in the Herald Tribune, and it doesn't count in budgets, do I want to fall in the same category? I ask for your guidance. Not because I know you have nothing else to do . . . but at times it can get a bit lonely out here.

To shore up your ego a bit, I should remind you that in today's bilaterals Prime Minister Andreotti told Secretary Baker that "I was extremely pleased and in total agreement with Governor Sununu's comments on the situation in Kuwait and the royal family." (Even though I am not at your meetings, you come up in mine.)

Keep up the good work in the name of ^{" "}our University.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'P. Secchia', with a long, sweeping horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Peter F. Secchia
Ambassador

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 26, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MRS. PHYLLIS SCHLAFLY

SUBJECT: REQUESTS A DONATION FOR THEIR SILENT AUCTION;
INVITATION TO THEIR DINNER EVENTS ON OCT 12
OR 13 90 IN WASHINGTON

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316 PENNSYLVANIA AVE., S.E., SUITE 203, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20003, (202) 544-0353

September 24, 1990

Dear Governor Sununu,

Our 19th Annual Eagle Forum Leadership Conference will be held in Washington, D.C. at the Capital Hilton Hotel on Friday through Sunday, October 12-13-14. In attendance will be about 400 of our "Eagles" from around the country who will participate in training seminars on tactics and strategies to win the legislative battles ahead, at both the Congressional and State Capitol levels.

We hope you will be with us in spirit by sending a donation to our SILENT AUCTION. You are one of the people our Eagles have admired and counted on through the years, and memorabilia from you would be highly valued. Anything will do -- autographed books or pictures, flags, a lunch or breakfast with you at your convenience, mugs, signed letters, letter openers, paper weights, an old tennis racket, a piece of clothing, or anything else that is creative or unique to you. Whatever you send will be "special" to us and will assist us in financing our many worthwhile projects. Last year's Auction was a big success and with your help, this year's Auction will be successful, too.

If you would like to donate an item for our AUCTION or if you have any questions, please call Caia in our D.C. office (544-0353). Auction items should be sent to 316 Pennsylvania Avenue, S.E., Suite 203, Washington, D.C. 20003.

Of course, we would be delighted if you could be our guest for either of our dinner events, Friday, October 12 or Saturday, October 13 at 7:00 p.m. Another option would be to come and greet our members during the reception, 6:00 to 7:00 p.m., on either evening. Please let us know if you can come, Friday or Saturday.

Thank you for all the work you have done throughout the years and for helping us make our 1990 Eagle Council AUCTION a success. With all best wishes,

Faithfully,

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 26, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE WALLACE E. STICKNEY

SUBJECT: ADVISES GOVERNOR SUNUNU OF FEMA'S REQUEST FOR
FIRE SUPPRESSION ASSISTANCE FOR THE STATE OF
SOUTH DAKOTA

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Federal Emergency Management Agency

Washington, D.C. 20472

SEP 20 1990

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

It has been our practice to advise the White House staff of our decision on requests for fire suppression assistance under Section 420 of the Stafford Act, Public Law 93-288, as amended. This letter advises you of our decision on a recent request from the State of South Dakota.

On September 13, 1990, the State of South Dakota submitted a request for Fire Suppression Assistance under Section 420 for the uncontrolled Swedlund Fire, located in Custer State Park, which started on September 12, 1990, burned over 3,500 acres of forest and grassland, and threatened communities in Custer County. Our assessment of this situation in consultation with the U.S. Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, revealed that the fire threatened such destruction as would constitute a major disaster. Consequently, assistance under Section 420 was authorized.

Our Regional Director in Denver, Colorado, assisted by the U.S. Forest Service, verified the need for immediate Federal funding for this potentially critical fire situation. Based on this recommendation, the Federal Emergency Management Agency has authorized Federal funding under Federal/State cost sharing. The Federal share is 70 percent of eligible State fire suppression costs in excess of the State floor cost which is \$46,481. On this basis, our preliminary estimate of Federal costs to suppress the fire is \$598,000.

The Regional Director is actively monitoring the situation and has notified the Governor that Section 420 assistance is available.

Sincerely,

Wallace E. Stickney

Wallace E. Stickney
Director

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 26, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. BILL SHEPARD

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING PRESIDENT BUSH'S RECENT
MEETING WITH GOVERNOR SCHAEFER

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Bill Shepard for Governor

1777

Maryland needs a governor who can give the entire state a fair shake.

September 24, 1990

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

I am the Republican nominee for Governor of Maryland. Formerly I was a New Hampshire resident, and we met informally at the beginning of the Bush Administration, most notably at Roy Pfautsch's welcome dinner party.

Of course incumbent Governor Schaefer is a formidable Democratic foe. However, the polls show that we are gaining ground - he has spent \$1.2 million in campaign funds so far, and has a drop of 20 points in his approval rating to show for it! We are making good progress, and are focussing attention on the fact that he has run this state from a \$450 million surplus to a \$150 million budget deficit in the last two years. In reply, you should know that he publicly blames the White House and the Bush Administration.

That is why it was disturbing to see the Schaefer press people making hay on statewide television and on radio and in the press, due to his meeting with the President at a golf course near Frederick yesterday. He told the press that he, in effect, lectured the President on budget deficits (having caused our own in Maryland!) and the effects of federal worker layoffs in Maryland (the state worker layoffs will begin soon, again due to the deficit that Schaefer himself has caused!).

I thought it useful to bring this matter to your personal attention. We expect to win this campaign, and hope for your personal help and that of the President. But episodes like the one yesterday do not help us, and will be used by Schaefer in his continued attempts to undercut the President.

Respectfully,

P.O. Box 59424 Potomac, Maryland 20859 (301) 299-8677 Fax (301) 983-0540

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 26, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: DR. TIMOTHY SULLIVAN

SUBJECT: WRITES IN FAVOR OF THE CAPITAL GAINS TAX CUT

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Dr. Timothy Sullivan
754 Central Road
Rye Beach, NH 03871

September 24, 1990

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

Re: Capital Gains Tax

Dear John:

I am once again writing on the capital gains tax. As we find, it is incredulous the complete lack of understanding of this bill by so many members of congress. We find that just this past week on a talk show, that Senator Ernest F. Hollings and Senator W. L. Armstrong, both said CGT is simply a tax for the wealthy. It seems that someone against this bill coined the phrase "Capital Gains Tax is just for the wealthy!" We used to find Hitler of Germany as he was coming into power, that if you tell a lie often enough, people would believe it. I sincerely hope that our senators are not just as much lacking in knowledge of the contents of bills they vote against in congress as they are about the capital gains tax and it's ramifications? I wonder if there is not some way by using simple language in a simple explanation of what the capital gains tax does when it uses 28% as against using 10% when taxing it.

For the benefit of the uninformed, we might find that a simple explanation would prove beneficial to all, as figures do not lie!

\$1,000 @ 10% tax = \$100
\$1,000 @ 28% tax = \$280
\$100,000 @ 10% tax = \$10,000
\$100,000 @ 28% tax = \$280,000
\$1,000,000 @ 10% tax = \$100,000
\$1,000,000 @ 28% tax = \$280,000

If we reduced CGT from 28% to 10%, we will find then instead of dumping \$280,000 into our government sieve and it simply disappears, however, if our tax is 10%, the extra \$180,000 goes to the individual taxpayer and he then, through his family, spends the money directly into our economy by purchasing food, clothing, cars, and everything else that goes into living in the USA. We also find that this money is very well spent on education for his children and grandchildren. We find then that President Bush has tried to explain to the congress that the extra money going to a citizen is then spent or reinvested

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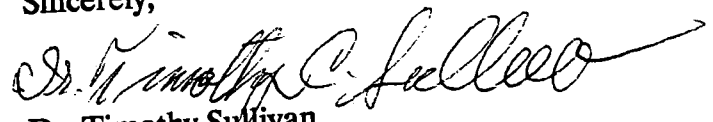
to once again make new investments with money earned on old investments. We find this way always gives our economy a real shot in the arm. This way is real progress in trying in every way possible to help our economy.

I am sure Governor John Sununu, who has ably demonstrated to me, that he has an unusual ability to condense answers to his letters in short, precise sentences. He could and should somehow supply all of the members of congress with a simple explanation of what and how the capital gains tax changing from 28% to 10% could do for our economy.

Governor Sununu deserves congratulations on two more of his moves in an important appointment and election -- good move!

I sincerely hope that somehow some of my explanation of the CGT will be helpful.

Sincerely,


Dr. Timothy Sullivan

Enclosures

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 27, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: BROTHER THOMAS J. SCANLON

SUBJECT: REQUESTS GOVERNOR SUNUNU'S ASSISTANCE WITH
GETTING GENERAL POWELL TO BE MANHATTAN
COLLEGE'S COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER IN MAY

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Manhattan College

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President's Office

September 24, 1990

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

Dear Governor,

It was a pleasure to meet you and Mrs. Sununu yesterday at the 50th Anniversary Celebration of Iona College. I thought that Dr. Lopez's homily was excellent - he told us of the mission of Iona and also of Manhattan College and many other Catholic colleges as well.

As I mentioned to you, we are inviting General Colin L. Powell to be our Commencement Speaker next May. If you could put in a 'gentle' word for our invitation, it would be appreciated.

Be assured of my prayerful support for the Spirit's guidance in addressing the many critical issues you handle to adroitly.

Sincerely,

Brother Thomas J. Scanlan, FSC, Ph.D.
President

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: SEPTEMBER 27, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE PAT SAIKI

SUBJECT: REQUESTS ASSISTANCE IN THE FORM OF A
PRESIDENTIAL VISIT FOR HER SENATORIAL RACE

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D.C., Saiki

September 24

Hon Governor,

We can win this race
with:

* A visit by the
President

* Stop the bombing of
"Kahoolawe."

The Alenos are closing
ranks - I send h-e-l-p!

Aloha,

Pat Saiki



By Terry Luke, Star-Bulletin

□ She will take her GOP Hill
counterpart to task as Poepoe
faces his own (up)hill battle

By Helen Allonn
Star-Bulletin

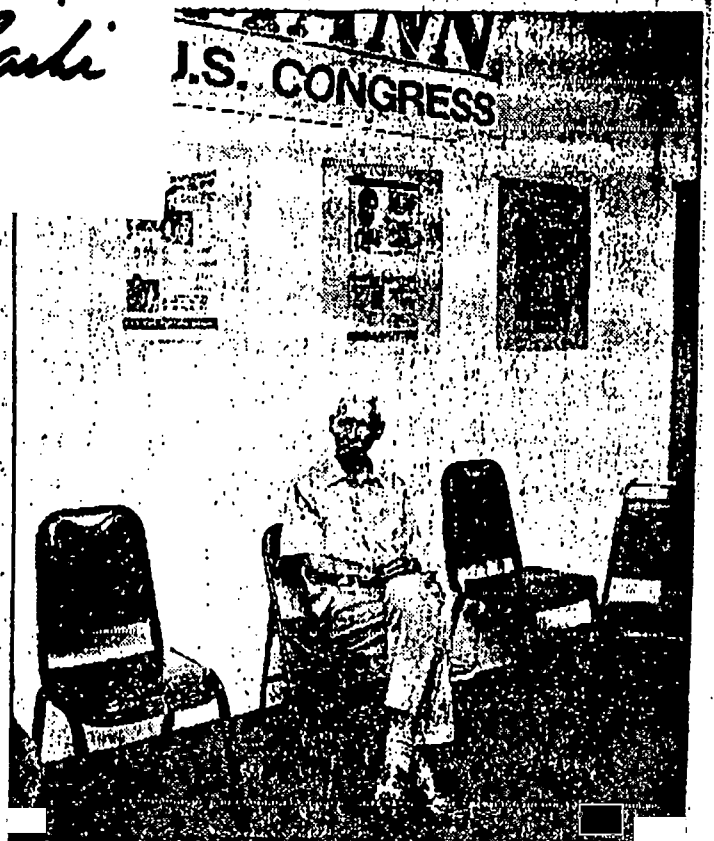
Having won a temporary U.S. House seat and a chance to keep it for the next two years, Patsy Mink's biggest immediate challenge was getting an airplane seat to Washington, D.C., for her swearing-in ceremony.

She was having trouble yesterday getting a reservation, saying flights were "booked solid," but she's set now to leave at 4 p.m. Wednesday by United Airlines.

She plans to talk via phone with House Speaker Thomas Foley today to discuss her swearing in Thursday as the 2nd District (rural Oahu-neighbor islands) representative.

Republican Andrew Poepoe, contemplating a tough general election campaign against Mink, quipped: "I think I'll move to Alaska. . . She's a heck of a candidate. I call her formidable, and I mean it."

But, he added, "I think I have a reasonable shot at



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