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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. DALE E. ROSS

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January 31, 1991

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

Dear Mr. Sununu:

Oklahoma State University is planning to compile and reproduce for educational purposes the addresses delivered by individuals who appeared on the University's Centennial Speakers Series.

You will recall that you appeared on the Series through an interactive teleconference on October 4, 1990, under the sponsorship of the College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology.

We have transcribed, from an audio tape, your remarks and the subsequent questions and answers. The material has been edited only as needed to put it in form for reproduction. The manuscript is enclosed for your review.

It is our plan to compile these addresses in an attractive form, as a record of our Centennial Year's activities and for educational programs on campus. Limited distribution will also be made to certain alumni and friends of the University. The booklet will not be made available for sale.

Could you please let us know by February 15, 1991 of your approval of the manuscript or of the revisions you wish made in it.

We were most pleased to have you be a part of our Centennial Year activities and we thank you for your assistance in regard to this request.

Sincerely,

Dale E. Ross
Executive Director



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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. RAY SHAMIE

SUBJECT: LAUDS THE SUCCESS OF COMMUNITY BASED CARE FOR
PEOPLE WITH MENTAL RETARDATION

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February 5, 1991

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

Dear John:

Though you must be occupied with national matters of some urgency, news from New Hampshire probably doesn't escape your attention. Have you heard that recently New Hampshire officials finally managed to close the doors of their state institution for people with mental retardation and place the last resident in the community?

In this respect, New Hampshire sets a good example for Massachusetts which stills houses about 3,000 people in its state schools at an expense of more than \$110,000 each. These are people who, for the most part, would be happier in the more flexible and less expensive community residences located near ordinary neighborhoods.

Pioneer Institute, a Boston-based think tank I support, just published a study on this issue (copy enclosed). I thought you would like to see it because of its relevance to New Hampshire and to other states that have dual systems of institutional and community-based care.

Sincerely,



Ray Shamie

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE CHARLES S. ROBB

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING THE FEDERAL MANUAL ON -
WETLANDS

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February 6, 1991

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

Dear John:

We know that you share our concerns for preserving the nation's wetlands that provide essential habitat for waterfowl and other species of wildlife and plants. We are concerned, however, that the current regulatory program for identifying wetlands is leading to confusion and confrontation rather than a national commitment to achieve the President's goal of "no overall net loss" of wetlands. We are particularly concerned about the impact of wetlands on Virginia's forest industry.

First, we think there needs to be better coordination of efforts between the various agencies involved in wetlands protection, primarily the Army Corps of Engineers and the Environmental Protection Agency. Landowners need to know whether their lands constitute "wetlands" in a timely fashion.

In addition, the current law does not adequately distinguish the relative value of various wetlands. Certain wetlands have more ecological importance than others, and wetlands policy should reflect that reality. We are encouraged by EPA administrator William Reilly's recent pronouncement about the need for "some kind of a classification system that identifies a hierarchy of wetlands values."

We are also concerned about the specific definition of wetlands, especially as it applies to silvicultural activities. Currently, one of the criterion for defining forest wetlands looks at how many days ponding or flooding is present during the "growing season." In Virginia, the current growing season as defined by the Federal Manual, begins February 1, even though it is highly probable that frost will occur after that date. Virginia foresters seek a definition based on the average frost dates in the state, to more accurately reflect actual plant growing seasons.

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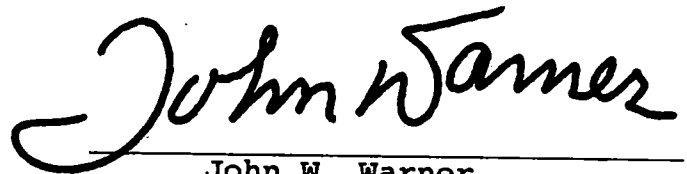
Finally, we hope that any changes to the definition of wetlands will have full public input. In Virginia, 15.3 million acres of forestland are located in the coastal plain so these wetland regulations are having a significant impact. The President's Domestic Policy Task Force on Wetlands is an important way of receiving public input. We would hope that any proposals to revise the Federal Manual would be subject to the processes of the Administrative Procedures Act (APA); the President will never achieve his goal without the support of the American people.

We appreciate your consideration of this important matter.

Sincerely,



Charles S. Robb



John W. Warner

THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: FEBRUARY 08, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER IV

SUBJECT: WRITES REGARDING THE FEDERAL MANUAL ON
WETLANDS

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United States Senate
WASHINGTON, DC 20510

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February 7, 1991

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

Dear Governor:

I would like to bring to your attention some serious concerns regarding the Federal Manual for Identifying and Delineating Jurisdictional Wetlands raised to me by my constituents.

A credible and legally defensible Manual for delineating jurisdictional wetlands is essential in order to build public support for the goal of "no overall net loss of wetlands," especially since the original Manual was developed with no opportunity for public review and comment. Until appropriate corrections to the Manual are made, the wetlands issue will continue to be one of confrontation.

The recent draft revisions to the Manual continue to delineate as wetlands many areas that are only temporarily wet and exhibit few, if any, functions of true wetlands defined in Environmental Protection Agency and Army Corps of Engineers regulations as "swamps, bogs, marshes, and similar areas." There are a couple of suggestions, among others, for changes to the Manual that I would like to point out to you.

First, the hydrology criterion for delineating a wetland retains the concept of water table at some depth below the surface. Inundation or water at the surface would make the hydrology criterion a much more meaningful and positive indicator of true wetlands in the field. This definition would also be more consistent with the recent Regulatory Guidance issued by the Corps on "prior converted wetlands."

Secondly, the growing season for Thermic Soils is identified as February through October. A more precise definition of the "growing season" would specify plant hardiness zones based on the period between the average date of the last frost in Spring and the average date of the first frost in Autumn.

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ROCKEFELLER IV
WEST VIRGINIA

United States Senate

WASHINGTON, DC 20510-4802

February 5, 1991

Dear John,

My constituents have raised some concerns about the Federal Manual for Identifying and Delineating Wetlands which I would like to bring to your attention. It is my understanding that revisions to the Manual will be finalized in February. Hopefully, the concerns can be addressed.

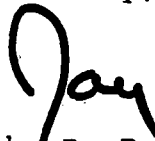
An overriding concern is the lack of opportunity for public review and comment. Since the Manual will very likely be the document guiding federal agencies in the determination as to what constitutes wetlands it should be open to full public comment.

Two very specific concerns have arisen. As a result of the change in application of hydrology criteria, landowners can no longer assume that wetlands are limited to areas that experience saturated soil conditions, or inundation, for some reasonable portion of the growing season. According to the Manual, the presence of water within eighteen inches of the surface for a minimum of seven days of the growing season can be sufficient to satisfy the hydrology requirement for a wetland. This fact will make it very difficult for landowners to identify wetlands.

Second, the Manual defines the growing season from February to October. In many areas of West Virginia this does not accurately represent the growing season. Instead of utilizing average soil condition criteria, a more accurate representation would be the use of a growing season based on geographic area or crop zone.

I feel that the criteria used in the Manual will make it very difficult for landowners to identify wetlands. Anything that can be done to resolve the issues that I have raised will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,



John D. Rockefeller IV

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

*John, thanks for your
consideration of this. Jay*

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: FEBRUARY 07, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. RUBEN RODRIGUEZ

SUBJECT: REQUESTS SUPPORT FOR THEIR ORGANIZATION;
OFFER OF MEMBERSHIP

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Honorable John H. Sununu, Chief of Staff
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D. C. 20374

Re: White House meeting of Pro-Life leaders on 22 Jan 91.

Honorable John Sununu,

I am proud to have made your acquaintance, even though our introduction was short and I wasn't able to go into details about my new federation.

The National Federation of Officers for Life was formed in July 1990. Membership as of early January was about 100 in 8 states and is growing steadily.

New evidence is being made possible by modern technology that wasn't available during Roe v Wade. There's now a growing public awareness of the pain and violent deaths of unborn but feeling and conscious children. Also, growing groups (such as Women Exploited by Abortion) are beginning to go public with private but traumatic and personally catastrophic problems caused by legal abortions.

Law enforcement officers take an oath in which protection of life comes before protection of property. But in some states these protectors of freedom have had their own moral freedom crushed by misinformed leaders who insist that protection of life be subordinate to the protection of property. Dedicated officers across this nation have been torn by being forced to obey, or being fired for not obeying orders to remove or arrest peaceful pro-lifers. These orders are in effect a dereliction of their duty to protect life, since almost all of these situations contained no threat of violence except for the unanesthetized homicide of the unborn children whom officers helped escort to their executioners.

Despite media sensationalism, we are not randomly picking and choosing laws. This federation does not dictate to officers what action to take on duty. We promote education of actual abortion procedures and problems, and are seeking a conscience clause to protect officers who would rather not be forced to obey immoral orders. We do not advocate any type of violence, we are against the bombing of clinics. As professional officers we have no problem taking action when violence is involved.

In order to safeguard lives and help slow or reverse the degeneration of society, the Texas members are merely asking to have the terms "Paramedics" and "Peace Officers" inserted into Texas Civil Statute 4512.7 to extend the protection already enjoyed by other medical professionals.

I proudly served my country and protected life throughout my career, first as a USAF NORAD radar operator (655th & 748th AW&C Sqdns.) then flying as an Airborne Aircraft Controller aboard USAF EC-130's (7th ACC Sqdn.) and now as a Sheriff's Deputy with over 10 years law enforcement experience. I would appreciate any type of support you might give us, and will be further honored if you would join our federation.

Yours For Life,

Specialist Ruben "Radar" Rodriguez

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"All that is necessary for evil to triumph, is for good men to do nothing."

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: FEBRUARY 05, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. RICHARD P. RUSH

SUBJECT: REQUESTS A WHITE HOUSE BRIEFING WITH GOVERNOR
SUNUNU ON APR 30 91 FOR MEMBERS OF THE
CHAMBER'S CORPORATE DELEGATION

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Richard P. Rush, CCE
President and CEO

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January 24, 1991

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

For twenty plus years, the Oklahoma State Chamber of Commerce & Industry has brought a corporate delegation to Washington to take part in our Annual Congressional Dinner - attendance averages at 350. This year's event is set for April 30, 1991.

For the past three years, we have included a White House briefing as part of our daily agenda. For example, Howard Baker provided a timely presentation while serving as President Reagan's Chief of Staff and other senior advisors have provided similar sessions each year. The briefing has been held in the Executive Office Building and attendance limited to a pre-registered group who have supplied the necessary information for clearance.

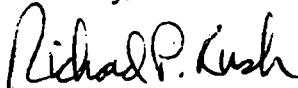
It is therefore our hope that you sir could provide business leaders from our state the opportunity to visit with you in a White House briefing on April 30, 1991. We will be happy to work with you and your staff to arrange our activities to accommodate your already crowded schedule. Please feel free to contact me should you require additional information concerning this matter.

The schedule for the day's activities is flexible. Two events are contemplated for the day; the White House briefing and a Washington Press Corps briefing (last year's speaker was Bob Woodward). We have always given priority to the White House briefing in the establishment of our agenda. Since that is the most important activity, we usually are required to wait until we have that event organized or at least committed to set the time for the Press briefing.

Historically, our White House briefing has been at 10:00 a.m. and the press briefing at 2:00 p.m. However, we are open to your schedule.

We would be honored if you can accept this request.

Sincerely,



Richard P. Rush

RPP/las

cc: Congressman Dave McCurdy

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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE J. ROY ROWLAND

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WITH THE FEDERAL MANUAL ON WETLANDS

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

I am writing to you on behalf of a number of my constituents who have raised concerns about the Federal Manual for Identifying and Delineating Wetlands.

I am especially interested in ensuring that our national wetlands policy is both reasonable and consistent as it achieves the goal of "no net loss of wetlands". As the Eighth Congressional District of Georgia has already been greatly affected by the implementation of the wetlands policy, I am hopeful that a final definition and mitigation process that does not severely restrict agriculture, including forestry, or economic development can be agreed upon.

Specifically, my constituents have raised concerns about what they see as a departure from the original general definition agreed upon by the Army Corps of Engineers and the Environmental Protection Agency which designates wetlands as "swamps, bogs, marshes, and similar areas". While there is clearly a need to establish more specific criteria for the implementation of this definition, my constituents are concerned that no public input was sought in establishing these criteria.

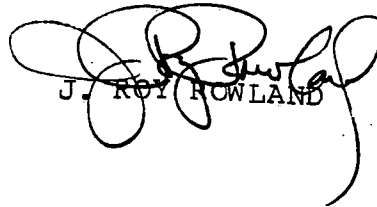
A major correction that those contacting me would make to the Manual is in the hydrology criterion. Many feel that the current practice of delineating a wetland requires only that the water table be at some depth below the surface for more than seven days a year. They counter this by pointing out that a more meaningful indicator of true wetlands would be to require inundation or water at the surface, such as is now in practice for "prior converted wetlands".

My constituents have also expressed concern about the definition of the growing season which is identified as February through October in the Manual. Rather than making this determination based on soil temperature as is done in the Manual, it may be more precise to designate the growing season based on the growth of wetlands vegetation. Using dates in each area according to the average dates of the first and last frosts of the year would be more relevant in establishing a definition based on plant growth.

John Sununu
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I would urge you to consider these comments in making a final determination on the revisions to the Federal Manual for Delineating Jurisdictional Wetlands. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



J. ROY ROWLAND

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: FEBRUARY 04, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. ALBERT J. RICCELLI SR.

SUBJECT: INVITATION TO OFFER REMARKS AT A RECEPTION IN
HONOR OF JUSTICE ANTONIN SCALIA ON MAY 16 91
IN WASHINGTON

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Albert J. Riccelli, Sr.
Office of the
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January 30, 1991

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

On May 16, 1991, the Sons of Italy Foundation will honor U.S. Supreme Court Justice Antonin Scalia by conferring a perpetual scholarship in his name to a deserving young student. This event will take place in the Gold Room of the Rayburn House Office Building during an Awards Dinner from 6:30 - 8:30 PM. A cocktail reception, beginning at 6:00 PM will precede.

The presentation of the first Antonin Scalia Scholarship will coincide with the awarding of at least eight additional national scholarships, including two previously conferred in the names of Congressman Silvio O. Conte and St. John's University Head Basketball Coach Lou Carnesecca. Grant recipients are selected following an open, non-discriminatory national competition.

Also as part of OSIA's Annual National Scholarship Awards Ceremony, we will once again ask the Representatives and Senators from the grantees congressional districts (states) to personally present the award.

The Sons of Italy Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit institution, founded in 1959 as an arm of the Order Sons of Italy in America, which dates to 1905. Since 1968 alone, the Foundation has given nearly \$14 million in scholarship aid.

We would be deeply honored, and we know Justice Scalia would be likewise gratified, if you **would offer remarks concerning the Justice's past accomplishments and distinguished career.** We hope you will seriously consider this invitation, as we are very hopeful of representation by the "education Administration" at what is certain to become a prominent annual educational event.

I look forward to hearing from you soon.

With best wishes, I remain

Sincerely,

Albert J. Riccelli, Sr.
National President

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 29, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE CHARLIE ROSE

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURES TWO LETTERS FROM HIS CONSTITUENTS
WHO OPPOSE THE NEW FEDERAL MANUAL ON WETLANDS

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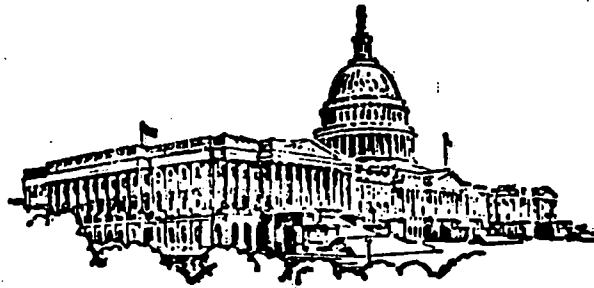
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January 25, 1991

The Honorable John H. Sununu
White House Chief of Staff to the President
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW.
Washington DC 20500

Dear Mr. Sununu:

Enclosed you will find two letters from constituents in North Carolina. They have written to wage their opposition to the new Federal Manual for Identifying and Delineating Jurisdictional Wetlands. Please consider their complaints before you make your decision and please contact me when you have reached a decision.

Thank you for your cooperation and if I can ever be of any assistance, please feel free to contact me

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Charlie Rose".

Charlie Rose

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 28, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. ROBERT M. ROSENZWEIG

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURES THE ASSOCIATION'S LATEST REPORT,
"INSTITUTIONAL POLICIES TO IMPROVE DOCTORAL
EDUCATION"

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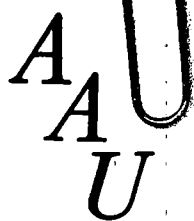
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Association of American Universities

January 24, 1991

President

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

Enclosed for your review is a report which we have prepared on institutional policies governing doctoral education. The report contains a comprehensive set of recommendations for improving the effectiveness and efficiency of doctoral programs through increased retention rates, reduced time-to-degree, and other program improvements.

The report is the result of a major examination of institutional policies and procedures conducted over the past year by the graduate deans of AAU universities through their organization, the Association of Graduate Schools. The project was undertaken by the AGS at the request of the AAU presidents and chancellors. Their request stems in part from a growing concern over the declining proportion of U.S. students earning Ph.D.s and the difficulties this trend poses for averting widely projected shortages of Ph.D.s to fill academic, industrial, and government positions beginning later in this decade. However, both the presidents and chancellors and the graduate deans recognized that doctoral programs needed to be reevaluated and improved in any event.

Last January we prepared a report on the projected Ph.D. shortages and the role of federal funding in helping to reduce them. In the preface to *The Ph.D. Shortage: The Federal Role*, we indicated that, as important as federal funding was, the universities themselves had to take the lead in addressing the Ph.D. shortage by examining their own policies to find ways to improve the operation of their doctoral programs.

This report is the result of that effort. The AAU and AGS will monitor and share information about activities taken by member universities to implement the report's recommendations and will continue to seek ways to improve doctoral programs.

We believe that universities, the federal government, and other patrons of doctoral education need to act promptly to strengthen the capacity of our doctoral education enterprise to assist in meeting the challenges confronting the nation. We hope you share that view.

Sincerely,

Robert M. Rosenzweig

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Enclosure

**THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET**

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DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 21, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. ROBERT A. RIVERS

SUBJECT: FORWARDS RESULTS OF STUDY ON PRESIDENTIAL
ELECTIONS

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Robert A. Rivers
Main St. P. O. Box 129
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John Sununu
The White House
Washington, DC 20001

Dear John:

Enclosed please find a copy of the results of a study I have just completed. The result is that in ten out of ten of the last elections for President the following hypothesis would have predicted the results:

The political party controlling the administration is returned when unemployment is decreasing at election time or the administration is not responsible for a losing war.

The Federal Reserve is on a course to produce decreasing unemployment in the 1992 election period satisfying the first condition. I assume that we will produce a clear win in the Persian Gulf to satisfy the second condition. While I am sure that you as a successful politician know of the relationship, I am not aware of general knowledge of the importance of the relationship. I expect to go public with the results in the near future. While I am fully supportive of the administrations Persian Gulf policy, I am not sure that I like the FRB manipulation implications.

Sincerely



Robert A. Rivers

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DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 14, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. GLEN R. RILEY

SUBJECT: UPDATE ON HIS LETTER OF DEC 27 90 REGARDING
HUMANITARIAN AID FOR ROMANIA

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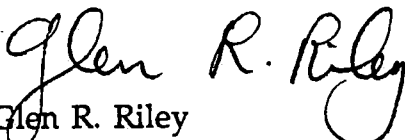
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John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Chief of Staff Sununu:

Please accept my apologies for the error contained in the spelling of Senator Gramm's name in the package I sent you, dated December 27, 1990. My only excuse is that in the urgency of my trying to respond to the plight of the Romanians I relied upon temporary staff to assist me. I am enclosing a corrected copy of that letter, and of the first page of my company's description which appeared in the back of the package. I am sure your staff can make the appropriate substitutions.

I urge you to refrain from judging the content of my plea by its cover letter. Many people are praying for a supportive response to the need for change in the U.S. position with Romania. I remain yours,

With warm personal regards,


Glen R. Riley
President

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 14, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. JOHN RAISIAN

 SUBJECT: INVITATION TO A HOOVER INSTITUTION RECEPTION
ON FEB 6 91 IN WASHINGTON

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Stanford, California 94305-6010

January 9, 1991

Mr. John Sununu
Chief of Staff to the President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington DC 20500

Dear Mr. Sununu:

Recently you were sent a formal invitation to a Hoover Institution reception scheduled on Wednesday, February 6, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the Dolley Madison Ballroom at the Madison Hotel.

I wish to add a personal note to that invitation urging you to join us. The reception is in honor of the members of the Hoover Board of Overseers. This Board is one of the most distinguished boards in America including many individuals whom you doubtless know and respect. A list of the members is enclosed for your information. The reception in their honor has become a Washington tradition in recent years, attracting many leading men and women of public affairs.

The Hoover Institution has a number of distinguished fellows as well, including former Secretary of State George P. Shultz and Nobel laureates Milton Friedman and George Stigler. Other fellows who are serving or have recently served in prominent public positions include Michael Boskin, Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers; Henry Rowen, Assistant Secretary of Defense; Martin Anderson, former Domestic Policy Adviser to the President; and John Cogan, former OMB Deputy Director.

Under separate cover, I will send further materials which describe the Institution.

I hope you will be able to join us on this special occasion. If you will be able attend, please have your office notify Teresa Terry at 415 723-4163.

With best wishes for the new year,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "John Raisian", is written over a horizontal line.

John Raisian
Director

Enclosure

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 14, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. BRUCE RUSSELL

SUBJECT: REITERATES THEIR INVITATION TO ATTEND THE
WHITE HOUSE CORRESPONDENTS' ASSOCIATION
DINNER WHICH IS NOW SCHEDULED FOR APR 27 91

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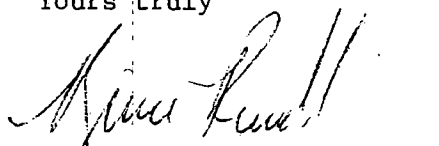
Dear Governor Sununu

Thank you for responding on November 16 to our October 23 invitation for you to attend the White House Correspondents Association Dinner as Reuters's guest.

As you are no doubt very well aware, the date of the dinner has now been set for Saturday, April 27.

We would be delighted if you could accept to be our guest on that evening.

Yours truly



Bruce Russell
Chief of Bureau

cc: J. Kennedy

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 11, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. MARVIN RUNYON

SUBJECT: REQUESTS A MEETING SOMETIME IN THE FUTURE

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Tennessee Valley Authority, 400 West Summit Hill Drive, Knoxville, Tennessee 37902

Marvin Runyon
Chairman, Board of Directors

January 7, 1991

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

I was very pleased to have the opportunity to meet you at President and Mrs. Bush's reception at the White House on December 19. The affair was very elegant and the opportunity to see the White House dressed up for Christmas was very rewarding.

I am sure that you are much too busy at this time but in the future when things slow down somewhat I would like to have the opportunity to visit with you and tell you what has been going on with the Tennessee Valley Authority for the past three years. We are very proud of the accomplishments we have made and would like to share some of our results with you.

I want to take this opportunity to wish you a very happy, successful, and prosperous new year.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Marvin Runyon", followed by a horizontal line.

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 08, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. PAUL H. ROBINSON JR.

SUBJECT: SEEKS AN OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE AS CHAIRMAN OF
THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE

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January 3, 1991

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

Dear John:

I see that the President is expected to appoint a successor to Lee Atwater in the next few weeks. As you may recall, I was on the short list for Secretary of the Navy and would hope to be considered for that position at an appropriate time in the future.

However, if you feel that I would be able to make a meaningful contribution as Chairman of the Republican National Committee, I would certainly consider such a post. I can articulate our position. During my tenure in Canada I made over 150 speeches and traveled 250,000 miles. Moreover, I am dead loyal to the President and to the Republican Party.

With all best wishes for the new year.

Sincerely,



Paul H. Robinson, Jr.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING.

DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 08, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE WARREN E. RUDMAN

SUBJECT: OPPOSES A PART OF THE NAT'L ENERGY STRATEGY
DRAFT WHICH ENCOURAGES THE FERC TO PREEMPT
STATE AUTHORITY OVER THE SITING OF ELECTRIC
TRANSMISSION FACILITIES

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January 4, 1991

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

Dear John:

I have been informed that a draft of a National Energy Strategy is currently under review by the White House. I would like to alert you to one particular issue that is of concern to me and could have an effect on the resolution of the bankruptcy of Public Service of New Hampshire Company ("PSNH").

One section of the October 26, 1990 version of the draft (copy enclosed) recommends that the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) use its powers "to the fullest" to obtain more open access to transmission facilities owned by electric utilities. I believe this section could be read by FERC as encouragement for them to engage in indirect federal preemption of state authority over the siting of electric transmission facilities.

Let me explain briefly. The Federal Power Act leaves the subject of local electric service to the states, and, in contrast to the Natural Gas Act, also leaves to the states the matter of siting new electric transmission facilities. Although the Power Act gives FERC jurisdiction over rates for interstate transactions and over most utility mergers, it does not empower the FERC to force utilities to provide transmission service, except after making specific findings that providing such service will not impair the reliability or economy of service to the utility's own customers. Electric utilities voluntarily provide a great deal of transmission service, and FERC has been able to take actions to expand transmission access significantly without intruding on state authority. However, some bureaucrats at FERC and DOE believe that even greater efficiencies could be obtained if state authority over the construction of new transmission facilities, which is premised on land use and environmental concerns, could be circumvented. They view traditional state regulation over such siting decisions as an impediment to the development of vigorous interstate wholesale markets for electricity.

The approach advocated by these bureaucrats is to use FERC approval authority in other areas, such as approvals of electric utility mergers, to impose transmission obligations on the utility applicants that are designed to assert irresistible leverage upon the states in which the utility operates.

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May 4, 1991
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A case in point is the merger of Northeast Utilities ("NU") and PSNH which is now before FERC for approval. The states where NU and PSNH serve, primarily Connecticut and New Hampshire, have authorized, over time, the construction of transmission facilities, and expect that in using these facilities NU and PSNH will give first priority to serving their customers, who have paid for these facilities through their rates. Some FERC staffers have proposed that this "native load priority" be abolished as a condition for approval of the merger, and that NU and PSNH be required to give equal priority to the transmission service requests of other utilities. This would deprive citizens of New Hampshire and Connecticut of the use of facilities that were authorized and constructed for their benefit, and thus, at the least, increase their electricity rates. If the merger goes forward subject to this kind of condition, the only way that the two states can ensure that adequate facilities will be available to serve their own citizens is to allow the construction of all the new lines that are necessary to meet the total demand for transmission, by others, wherever located, regardless of local judgments about environmental impacts and land use priorities. Thus, FERC would have succeeded indirectly in forcing New Hampshire and Connecticut to abandon their lawful rights to define utility service obligations and to regulate the siting of transmission facilities within their boundaries.

I strongly believe that this effort at indirect preemption is both unlawful and reprehensible. It flouts authority that has been left to the states by statute and justifiably enrages state officials. (See the enclosed press clipping and enclosed speech, page 13 in particular, by William Badger, a state utility commissioner and officer of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners.) Moreover, in the case of the NU/PSNH merger, such high-handed action by FERC could prevent the merger from going forward, and leave New Hampshire without a full resolution of the bankruptcy of its largest electric utility. State officials in New Hampshire and Connecticut, in all probability, would not buckle under to a FERC power play. The immediate economic consequences of the merger being abandoned would be severe for New Hampshire.

If some DOE and FERC policymakers desire a reallocation of authority between federal and state governments from that embedded in the existing Federal Power Act, this should be accomplished by changing the statute. If an effort were made to do so, the concerns of the states, as well as the efficiency arguments of DOE and FERC policy planners, could be aired and the issue resolved openly. I question whether, after the facts are aired, this Administration would come down on the side of additional federal preemption.

Honorable John H. Sununu
May 4, 1991
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In any case, I urge that the President reject this passage contained in the draft National Energy Strategy. The message that should be sent to DOE and FERC is that state prerogatives under existing law must be respected, and that any effort to re-align the existing allocation between federal and state authority should be pursued openly and forthrightly, not indirectly through hidden agendas written into DOE's National Energy Strategy.

The course that I recommend could be adopted simply by inserting the underlined phrase into the final paragraph of the enclosed draft:

Action Required and by Whom: DOE and FERC would use their existing authorities to the fullest, without intruding upon state authority over local service and certification of new transmission facilities, to obtain more open transmission access for sellers and buyers of wholesale electricity.

I believe that this suggested change will not materially interfere with DOE's goal of obtaining more open transmission access. It will, however, help to avert unnecessary, and in the long run unproductive, confrontations with state interests, including those of the State of New Hampshire.

Sincerely,



Warren B. Rudman
United States Senator

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 08, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE MATTHEW J. RINALDO

SUBJECT: PERSONAL NOTE

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20515

MATTHEW J. RINALDO
SEVENTH DISTRICT
NEW JERSEY

January 4, 1991

Dear Governor Sununu:

It was good talking with you this morning, and I want to reiterate my strong feeling about the unjustified criticism you have received.

Those of us who work under the constant scrutiny of the press know that in public service, results are far more important than press clippings, and you have produced for our President and our party. You have compiled an impressive record of achievement, and I am doing my best to set the record straight.

If it seems there is too little public appreciation for the job you do, you can take heart that it is not lost on all of us at the other end of Pennsylvania Avenue. And if, at any time, I can help balance the scale by speaking out favorably in your behalf, I would welcome the opportunity.

Best personal regards.

Cordially,

MATTHEW J. RINALDO
Member of Congress

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

THE WHITE HOUSE
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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE MATTHEW J. RINALDO

SUBJECT: RECOMMEND MR. MICHAEL CHERTOFF FOR NOMINATION
AS U.S. ATTORNEY FOR NEW JERSEY

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The Honorable John Sununu
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Governor Sununu:

We are writing on a matter of critical importance for the state of New Jersey, the Bush Administration, and the office of US Attorney in our state.

As you are aware, the position of US Attorney for New Jersey has been vacant since June, when the incumbent left to accept a position on the Federal bench. Since that time, we have worked actively to recommend to you and to the Justice Department individuals we feel would acquit themselves well in this post. We have not always agreed on one individual, but we believe it is time for everyone to come together for the good of the state, the Republican party, and the Bush Administration and support one candidate. Accordingly, as the entire Republican congressional delegation from our state, we urge that Mr. Michael Chertoff be nominated for US Attorney for New Jersey. We do so enthusiastically and without hesitation.

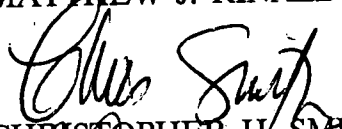
On October 22, Mr. Chertoff was sworn in as court-appointed US Attorney pending a permanent appointment by the White House. Mr. Chertoff has been a finalist for this appointment and one whose impeccable credentials have never been challenged, even by those who have at times preferred other candidates. It is crucial, in our judgment, for the chief Federal law enforcement office in our state to be filled permanently, and we believe Mr. Chertoff represents an excellent choice. His nomination would instill a sense of continuity in the US Attorney's office; it would fill the post with a distinguished professional who has proven his capacities for the job; and it would put an end to the long process of deciding on an individual for this office.

We urge you to recommend Mr. Chertoff's nomination to the President.

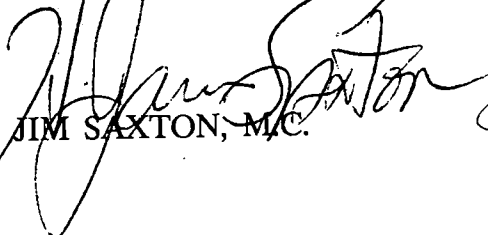
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THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 07, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. JOHN J. RHODES

SUBJECT: INVITATION TO A RECEPTION AND DINNER ON FEB
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BUDGET SUMMIT AND NEW MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE
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January 5, 1991

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

Dear Mr. Sununu:

You are cordially invited to a reception and dinner Thursday February 21, at the Washington Marriott Hotel, 22nd and M Streets NW. This event will honor participants in last year's budget summit and new Members of the House and Senate Budget Committees; and will kick-off a major symposium on "Budget Enforcement: Where Do We Go From Here?".

The symposium will continue all day Friday February 22 and through the morning Saturday February 23.

Our Committee believes that the success of the 1990 budget agreement depends on the success of the enforcement provisions. This symposium will bring together Members of Congress and their staff, representatives of the Administration, business representatives, academics, economists, media representatives and representatives of other organizations concerned with the budget and related issues. We are enclosing a copy of the draft agenda.

You and your staff are invited to participate in all or part of the meeting as your schedules will permit and we hope sincerely that you will be able to join us for this opening night reception and dinner. Please call Eydie Costantino, in our offices and let her know if you will attend.

Best regards,



Robert N. Giaimo



John J. Rhodes

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 03, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. BARRY K. ROGSTAD

SUBJECT: FORWARDS MATERIALS REGARDING ABC'S EFFORTS TO
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SPECIFICALLY TO SUSTAIN THE PART OF THE
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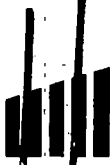
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January 2, 1991

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

Dear Governor Sununu:

Attached, for your information, are several documents concerning the upcoming vote of the House of Representatives on H. Res. 5.

Last week, I alerted American Business Conference chief executives of the effort to repudiate a section of last year's budget agreement pertaining to enforcement and urged them to contact their congressman to resist the effort to substitute CBO for OMB as scorekeeper. This afternoon, I have faxed to every ABC member proposed language for a wire or fax to their elected official. Additionally, I have written each member of the House advising them of ABC's position and urging him or her to allow the budget agreement to come into effect unaltered by last minute rules changes. Also ABC has issued a press release on this subject.

On another issue, I wanted to share with you a letter I sent to ABC chief executives following President Bush's excellent meeting on December 19 with business association representatives on the Persian Gulf. In addition to summarizing the content of the meeting, a draft statement was enclosed for members' use in communications with the White House, Congress or elsewhere.

Should you have any questions, please call.

Best wishes for this New Year.

Sincerely,

Barry K. Rogstad

Attachments

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: JANUARY 02, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. GLEN R. RILEY

SUBJECT: SEEKS ASSISTANCE WITH ARRANGING A MEETING
BETWEEN HIS DELEGATION AND SECRETARY BAKER TO
DISCUSS INSTIGATING IMMEDIATE ACTION ON
HUMANITARIAN RELIEF FOR ROMANIA

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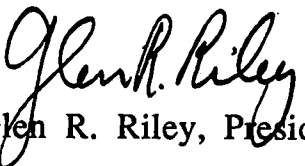
The Honorable John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Chief of Staff Sununu:

I am writing to you so that you will be aware of this important and time-critical situation regarding the needs of the Romanian people, and to ask your assistance. Essentially, Romania's need for food, medical supplies, and organizational expertise coincides with America's needs for international markets and free trading partners. The successful resolution of this dilemma is important not only for Texas, but for the entire United States. I feel that the future of democracy in Eastern Europe is also at stake.

The enclosed package, which I have sent to Senator Gramm, provides an overview which will enable you to respond. Thank you for your attention to this important international issue. I remain,

With warm personal regards,


Glen R. Riley, President

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: DECEMBER 28, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. HENRY A. RAAB

SUBJECT: UPDATE ON THE HAZARDOUS PIPELINE SAFETY
CASING SYSTEM

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December 20, 1990

Mr. John Sununu
Chief of Staff
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue N.W.
Washington, DC 20500

Re: Hazardous Liquids Pipeline Safety Casing System
U.S. Patent #3,863,679 - Joseph Young

NTSB/RAR 90/02 - Report /High Risk Areas

Dear Mr. Sununu:

Enclosed is a copy of our recent letter of December 17, 1990, to Mr. John H. Gibbons at the U.S. Office of Technology Assessment, and Mr. George W. Tenley, Jr. at the Department of Transportation - Office of Pipeline Safety.

It is regrettable that OPS has been unable to be more positive and productive in pursuing this technological improvement in pipeline leak detection (with its singular containment and recovery capabilities) so necessary and vital to complete pipeline protection, particularly in the high risk areas pointed out by the NTSB report.

As we have stated, it is our hope that with the support of OTA, additional funds will be made available to the Office of Pipeline Safety for a field trial or demonstration test of the Young Safety Casing System.

With your indicated interest in this development, we will welcome any suggestions or recommendations you may have to achieve increased appropriations for OPS in order to obtain this essential funding and provide this total and needed protection for our public and environment.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Respectfully yours,

Henry A. Raab

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: DECEMBER 24, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE REVEREND PAT ROBERTSON

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDS SEVERAL NAMES FOR POTENTIAL HEADS
OF THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE

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December 19, 1990

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

Dear John:

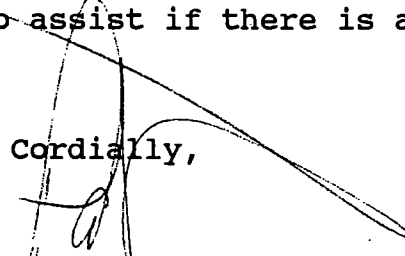
Following up our conversation, I would offer several names into the hopper of potential heads of the RNC:

Governor George Deukmejian
Senator Bill Armstrong
George Strake (Former chairman Texas GOP)
Representative Tom Tauke
Senator Jim McClure

I know the pressures are intense and the workload is enormous, but please know there are a number of us out here who deeply appreciate you and who are ready to assist if there is a need.

With warm personal regards, I am

Cordially,


Pat Robertson
Chairman of the Board
Chief Executive Officer

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: DECEMBER 18, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. EDWARD B. RYDER IV

SUBJECT: APPRECIATION FOR GOVERNOR SUNUNU'S REMARKS ON
DEC 11 AT THE NATIONAL PRESS CLUB

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12 December 1990

The Hon. John Sununu, Ph.D.
Chief of Staff
THE WHITE HOUSE
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, D.C., 20500

Dear Governor Sununu:

We read with interest the article entitled "White House Chief Sketches Plans for 1990" which appeared in today's edition of Investor's Daily.

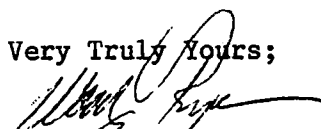
The statements you made at the National Press Club on Tuesday sounded super to us. For too long the opposition party has been making hay out of the administrations proposals. Particularly those involving taxation, the defense structure, and domestic priorities such as enterprise zones and parental-freedom-of-choice in school selection.

"In a stinging attack" begins the 2nd paragraph. Well, its about time. For perhaps too long, the cushiness 'within the beltway', has proven the adage about what is bred through 'familiarity'.

The Governor that was "the 1st New Hampshire statewide official to endorse in the 1988 Presidential contest, coming out for George Bush in February 1987",1, remains steadfastly behind the man from Maine, President Bush. For that too, thanks Governor.

Merry Christmas to you, Nancy and the family. Keep up the good fight!

Very Truly Yours;


Edward B. (Woody) Ryder IVth
Director-Public Relations and
Governmental Affairs.

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1. The Almanac of American Politics 1988; National Journal; pg. 722.



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NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. JOHN P. REDSTON

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURES A DOCUMENT WHICH SUGGESTS WAYS THE
ADMINISTRATION CAN HELP THE U.S. AND U.S.S.R.
MAKE A FIRST STEP TOWARDS PEACEFUL PROGRESS
IN THE NEXT CENTURY

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**John P. Redston
President**

December 12, 1990

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

Dear Mr. Sununu:

Like many patriotic Americans, I am concerned about the long-term future of the US and USSR. No matter how the crisis in the Persian Gulf is resolved, problems of great importance remain. Even today nuclear weapons are targeted on American and Soviet cities.

Three overriding issues confront the US and USSR:

- Eliminating the nuclear threat
- Helping to build a viable market economy in the Soviet Union
- Resolving domestic problems and reducing debt in both countries

The enclosed document, "A World Transformed: Security Through Economic Strength" discusses these three problems as well as others. It is a study written to correct the effects of forty years of the Cold War, setting forth suggestions for the future. This study proposes implementing a comprehensive treaty or pact between the US and USSR to announce our mutual peaceful direction.

A treaty would chart the future development of our two nations and would send an unambiguous message to petty dictators who seek self-aggrandizement at the expense of regional economic and political stability. Under the aegis of the United Nations, the USSR, US, and others could work together to ensure that peace and stability prevail in the Middle East and elsewhere.

Many are thinking about a new world order to solve international and domestic problems. This document makes some suggestions; however, your positive influence can help significantly as the US and USSR make a first step towards peaceful progress in the next century.

Respectfully submitted,

John P. Redston

John P. Redston

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THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: DECEMBER 17, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. JOSEPH J. REILLY JR.

SUBJECT: RECOMMENDS REAPPOINTMENT OF JAMES H. QUELLO
TO THE FCC

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MISS LORETTA YOUNG

December 14, 1990

The Honorable John H. Sununu
The Chief of Staff to the President
of the United States
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Governor Sununu,

My purpose in writing is strongly to recommend the reappointment of James H. Quello to the Federal Communications Commission. In my position as President of Morality In Media, I have had two opportunities to serve on panels sponsored by the Federal Communications Bar Association and one sponsored American Women In Radio and Television. In each case, the illegality of broadcast indecency was the topic and Jim Quello was a fellow panelist.

Jim Quello is knowledgable, fair, practical, principled and strong. He represents the American people as they deserve to be represented. I am very pleased that we have become friends.

An effective team effort usually is achieved by the successful blending of talented people of short and long experience. All-rookie squads rarely win. With the four recent appointees and Jim Quello, the present FCC is arguably the very best ever assembled to assure the fair and effective administration of electronic communications and the elimination of obscenity and indecency from the same.

I enthusiastically urge that a willing and very able James H. Quello be appointed to another outstanding term as a Federal Communications Commissioner. I appreciate the thoughtful attention you have given this letter.

Sincerely,

Joseph J. Reilly, Jr.
Joseph J. Reilly, Jr.
President

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: DECEMBER 17, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. PAUL H. ROBINSON JR.

SUBJECT: CHRISTMAS GREETING AND GIFT

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PAUL H. ROBINSON, JR.—Shoreacres, Lake Bluff, Illinois 60044

December 13, 1990

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

Dear John,

I would like to pass on my best wishes to you and your family for a merry Christmas and a happy and successful New Year.

Knowing your interest in Winston Churchill, I am pleased to enclose a tape of his memoirs and speeches which I hope you will find of interest.

Sincerely,

Paul

Paul H. Robinson, Jr.

Enclosure

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: DECEMBER 13, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. GILBERT S. ROGERS

SUBJECT: INVITATION TO KEYNOTE THE 1991 NATIONAL
MEETING OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF STATE
HIGHWAY TRANSPORTATION OFFICIALS ON JUN 2 91
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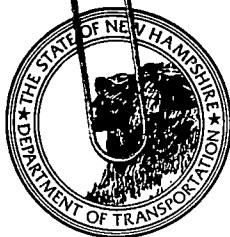
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December 7, 1990

**His Excellency John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff
Office of the Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, DC 20500**

Dear Governor Sununu:

SUBJECT: 1991 AASHIO NATIONAL MEETING - SUBCOMMITTEE ON HIGHWAY DESIGN

The purpose of this letter is to formally invite you to participate in the 1991 National Meeting of the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHIO) as our keynote speaker during the week of June 26 - 28, 1991 (Wednesday thru Friday). The State of New Hampshire is honored to be the host of this National meeting and your attendance would certainly be the highlight of our agenda. You may recall that former Commissioner Wally Stickney approached you regarding my request to have you as our speaker of National prominence.

The location of the meeting will be the Portsmouth Sheraton on Market Street just off I-95 (Exit 7). Normally, the keynote speaker would be scheduled for mid-morning of the opening session (Wednesday, June 26). We certainly would arrange our agenda to meet your busy schedule. The length of the speech would be in the range of one-half hour.

If it is possible for you to commit to an appearance at this time, it would be very much appreciated. Your confirmation would be featured as the main attraction in our agenda mailings to all the States. Perhaps you and Wally may both be able to attend. I certainly appreciated his willingness to intervene on our behalf.

December 7, 1990

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I would be pleased to try and answer any questions you or your staff may have. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Gilbert S. Rogers

Gilbert S. Rogers, P. E.
Administrator, Bureau of Highway Design
Steering Committee Member, AASHTO

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cc: Wally Stickney, Director, FEMA
Byron Blaschke, Texas, Chr., Subcommittee on Design
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THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE RECEIVED: DECEMBER 13, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. STEPHEN K. RICE

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURES 10 SKI PASSES

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Stephen K. Rice
Commissioner

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Governor,

Hope you, Nancy, and
the family will have an
opportunity to make use
of them!

Best Holiday Wishes —

Steve

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DATE RECEIVED: DECEMBER 12, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. TIMOTHY J. RUSSERT

SUBJECT: INVITATION TO THE ANNUAL RADIO TELEVISION
CORRESPONDENTS' ASSOCIATION DINNER ON MAR 19
91 IN WASHINGTON

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December 10, 1990

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

Dear Governor:

Tom Brokaw, John Cochran and I would like you to be our guest for the Annual Radio Television Correspondents' Association dinner scheduled for Tuesday, March 19, 1991 at the Washington Hilton Hotel.

As you know, it's one of the premiere press events of the year, and NBC News would very much like you to be our honored guest.

I look forward to knowing if you'll join us for this special evening.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Tim", written over a horizontal line.

Timothy J. Russert

TJR:bf

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DATE RECEIVED: DECEMBER 12, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MR. RICHARD A. RYAN

SUBJECT: APPRECIATION FOR GOVERNOR SUNUNU'S NATIONAL
PRESS CLUB ADDRESS

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December 11, 1990

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

Dear Governor,

Just a note to thank you for your talk this afternoon at the National Press Club. It was, as you probably noticed, a sellout.

I hope, as you suggested, that we can make this an annual event -- a year-end report on the Bush presidency and a brief glimpse into the future.

Best of the holiday season to you and your family. (Skiing in Michigan isn't all bad.)

Best,



Richard A. Ryan

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