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DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Friday, April 28, 1989

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Review Friday, weekend and Monday schedules TAB A		SET UP AGGRESSIVE "OUR SIDE" RESPONSE TO CLIPS OF REGIONAL
2. Memo from Alec Courtelis regarding business cards TAB B EPC		LOGISTICS FOR SUNDAY TO WALTER REED
3. Pres Hunger Awards Tab C DOUB ON MONDAY	ok JHS. all boots, do it	
4. Cong. Ethics Year memo Tab D		
5. Editorial Roundup- Tab E		
6. 10:00 AM EPC meeting		

MISCH. BY FRIENDS

Holt -
Cong. Rogers from Ky.
Joining up Bush Ch.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 24, 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR GOVERNOR SUNUNU

FROM: DAVID BATES 
SUBJECT: Presidential End Hunger Awards

ISSUE:

Approval of continuation of the Presidential End Hunger Awards.

BACKGROUND:

For the last six years, the Agency for International Development has sponsored the Presidential End Hunger Awards. The program increases public awareness and overall understanding of the hunger issue and its solutions by honoring American citizens and institutions that have made significant contributions to the goal of a world without hunger.

AID seeks nominations, convenes a panel of judges with White House representation, and forwards recommendations through the AID Administrator to the White House for final approval by the President. Awards are given in nine categories: Lifetime Achievement, Government/Legislative, Celebrity, Corporate, Individual Achievement, Private Voluntary Organization, Educator/Science, Media/Communications. The President may make deletions or substitutions to the list of recommendations. The awards are given in association with World Food Day which marks the founding of the U.N. Food and Agriculture Organization. This year, World Food Day will be October 16.

DISCUSSION:

The Presidential End Hunger Awards have received a lot of good publicity in past years. The Awards ceremony can be as simple as a presentation in the Roosevelt Room, a Rose Garden Ceremony, or as elaborate as a luncheon in the residence. It gives the Administration a positive, compassionate way to be associated with the hunger issue. It also provides a forum for national service themes and recognition. Although there is a "down side" to accepting a list of recommendations from an outside source, AID is sensitive to the need for awardees to be a credit to the White House. The process is essentially the same as that used to designate the President's Volunteer Action Awards.

Past awardees have included the Land O'Lakes Corporation, Christian Children's Fund, CARE, Caltex Petroleum, Rep. Marge Roukema, and Rep. Silvio Conte.

The Office of Public Liaison and the Office of National Service concur in continuing the awards.

RECOMMENDATION:

That you approve continuation of the Presidential End Hunger Awards under the sponsorship of the Agency for International Development.

DECISION:

Approve _____ Disapprove _____

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 21, 1989

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MEMORANDUM FOR ANDREW H. CARD, JR.
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT AND DEPUTY TO THE CHIEF
OF STAFF

FROM: C. BOYDEN GRAY *only*
COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Talking Points on the Congressional Ethics Office

Per your request, attached is a background sheet of talking points describing the Congressional Ethics Office in the Administration's ethics bill.

Please let me know if you would like a copy of the relevant portions of the bill or any other information.

Attachment

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Congressional Ethics Office

The proposed Government-Wide Ethics Act would authorize a Congressional Ethics Office within the legislative branch that would:

- o be modeled after the Congressional Budget Office or General Accounting Office in that it would have an independent Director and its own nonpartisan staff;
- o administer the financial disclosure system under the Ethics in Government Act;
- o investigate allegations of misconduct by Members of Congress and other legislative officials and employees, publicly report its findings to the House or Senate ethics committee, and recommend appropriate sanctions; and
- o have a Director named by a House-Senate nominating committee without regard to partisan considerations, and confirmed by a majority vote of both houses of Congress.

April 21, 1989

WEEKLY EDITORIAL ROUNDUP FROM REGIONAL NEWSPAPERS

IRAN/CONTRA:

"It now appears, not only that the Reagan administration tried mightily to circumvent the will of Congress, but that Mr. Bush as Vice President was quite an active fellow in the whole business."
-- Christian Science Monitor, 4/12

"What makes hearts sink among the Hill Democrats is the sense that nobody cares anymore. Watching presidents flout the law is like watching drivers run red lights. There is no penalty for violating the basic rules of civilized behavior. The new president, whom we will have for the next four years, has simply thumbed his nose at them." -- syndicated columnist Lars-Erik Nelson, 4/12

"When he got up before the White House press corps to talk about ... his now obvious involvement in the Iran-contra affair, his attitude was arrogant, his voice testy. It was as if he pettishly resented the country's daring to interrupt all the fun he is having in the White House." -- syndicated columnist Georgie Anne Geyer, 4/13

"President Bush's claims of noninvolvement in the Iran-contra scam grow weaker by the day. He is right to say nothing that would affect the trial of Oliver North. But he was wrong Wednesday to say of that sorry affair, 'I've given a full accounting.' The record says otherwise. When the North trial ends, probably next week, the president will owe the country a fuller accounting." -- Minneapolis Star Tribune, 4/15

Headline: "Look Who's Back in the Loop": "Could he have been elected anyway if he had told the truth? It's hard to say. The truth about the whole Iran-contra mess might have led to the impeachment of President Reagan and the discrediting of the vice president as well. In any case, Bush didn't take that risk. He chose instead to mislead the voters." -- Milwaukee Journal, 4/8

AGENDA:

[On Central America, SDI, semi-automatic guns,] "One by one, President Bush has been cutting the ties that bound him, ever so tenuously, to movement conservatives. These are the folks who put Reagan into the Oval Office twice and carried Bush through the Super Tuesday Republican primaries a little over a year ago. And they are the only people in Congress Bush could look to for help in a real dogfight.

While Bush is disappointing he only militant allies, he is earning contempt from his opponents because he's beginning to look like a political loser; and worse, a good loser ...

... The word 'wimp' is starting to surface again."
-- columnist Doug Turner, Buffalo Evening News, 4/3

"There is no question that Bush knows more about the workings of government than Reagan did and is more skilled at answering complicated questions without a cue card ... [but] no positive idea of Bush's has emerged with the negative clarity of the anti-Horton campaign." -- syndicated columnist Lou Cannon, 4/17

"Perhaps we could begin calling this the 'let's just not' Administration ... The President oddly seems to think there is no price to pay for doing nothing, that there will be no consequences so long as American power is not used wrongly. In gentlemanly and bipartisan-like fashion, one compromises with one's enemies in the Congress, and that consensus will then of itself become policy." -- syndicated columnist Georgie Anne Geyer, 4/13

INTERNATIONAL DEBT/THE BRADY PLAN:

"Board rooms and national capitals have been buzzing since U.S. Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady proposed a new strategy for Third World debt relief last month. International lending agencies and creditor countries are signing on, at least one debtor country has plans for using the plan and bankers are cautiously supportive. Questions remain about how to finance and implement Brady's strategy, but the early activity is promising." -- Minneapolis Star Tribune, 4/9

MIDDLE EAST:

"In substance and in style, President Bush and his advisers are off to a good start. They recognize that this is no time for U.S. formulas for Arab-Israeli peace; that initiatives must come first from the region, only later from Washington; that the right role now for the United States is to urge accommodation, making clear the administration's position on principle issues." -- Minneapolis Star Tribune, 4/12

EDUCATION:

"Maybe President Bush is simply testing how low Americans' computing skills have sunk. Last week in the Rose Garden, he took credit again for proposing a \$441 million package of education initiatives -- letting it sound like a big increase in the federal commitment to education. It's not." -- Philadelphia Inquirer, 4/12

[Although the proposal is "short on cash,"] "... the program itself shows careful and even creative thought ... the Bush program commendably accents innovation and excellence. It stimulates and rewards proven results. One prominent Democratic Senator, Claiborne Pell of Rhode Island, called the Bush package 'an excellent initiative.'" -- Buffalo News, 4/7

Headline: "A 'C' for Bush's Education Package": "Taken as a whole ... the Bush package hardly seems the kind of powerful leadership expected of a self-proclaimed 'education president.'" -- Christian Science Monitor, 4/12

THE BUDGET:

"Fall 1988: As a candidate for President, George Bush lavishes praise on a food program [WIC] targeted at women and children, promising to boost spending for it if he is elected.

Spring 1989: As President, George Bush suffers a bout of amnesia, lumping the program with hundreds of others from which Congress must slash billions of dollars." -- Milwaukee Journal, 4/11

"How to pay for expanding the parks? Recapture earmarked but unspent part funds derived from offshore oil and gas leases. Boost park entrance fees, which in most cases are a bargain-basement \$5. Impose a modest surcharge on recreational equipment. If some of that violates George Bush's no-new-taxes pledge, read his lips: 'I am an environmentalist,' he says. Prove it, George. Save our tarnished national treasures." -- Milwaukee Journal, 4/11

MINIMUM WAGE:

"Here again the Democrats have the better idea ... Bush ought to back down on his veto threat. A veto would mean no increase at all, since Congress lacks the votes to override. The House and Senate versions must now go to a conference committee, so there's still time for compromise." -- Milwaukee Journal, 4/14

DRUGS:

[On Bennett's excluding Barry from press conference]: "Illegal drugs are one of the most serious problems this nation faces, and the Bush administration seems determined to eliminate them. It needs to learn quickly, however, that local governments want to work with the federal government and not simply to follow its dictates." -- Detroit Free Press, 4/12

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PRESIDENTIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

MEMORANDUM

ALEC P. COURTELIS
National Chairman

CRAIG FULLER
National Co-Chairman

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Northeast

BONNIE STEVENS
West

JOSEPH "BO" SULLIVAN
Mid Atlantic

Attn: Ed Rogers

From: Alec P. Courtelis *APC*

Date: April 19, 1989

Re: Business Cards

On April 5, 1989 I sent you a memorandum (see attached) concerning business cards for the Presidential Advisory Committee. I would be most appreciative if you would let me know your findings on this matter. It is important for me to have these cards printed as soon as possible.

Thank you.



Presidential Transition

ALEC P. COURTELIS
Chairman,
National Advisory Committee

(202) 673-2950
(202) 673-2300

1825 Connecticut Avenue
Washington, D. C. 20270

Mr. Courtelis would like to have his business card (shown above) changed to the following:



ALEC P. COURTELIS
National Chairman
Presidential Advisory Committee

(305) 379-8467 Phone
(305) 374-4981 Fax

701 Brickell Ave., Suite 1400
Miami, Florida 33131-2822

PRESIDENTIAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ALEC P. COURTELIS
National Chairman

MEMORANDUM

CRAIG FULLER
National Co-Chairman

Attn: Ed Rogers

From: Alec P. Courtelis *APC*

Date: April 5, 1989

Re: Business Cards

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Pursuant to our telephone conversation, I am faxing you a copy of my business card that I used during the transition period. This card was approved and handled by the transition office. Since the transition office is no longer in existence, I am requesting a change of address for my card as indicated on the attached sheet.

For your information, my secretary made the initial request for my business cards as follows:

She contacted Chase Untermeyer's office to obtain the name of the printer who handles these cards. She was told that Bethesda Engravers in Maryland was the printer. Chase Untermeyer's office also suggested that we contact Betty Ubbens to obtain approval. Betty Ubbens, in turn, advised us that she would have to get approval from the Chief of Staff's office.

You will notice the stationery that I am using is also in the same form as the card, and it lists all of the Regional Chairmen. I would appreciate anything you can do to expedite approval of the use of the eagle on the business card.

Thank you very much.

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DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Monday, May 1, 1989

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Review Monday and Tuesday schedules TAB A	 	 RICE etc. CHASE / —
2. No wheat sales meeting - perhaps phone calls.	HOW BIG IN MID-W. ASK COOPER EVANS. NICK/JIM/..., CARLA - DARMAN... SHAN#	CHENEY APPTS. = ARMITAGE/etc —
3. Budget Resolution on both floors this week.	 CALL CLAYTON / IS THERE AN ALTERNATIVE TO SALE THAT CAN BE ANNOUNCED —	TALK TO BAKER. § SCOWCROFT
4. We are planning for crime package announcement.	CUT BACK ON PRES @ MEETINGS NAM COVERAGE!!!! ANNOUNCE / DO	Letter to HYDE re FAMILY PLAN/ABORTION COPY to PRES.
5. BOYDEN @ 3:30 CA/SA INITIATIVES	* 	POU DATA TO CABINET § CONFERES
6. APGA/C.A. ENVIRONMENT	 LUNCH <u>DARMAN</u> W/RICE TODAY	

DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Monday, May 1, 1989 -- p.m.

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Invitation to pre-graduation lunch from Texas A&M TAB A		BANDAR / GOLD EG - DARMAN 11/
2. ALAN BROMLEY		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		

DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Tuesday, May 2, 1989

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Review Tuesday and Wednesday schedules TAB A		
2. Paris Air Show -- Dickinson??	<u>OK</u> 	CONGRESS @ PRAYER <u>BEAST - ?</u> <u>THEIR MTG...</u>
3. Discuss EPA memo (Darman)		
4.	<u>STATEMENT ON</u> <u>SALZ</u> 	
5. SCOWCROFT / BAKER / SUNFLOWERS	<u>SOYBEANS / SUNFLOWERS</u>	
6.	<u>NO</u> <u>JESSE JACKSON</u> 	

DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Tuesday, May 2, 1989 -- p.m.

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Type of law degree to be awarded by Boston Univ. TAB A	✓ _____ _____ _____	oh. _____ _____ _____
2. Congressional/State involvement in Mitterrand visit TAB B	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____
3.	MEDAL OF FREEDOM - GOLDWATER PEPPER DOUG DILLON	✓ Andy _____ _____ _____
4.	CARL ALBERT? _____ _____ _____	? _____ _____ _____
5.	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

May 1, 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: STEPHEN M. STUDDERT *SMS*
SUBJECT: CONGRESSIONAL/STATE INVOLVEMENT IN
MITTERAND VISIT

*Pres. wants an
early church
service*

Opportunities for involvement of Congressional and/or state leadership occur at Pease Air Force Base, Kennebunkport, and Boston.

1. Saturday, May 20
Pease Air Force Base
10:30 A.M. Arrival Ceremony

Involvement: _____

2. Saturday, May 20
Kennebunkport
11:00 A.M. Arrival

Involvement: _____

Noon Luncheon (10 U.S. & 4 Bush family; 10 French)

Involvement: _____

P.M.: Dinner (5 or 6 U.S.; 5 or 6 French, maximum)

Involvement: _____

3. Sunday, May 21
Boston
11 A.M., Boston University

Involvement: _____

*If Cong.
ask -
Probably
not*

*Wait 'til
asked.*

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No

No
McKenna
Brennan
Nitchell
Cohen
Coming from
Churchday etc
no long
hours

4. Sunday, May 21
Logan International Airport, Boston
2:00 P.M. Departure

None

Involvement: _____

Who has responsibility to extend invitations ? _____

MAINE

GOVERNOR: John R. McKernan, Jr. (R)

SENATORS: William S. Cohen (R)
George J. Mitchell (D)

REPRESENTATIVES: Joseph E. Brennan (D)
Olympia J. Snowe (R)

MASSACHUSETTS

GOVERNOR: Michael S. Dukakis (D)

SENATORS: Edward M. Kennedy (D)
John F. Kerry (D)

REPRESENTATIVES: Silvio O. Conte (R)
Richard E. Neal (D)
Joseph D. Early (D)
Barney Frank (D)
Chester G. Atkins (D)
Nicholas Mavroules (D)
Edward J. Markey (D)
Joseph R. Kennedy (D)
Joe Moakley (D)
Gerry E. Studds (D)
Brian J. Donnelly (D)

NEW HAMPSHIRE

GOVERNOR: Judd Gregg (R)

SENATORS: Gordon J. Humphrey (R)
Warren Rudman (R)

REPRESENTATIVES: Robert C. Smith (R)
Chuck Douglas (R)

THE WHITE HOUSE

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May 1, 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: STEPHEN M. STUDDERT *gms*

SUBJECT: BOSTON UNIVERSITY

Following our meeting with the President Thursday, I am advised that the five "traditional" honorary degree options of B.U. are Laws, Science, Letters, Humane Letters, and Divinity.

Mrs. Bush will receive a Doctor of Humane Letters because of her literacy work. President Mitterrand will receive a Doctor of Laws, an honor given a statesman who has done good for his nation or people.

Boston University chooses to award the President a Doctor of Laws. Based on the guidance expressed by the President I conveyed our concurrence. I trust you will inform the President. //

cc: Andrew Card
Susan Porter Rose
David Demerest

DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: May 3RD 1989

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Review Wednesday and Thursday schedules -Tab A		WHO IN TRANSITION 8 ✓
2. Do you want to drop-by Bob Dole's Foundation for Employment of People w/ Disabilities tonight - 6:30 National Museum for women?	MORE DETAILS? NO HOLDING ROOM. NO ONE KNOW LIKE BRADY	
3. Friday looks good for 20 million ⁷ job.		Are SENATORS who HAD NOT BEEN HERE yet + A FEW HOUSE
4. V.P. going to Alaska tomorrow. FYI		
5. SCIENCE ADVISOR-		
6.		

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05. Agenda	From Ed Rogers Discussion Items for the Chief of Staff (1 pp.)	5/4/89	P5	

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DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Thursday, May 4, 1989

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Review Thursday and Friday schedules TAB A		WALT COLLEY PAPERWORK / RUSH PER CHASE
2. Spend time at Farish's farm before DUI event May 14? Raddcliffe, KY event is at 6 PM SUNDAY.	✓ X	
3. Yesterday's Atwater/Teeter meeting a. Drug tour in June ✓ b. Offensive against drugs and violence in movies and tv ✓		
4. c. Weekly drug intelligence briefing? LIST TO PATTY	✓	
5. Lunch with Washington Post writers TAB B	Not Done yet HOLD	SEE MARLIN
6.		

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

5/1/89
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MEMORANDUM

TO: MARLIN FITZWATER

FROM: JOSEPH W. HAGIN

SUBJECT: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

EVENT: Lunch with Washington Post Writers

DATE: June 7, 1989

TIME: 12:15 p.m.

DURATION: 60 Minutes

LOCATION: The Washington Post

ATTIRE: Business Suit

REMARKS REQUIRED: No

MEDIA COVERAGE: Closed

FIRST LADY
PARTICIPATION: No

ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION:

*Boe-
fyd*

CONTACT: _____

TELEPHONE: OFFICE _____ HOME _____

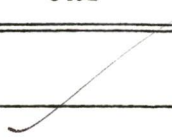
NOTE: PROJECT OFFICER, SEE ATTACHED CHECKLIST

Ed Rogers	Marlin Fitzwater	David Bates
James Cicconi	David Demarest	David Valdez
Fred McClure	Jean Lamb	USSS - PPD
Susan Porter Rose	Steve Studdert	Gary Walters
Patty Presock	John Keller	WHCA Audio/Visual
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		Bruce Zanca

DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Thursday, May 4, 1989 -- p.m.

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Memo re combatting violent crime TAB A		
2. <i>DUKEMLTR-</i> <i>OTHER</i> <i>PLACES</i>		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		

DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Friday, May 5, 1989

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Review Friday and Monday schedules TAB A		
2. Memo re Naming of New Space Shuttle TAB B	OK — ✓ 	
3. Dole/Kennedy matter	✓ 	
4. Medal of Freedom	✓ 	
5. May 15 ² " Crime Package — June events —	✓ ✓ 	
6. Panama Commission	✓ 	

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 4, 1989

MEMORANDUM FOR GOVERNOR SUNUNU

FROM: DAVID Q. BATES 
SUBJECT: Naming of New Space Shuttle

NASA established an educational outreach program designed to enhance students' interest in and enthusiasm for space exploration through educational projects related to space research, exploration, and discovery.

The Orbiter-Naming competition was open to all students in the U.S. Entries were divided into two divisions, kindergarten - 6th grade, and 7th grade - 12th grade. Each entry had to be the product of a team effort by students with a member of the school faculty serving as Team Coordinator. The name had to come from an actual sea vessel used in research and exploration as well as an explanation as to how and why the name was chosen.

The name which NASA has recommended from among the entries is Endeavour. It was the choice of 1000 of 6100 total entries and 32 of 111 state-level winners used the name Endeavour in their projects. Endeavour was the first ship commanded by the 18th-Century explorer, James Cook. On his voyage to the South Pacific, 1768-71, he was sent to Tahiti to observe and record the transit of the planet Venus in 1769. Through his three voyages, Cook did more to define the map of the world than any explorer before him.

NASA would also like to give the President the option of releasing a press statement announcing the name chosen for the new orbiter and mentioning that he has invited the two finalists to the White House to receive their awards. 

Past Presidents have not announced the names of space shuttles in the past, but the White House has always signed off on the name before it was released.

DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Friday, May 5, 1989 -- p.m.

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Does POTUS want to participate in a 10:00am memorial church service in Kentucky, since there is no 6:00 pm service?	<i>yes</i>	
2. Letter to POTUS from Mrs. James Cleveland TAB A	<i>✓</i>	
3. Letter to JHS from Shirin Tahir-Kheli TAB B	<i>✓</i>	
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06a. Letter	From Individual Seeking Position (2 pp.)	5/4/89	(b)(6)	

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06b. Letter	From Spouse of Individual Seeking Position to Chase Untermeyer (1 pp.)	11/23/88	(b)(6)	

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06c. Resume	Of Individual Seeking Position (2 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(6)	

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06d. Letter	From John Sununu to Spouse of Individual Seeking Position (1 pp.)	12/05/88	(b)(6)	

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07. Letter	From Shirin Tahir-Kheli to John Sununu Re: Position in Administration (4 pp.)	5/3/89	(b)(6)	

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08. Paper	Combating Violent Crime (8 pp.)	5/4/89	P-5	

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May 4, 1989
11:00 a.m.

COMBATTING VIOLENT CRIME

I. Assault Weapons

- A. Announce that you will make permanent the temporary suspension on imported assault weapons that fail to pass the sporting purposes test. ✓
- B. Amend current law to prohibit the domestic manufacture or sale of any weapon banned for import. ★
- C. Seek legislation prohibiting the importation, manufacturing, transfer or sale of gun magazines of over 10 rounds for use by private citizens. ✓

II. Limiting Access to Weapons by Felons

The Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 requires the Attorney General to develop a system for the immediate and accurate identification of felons and others who attempt to purchase firearms but are barred by federal law [18 U.S.C. 922(g)(1)] from buying or possessing firearms.

- A. Direct the Attorney General to expand the National Criminal Records Identification System Implementation study to include a review and evaluation of state and local procedures which have effectively limited criminal access to firearms, and based on that review develop recommendations for model state legislation to complement and enhance efforts to reduce felons access to firearms. Local procedures should be included in the review to the extent that they can be identified.

This model legislation might include a reasonably structured waiting period, or use other devices to facilitate accuracy in determining whether an individual seeking to purchase a weapon from a licensed gun dealer is ineligible by reason of federal law. Under current law the following categories of ineligibility are included on Treasury's Form 4473:

1. Convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year;
2. Currently under indictment;

3. A fugitive from justice;
 4. Addicted to a controlled substance or have been committed to a mental institution;
 5. An illegal alien;
 6. Adjudicated a mental defective or have been committed to a mental institution;
 7. Dishonorably discharged from the armed forces; and
 8. Renounced one's U.S. citizenship.
- B. Provide for states to transfer felony conviction records to the proper Federal authorities in a manner to be determined by the Attorney General.
- C. Modify existing federal law to further control access to weapons by felons and other ineligible individuals.
- o Bar the sale of firearms to, or possession of firearms by, persons convicted of any serious drug offense.

[N.B. A variation of this option was included in NECRA as: add "convicted of any drug offense" to Form 4473 question concerning whether the applicant is an "unlawful user of, or addicted to marijuana, or a depressant, stimulant, or narcotic drug." Its inclusion in the Administration package is not recommended by Justice and Treasury.]

- o Bar the sale of firearms to, or possession of firearms by, persons convicted of any violent offense.

[N.B. This option would expand the existing prohibition to cover individuals convicted of violent misdemeanor offenses, such as some of those on Purdy's record. It is supported by both Justice and Treasury.]

- o Double the current penalty for a knowing or materially false statement on Form 4473 to a maximum sentence of ten years imprisonment and a maximum fine of \$10,000.

- o Enact provisions to close loopholes and clarify existing offenses related to the sale or transfer of firearms:
 - to facilitate the prosecution of unlicensed gun dealers engaged in illegal weapons transfers to aliens or transients;
 - to expand federal jurisdiction to permit prosecution of transactions in stolen firearms and weapons lacking serial numbers in cases where the firearms have previously moved in interstate or foreign commerce, (present law requires the firearms be moving in interstate commerce at the time of the offense);
 - to provide a uniform standard to determine whether or not a person is under federal firearms disabilities based upon state convictions;
 - to require that persons convicted under state law of a serious drug offense or violent felony apply to federal authorities in order to have their firearms rights restored;
 - to amend provisions regarding the disposal of forfeited firearms; and
 - to clarify the definition of burglary in the Armed Career Criminal Act to eliminate loopholes caused by differing state laws.

III. Crime Control and Criminal Justice System Reforms

A. Strengthening Current Laws

1. Enact constitutionally sound procedures for imposing the federal death penalty provisions that now appear in federal statutes for homicide, espionage, and treason; the Administration's legislative proposal specifies the use of an automatic or semi-automatic firearm in committing the offense, or a previous conviction of a violent felony involving a firearm, as aggravating factors for capital murder sentencing.

2. Enact habeas corpus reform to:

- o establish a general one-year time limit on federal applications by state prisoners; and
- o require deference in federal proceedings to the results of fair and reasonable state court determinations.

This will correct the existing system of review, under which over 10,000 cases are annually filed and release time equivalent to approximately 40 federal judge-years.

3. Establish a general "good faith" exception to the exclusionary rule:

- o evidence would be admitted if the officers carrying out a search or seizure acted with an objectively reasonable belief that their conduct was in conformity with the Fourth Amendment; and
- o clarify that courts may not exclude evidence on the basis of non-constitutional violations in the absence of statutory authority for doing so.

4. Enhanced penalties for federal firearms violations

- o Double the mandatory penalty under 18 U.S.C. 924(c) for the use of a semi-automatic firearm during the commission of a violent crime or drug felony from five to ten years.
- o Allow for pre-trial preventive detention of defendants in cases involving certain serious firearms and explosive offenses.
- o Authorize criminal penalties and mandatory minimum sentences for theft of a firearm.
- o Enhance penalties for smuggling firearms into the United States while engaged in, or in the furtherance of, drug trafficking.
- o Amend the Armed Career Criminal statute to count as predicate offenses acts of juvenile delinquency which if committed by an adult would constitute a serious drug offense.

(N.B. Many youthful repeat offenders presently escape coverage of the enhanced career criminal penalties because most of their prior offenses were charged as juvenile delinquency.)

5. Urge all states to adopt model state legislation providing mandatory minimum sentences for criminal offenses involving firearms and provide them with related technical assistance through LECCs.
 - o Provide a 5 percent bonus of law enforcement grants to those states adopting model legislation. (\$6 million)
6. Amend the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 to provide that upon completion of the first year of the eight district pilot test of drug testing as a condition of parole or supervised release, the Attorney General be given the authority to implement such mandatory testing on a national basis.
 - o Urge states to adopt similar mandatory drug testing programs as a condition of parole.

B. Enhancing Enforcement

1. Increase funds for the Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms Bureau to provide for the hiring, training and equipping of 250 ATF special agents, inspectors and support personnel to investigate assault weapon and other firearms violations by armed career criminal and repeat offenders. (\$12.5 million)
2. Increase funds for the U.S. Marshals to provide for about 100 additional positions for the Marshals Fugitive Investigations and Court Orders Program. This would direct greater Federal efforts to capturing fugitives and career criminals. (\$8 million)
3. Increase funds for the FBI to provide for about 200 additional positions for the Bureau's Violent Crime and Major Offenders Program and Organized Crime Program. In part, this would assist States and localities improve their efforts in fighting violent crime through greater Federal/State cooperation. (\$13 million)

4. The Attorney General and Secretary of the Treasury will be directed to develop a coordinated strategy for the deployment of the additional U.S. Marshals, ATF and FBI agents. Their deployment will emphasize working closely with state and local authorities in Task Forces to target and investigate career criminals who are subject to prosecution as repeat offenders under Federal firearms laws and related statutes.
5. Urge state and local authorities to increase their law enforcement resources devoted to the identification and apprehension of violent criminal offenders.

C. Enhancing Prosecution

1. Increase funds for the U.S. Attorneys to support 1,600 additional positions to handle the increased number of federal defendants and to prosecute more drug cases, weapons offenses, and other priority matters. (\$50 million)
2. Increase funds for the Criminal Division to support 168 additional positions to be applied to drug cases, weapons offenses, and other priority matters. (\$5 million)
3. Additional funds to U.S. Marshals to provide transportation and 300,000 added jail days for unsentenced prisoners and pre-trial detainees. (\$13 million)
4. Direct the Attorney General to issue and fully implement guidelines for federal prosecutors regarding plea bargaining under the Sentencing Reform Act to assure that the exercise of prosecutorial discretion effectively reflects the seriousness of the defendant's conduct and the Department's commitment to statutory sentencing goals and procedures.
5. Urge state and local prosecutors to reform their plea bargaining practices and to devote increased resources to prosecutions.

6. Enhance support to the Judiciary by \$40 million for FY 1990 to cover costs associated with processing increased numbers of criminal defendants and for additional federal criminal prosecutions.

D. Expanding Prison Capacity

1. Seek legislation authorizing an additional \$1 billion for prison construction, bringing the total 1990 budget to \$1.5 billion. This will increase prison capacity by about 85 percent, adding over 26,000 new federal prison beds. Present rated federal prison capacity is 30,951 beds, the present federal prison population is 48,000, or 54 percent overcrowded.
2. Direct the Secretary of Defense, the Secretary of Education, and the Administrator of the General Services Administration to work with the Attorney General to identify expeditiously properties and facilities suitable for conversion to use as federal prisons or jails.
3. Direct the Attorney General to recommend means for expediting the deportation of convicted criminal aliens.
4. Commend and encourage state prison construction efforts.
 - o States have already funded over 79,000 new bedspaces to be constructed by 1994.
 - o The states are also considering constructing 70,000 additional bedspaces.

E. Resource Enhancement Summary**Penalties:**

State Grant Bonus	\$ 6.0 million
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Enforcement:

BATF	\$12.5 million
U.S. Marshals	\$ 8.0 million
FBI	\$13.0 million

Prosecution:

U.S. Attorneys	\$50.0 million
Criminal Division	\$ 5.0 million
Unsentenced Prisoner Support	\$13.0 million
Courts	\$40.0 million

Prisons:

Federal Prison Construction	\$ 1.0 billion
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(This will bring total 1990 prison construction budget to \$1.5 billion, which includes \$115 million available from the Special Forfeiture Fund available to the Office of National Drug Control Policy, and \$401 million in the original Bush Budget.)

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DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Monday, May 8, 1989 - AM

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. POTUS Schedule for Monday & Tuesday TAB A		CABINET DINNER @ CAMP DAVID PAINTINGS IN NSC - BEAUTIFUL AMERICAN ARTISTS CABINET RANK
2. MLK event on Thurs Fri.	- CORRETTA INVITED	BOB MICHAEL - GINGRICH McGOWAN ATTACK POLITICS ATTN. PUBLICITY CULVAHOUSE DID BRIEF - DID RIGHT
3. JHS Cabinet Breakfast - Tuesday	POLLING -	DEMAREST GAME PLAN STO REGIONAL etc SEND TO PAPERS/EDITORS LEE HAMILTON
4. ENVIRONMENT OFFENSIVE		CHECK JULY ITINERARY AFRICAN STOP (nonstop) DUTCH/PORTUGAL?
5. BENNETT BOOT CAMPS		PANAMANIAN? - JHS - CONF - MARLIN Q. & A.
6. IN/OUT ... / COORD.	WICK MILSON / RIDE OVER 5/11	CONSULTATIONS ON PANAMA

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DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Tuesday, May 9, 1989

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Review Tuesday and Wednesday schedules TAB A	<u>MODEL THE SYSTEM.</u> <u>BRENNEN / DATA CASE</u>	<u>GRAMM / BENTSEN</u> <u>COMING OUT OF THE -</u> <u>BRENNEN DOCTRINE</u> <u>BUSH DOCTRINE WILL</u> <u>BE</u>
2. National address on return from NATO -- London or US? ??	<u>1.) ?</u> <u>2.)</u>	
3. Advise POTUS of your meeting today at 3:00 re HDTV		
4. Former Governor Ray Shafer calling ??	<u>NO</u> <u>LTR FROM GB to HM SUPP. NO.</u>	
5. ENVIRONMENT ✓	<u>CALL DARMAN</u>	
6. CABINET / DOWN ON B/ch FBI / CONGRESS		
7. DEPT. →		

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DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Wednesday, May 10, 1989

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Review Wednesday and Thursday schedules Tab A	✓	
2. Review staff meeting agenda Tab B	✓	CAB. ST. CLAWSON CAMP DAVID.
3. Meeting at 3:30 with Former President Nixon	? ✓ 6:30	DON / BED / PKOS / FR. WILL NOT STATE DEPT.
4. Call from Congresswoman Claudine Schneider	✓	
5. National address on return from Europe	MON. NT.	
6. NRA briefed on our May 15 crime package -- very upset and are planning vocal opposition		

DISCUSSION ITEMS FOR THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Wednesday, May 10, 1989 -- p.m.

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1.7. McLaughlin Group to see POTUS Thursday regarding Friday speech	<u>NU</u>	
2.8. Meeting with Senator Simpson	<u>✓</u>	
3. Possible interview with <u>Don Feder</u> of Boston Herald on arrival in K'Port next week ??	<u>OK.</u> <u>DAVE SILVERBRAND TV.</u>	
4. <u>BOTH SPEECHES...</u>	<u>✓</u>	
5.		
6.		

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

STAFF MEETING AGENDA
TUESDAY, MAY 9, 1989

May - September
Priority Initiatives

1. Commencements (5/12, 13, 21, 24)
Subject matter?
Marketing?
2. Crime package - May 15th
Content?
Marketing Plan?
3. Crime package events - early June
Where?
Coordination of Admin. activities
4. Clean Air - early June
When?
Marketing Plan
5. YES Legislation - early June
When?
Who has the lead?
Content?
Marketing Plan?
6. Super 301 Trade Sanctions
Proposals to POTUS - May 19th
Announcement - When?
Who?
7. NATO - May 25 - June 1
Key Speeches?
Theme?
Expectations?
8. SDI Initiatives - June
JHS brief staff that JHS is considering ideas?
9. Summit - July 10 - 23
10. Kennebunkport (T Aug. 11 - Sept. 4th)
11. Bennett Drug Plan - Early Sept.
12. Other Initiatives?

THE WHITE HOUSE
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May - September
Key Legislative Activities

1. Savings and Loans - McClure/Breeden
2. MLK - McClure (Thursday? Mrs. King invited)
3. Budget Priorities - Darman
4. 1991 Budget Planning - Darman
5. 3rd World Debt
6. Environment - Porter
7. Minimum Wage - Porter
8. Education - Porter
9. Disabilities - Porter/Gray
10. Homeless Initiatives??
11. Other legislation??

Major Issues for JHS to give guidance on talking points.

1. Oil Spill
2. Jim Wright
3. Roe v. Wade
4. Iran-Contra

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FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Thursday, May 11, 1989

LA Times / op ed. By Darman

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Review Thursday and Friday schedules TAB A		GET STRONG + RESPONSE FROM. LAW ENFORCEMENT
2. Conversations with Sen. Gramm and Cong. Gingrich		CAN HERITAGE 1/6 PELNER
3. Conversation with Cardinal Law CAN ARCHB. HAGI		
4. Status of Supplemental.	✓	
5. BRADY/DARMAN S/L	✓	
6. GUN PACKAGE	✓	

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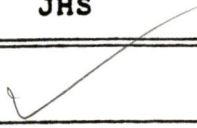
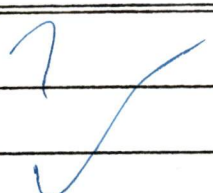
FROM: Ed Rogers

DATE: Friday, May 12, 1989

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. Review weekend and Monday schedules TAB A		
2. Do you want to host a budgeteers reception next Wednesday in the residence? (Darman recommends yes.)	OK Make sure not Tennis day / Bop / Event STAG... / MRS. B. NOT IN TOWN	
3. Review schedule items TAB B		JHS Can Boxed ON SOUTH AFRICA
4. New York Republican State Committee Dinner TAB C	POLITICAL AGENDA BRING. LEE... CLEMENTS	Send V.P. instead! SOON ONE PRES <> 1990 ELECT.
5. William Graham Memo DOE's HFER Reactor TAB D		
6. Heritage Foundation private seminar TAB E		

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FROM: Ed Rogers
 DATE: Friday, May 12

SUBJECT	JHS	STAFF
1. President statement re: Global warming workshop		
2. <i>Trade Speech before 301 action</i>		
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6.		

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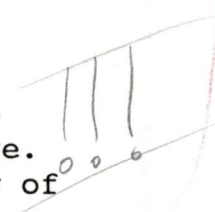
MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN H. SUNUNU

FROM: WILLIAM R. GRAHAM *WRG*

SUBJECT: Incident at the DOE's HFER Reactor

The DOE's High Flux Exposure Reactor (HFER) -- a small reactor located at the Oak Ridge National Laboratory and used for exposing materials to intense neutron fluxes -- was restarted recently after a two-year shutdown for safety review. On Tuesday, May 9, the reactor experienced an unanticipated shutdown due to a control room switch being improperly set during a test run.

The shutdown occurred safely, and preliminary reports indicate no damage. The incident was rapidly reported to the DOE, and a public statement has been made at Oak Ridge. The reactor has not been restarted, and a thorough review of the incident is under way.



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

Dear John:

I am glad we had the opportunity to discuss your idea of Heritage holding a private Saturday seminar (or series of seminars) on a range of issues for you and your senior colleagues in the Cabinet.

I would propose a small group of individuals from our side: Dr. Stuart Butler, Director of Domestic Policy, The Heritage Foundation; Dr. Richard Rahn, Vice President and Chief Economist, U.S. Chamber of Commerce; Burton Y. Pines, Senior Vice President and Director of Research, The Heritage Foundation; Margo D. Carlisle, Vice President for Government Affairs, The Heritage Foundation; and I would be pleased to act as host.

Some of the proposed topics we might discuss include:

- tax policy--stop all ducks from incubating!;
- welfare and social programs (Butler's book, Out of the Poverty Trap, is a perfect primer for this broad area);
- privatization (again, Butler has written a book on the subject, but beyond that, it is a very positive subject which the President enthusiastically endorsed earlier);
- health care (Heritage is about to propose a national health care system--don't be shocked, you'll like it!);
- industrial competitiveness-- we have done a great deal of work in this area and it is most distressing to hear President Bush's Commerce Secretary using the exact phraseology of the people President Bush and Vice President Quayle defeated when addressing this subject;

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- other social issues (the homeless, etc.); and
- economic issues (minimum wage legislation, etc.).

These are just some ideas for openers. Obviously, we will restrict them, refine them, expand them, or amend them as you prefer.

Feulner's First Law is: "In Washington, the urgent overwhelms the important." I hope we can find a date in June, as you suggested, to launch this project and to advance the President's agenda.

Sincerely,



Edwin J. Feulner, Jr.
President

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