THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

EXECUTIVE PR 8-1/8*

Mr. President:

Marvin says:

I told the President about Senator Douglas? request to see him, and the President said that he would be at the Ranch at the time, and that he'd try to do it when he got back to Washington. I passed this on to Senator Douglas, Paul

mf 1-1-66 3:45p

Dear Senator:

It occurs to me that in the course of the current discussions of the Bethlehem Steel Company price increase you may wish to see the attached data, which includes statements earlier made by the President and by Gardner Ackley.

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos Administrative Assistant to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D.C.

Enclosure

MM:jrt

RM3-3

January 11, 1966

Dear Senator:

I appreciate your writing about the forthcoming visit to Washington by the Illinois Methodist Ministers and your interest in arranging an appointment for them with the President.

I regret that the President's schedule for these days is such that it will be impossible to add further appointments. However, please convey our best wishes to the Methodist delegation for an enjoyable tour of the Nation's capital.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D.C. WMW:JRJ:rgm January 13, 1966

United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Douglas:

In line with our telephone conversation this morning I am inclosing a copy of a resolution which would delay submission of the Economic Report to the Congress until January 27, 1966.

The President asked me to thank you for your assistance and your willingness to introduce this resolution in the United States Senate.

It was good to talk to you and I look forward to working with you during the coming year.

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Califano, Jr. Special Assistant to the President

Incl.

January 13, 1966

Honorable Wright Patman Honor of Representatives Washington, D. C.

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January 13, 1700

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SEN. POUL H DOUGLAS

John L MCGEHEE

Dear Mr. Peterson:

I have been asked to acknowledge your letter of January 7th to the President in which you extended an invitation to him to be the speaker at the Fifty-First Annual Convention of Kiwanis International on Saturday, July 2d.

The President is very appreciative of this kind thought of him but he is unable to say this far chead whether it would be possible for him to undertake a trip out to Oregon in early July to appear before the Kiwanie Convention. Actually, he has found he cannot safely project his schedule more than several months in advance and feels, therefore, you ought to proceed with your plans, not counting on his presence now. Then, if you would like to get in touch with him again around May I when he will be in a better position to know. what his July calendar must be, he will be glad to hear from you further.

The President is grateful, too, for the kindness of Mr. Edward C. Keefe, President of Kiwanis International, in his willingness to bring details of this invitation to him or his staff on January 17th. Regrettably. the President's heavy schedule will not permit him the pleasure of receiving Mr. Keefe, but I will be glad to have him contact me while he is here if he wishes to do

Sincerely.

Jack Valenti Special Assistant tothe President

Mr. O. E. Peterson, Secretary *Kiwanis International 101 East Eric Street Chicago, Illinois

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January 14, 1966

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Dear Senator Douglas:

It gives me much pleasure to join your many friends who are paying tribute to you.

I regret that I cannot be present and I have asked Vice President Humphrey to deliver this letter to you personally.

In honoring you, your friends have chosen a deserving recipient. During your seventeen years of Senate service you have contributed greatly to the City of Chicago, to the State of Illinois and to this nation.

Because you recognized at an early date the problems engendered by the nation's massive move toward urbanisation, you supported much legislation that has had direct application and benefit for the citizens of Chicago and Illinois.

All of the mass of legislation passed in the historic 89th Congress has direct effect on the people of Chicago. The education legislation will put \$14 million into Cook County alone to aid schools. The Mass Transportation Bill will go far to relieve transportation problems created by urban and sub-urban development. Your tireless support of the Anti-Poverty Bill and housing legislation will do much to renew and re-vitalize the downtown core area of the great city.

I also remember your early and unrelenting efforts to involve the Federal government in the partnership of the people of the local and city government for the more lasting solution to mutual problems. These achievements, real and measurable though they may be, are only the surface of your service. Your dedication to purpose and quality of considered thought have made your nearly three terms of Senate service one of the most notable among the many noteworthy careers in that body.

I hope you will continue to serve the people of your state and of your nation.

Stacerely,

The Honorable Paul H. Douglas Courad Hilton Hotel Chicago, Illinois

LBJ:JM:gbk

GC: Bill Moyers/James Moyers/Juanita Roberts/ Central Files

Dear Senator:

I am pleased to be sending you under separate cover a copy of the Proceedings of the White House Conference on Natural Beauty.

This 800 page book is a full transcript of all the sessions of that conference. You will find it a valuable document on many aspects of the problems of preserving and creating beauty in our environment. I commend it to you and your associates for review and reference.

There has been an encouraging wave of interest and action for the natural beauty of America since the White House Conference. The Congress passed the Highway Beautification Bill of 1965 which incorporated many of the conference's recommendations on that subject. The federal agencies have been constantly reviewing their programs to see what they can do to make a greater contribution.

More than twenty states have responded to my suggestion at the conclusion of our White House meeting that each state hold conferences on natural beauty. In cities and towns across the country, local groups have been responding.

I hope that this volume will spur increased interest and provide a valuable source of practical ideas and programs which we see through to implementation.

Sincerely,

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

LBJ:JV:jc

February 10, 1966

Doar Sonator:

Thank you for your letter of February 8 requesting information on the issuance of a proclamation designating Negeo History Week.

As a general rule, except in unusual circumstances, the President issues proclamations setting aside special days and weeks only when requested and authorized to do so by a Congressional Resolution. There have been isolated exceptions when the President has acted on the basis of action taken by only one House of the Congress when there was some particular time problem.

Your interest, and that of your constituents, is very much approciated, and you may be sure that if an appropriate resolution is passed by the Congress in the future, the President will be pleased to comply.

Sincerely.

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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THE PRESIDENT, ATTENTION MR CALIFANO

THE WHITE HOUSE

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AND SUPPORTING HIM IN HIS PROPOSAL

PAUL H DOUGLAS UNITED STATES SENATOR.

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Mr. James Moyers The White House Washington 25, D. C. Kinville Richarde

Dear Mr. Moyers:

I am enclosing a letter from the Junior Achievement of Chicago who would like very much to have a telegram from the President to be read at their Annual Conference on March 6th.

Would you let my office know if this will be possible. I recognize the pressures you are under and if you cannot do this, I will certainly understand.

With best wishes,

Faithfully yours,

Paul H. Douglas

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February 23, 1966

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Dear Bob:

If I may impose on friendship to answer you both with the same letter, I'll save a few minutes. First of all, you've both been generous with kind words, for which I am grateful. And you both have been gracious enough to hope I can keep in touch with RTNDA -- and I do, too. I'm not going to be eager to accept many outside dates, but on the other hand I don't intend to dump my credentials from 35 years in the news field, and I think that from time to time I may make some contribution to professional matters. Or, at least, stir up some people.

As for the request for the President to appear at the Chicago convention, I think your channels are the best -- by fall, many of his dates will be scheduled around election campaigns, and Paul Douglas may well draw the President our your way. I'll try to put in a good word as the dates get nearer.

Meanwhile, work hard, be brave, and I'll do the same.

Cordially,

Robert H. Fleming
Deputy Press Secretary
to the President

Mr. Bob Gamble
President
Radio Television News
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IVI/1966/ST13 (Chicago)

February 24, 1966

Dear Senator Douglas:

I have checked on the invitation to the President from Roosevelt University for June 12th and have found that the invitation has been regretted. A letter to this effect has gone to Acting President Rolf A. Weil of the University from Jack Valenti.

I'm sorry that it was necessary to give them this disappointing answer but we very much appreciate having your expression of interest.

Best regards.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

The Honorable Paul H. Douglas
Congress of the United States
Washington, D. C.

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In /1966/STI3 (CARLINVILLE)

February 24, 1966

Dear Senator Douglas:

We so much appreciate the expression of interest shown in your February 23rd letter concerning an invitation to the President from Blackburn College for September 1966.

Since it is much too early to make a determination as to the President's Fall schedule, we have asked that they renew the invitation in late July or early August when something more definite might be known.

It's good to have your letter concerning this invitation.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

The Honorable Paul H. Douglas Congress of the United States Washington, D. C.

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Congress of the United States

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(CREATED PURSUANT TO SEE, 5(A) OF PUBLIC LAW 344, 70TH COMMISSO

March 1, 1966

Forwarded by

Mrs. Noel Nolan

1354 North Sedgwick Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mrs. Nolan:

Thank you very much for your message concerning the bombing of North Viet Nam.

As you may recall, last year in the period before the Christmas and New Year holidays, there was a great deal of discussion on the need for giving North Viet Nam another opportunity to agree to enter into negotiations on the Viet Nam question. It was felt by some that a cessation of the bombing of the North would be just the inducement needed. The President did call for such a cessation of the bombings and the result was the same as that experienced in the spring. Hanoi did not make any effort to come to the conference table. Instead, the interim was used to regroup North Vietnamese forces and to reorganize their supply lines to the South.

In January, the bombing attacks against the North were again authorized. But the President laid down specific limitations on such raids and specially defined targets were designated so that indiscriminate bombing of the urban areas of the North would be prohibited. We had the responsibility of making sure that our own troops in the field were not killed because of the build-up by Hanoi during the lull. And the forces infiltrating South Viet Nam have killed hundreds of people and terrorized the countryside.

The President has pledged that the United States is willing to enter into "unconditional discussions" on this whole question with North Viet Nam. He mentioned this again in his State of the Union Message in January. "We have also made it clear from Hanoi to New York that there are no arbitrary limits to our search for peace. We stand by the Geneva Agreements of 1954 and 1962. We will meet at any conference table. We will discuss any proposals - 4 points or 14 or 40 - and we will consider the views of any group. We will work for a cease fire now, or once discussions have begun."

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Mr. President:

There were four votes in the Senate Finance Committee meeting this morning We won all of them.

First -- Gore's motion to strike excises and substitute investment credit --We won 9 - 4.

The Four against were Gore, Douglas, Paul Engene McCarthy, and Hartke, Janes Collect

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REPUBLICANS

Wallace Bennett, Utah John Tower, Texas Strom Thurmond, South Carolina Bourke B. Hickenlooper, Iowa March 7, 1966

Dear Senator:

In response to your request of March 3, I am happy to forward a pen used by the President in approving the Veterans' Readjustment Benefits Act of 1966 for presentation to the administrator of the Illinois Veterans Commission.

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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March 9, 1966

Dear Senator Douglas:

This morning I received your letter seconding the invitation to the President for the April 16th celebration of the Centennial of the Grand Army of the Republic.

I find that Jack Valenti wrote to Mrs. Lyman of Decatur, Illinois on March 8th, telling her that the President would be unable to attend this celebration. We regret that the answer is a disappointing one and hope that you will extend appreciation and good wishes to all who had a part in this invitation.

Thank you for writing.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

The Honorable Paul H. Douglas
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.
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March 12, 1966

Dear Senator:

Your letter with the attached request concerning the invitation to the President to attend the 100th Anniversary Commemoration of the birth of Annibulivan in Washington on April 17th and 18th arrived this morning. I regret to inform you that it will be impossible for the President to attend the memorial service at the National Cathedral or to preside over a ceremony at the White House on April 18th. Because of your interest in this matter, we would like to be able to accept, however, an extremely heavy official schedule plus several expected meetings during that time will make it impossible for the President to participate in the Commemoration.

The second attachment, concerning the interest of a delegation from the Champaign Community Schools to attend the May convention on the International Cooperation Year is a matter which is being handled directly by the State Department. I will convey this interest to the proper official and have him contact you directly with any developments.

With kind regards.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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March 12, 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR

JOSEPH SISCO

Senator Paul Douglas sent the attached request. Will you check into the possibilities and contact Senator Douglas directly concerning any developments.

Thank you.

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Enclosure/letter from Louise Vidas, 2/28/66 re: Champaign Community Schools delegation being invited to convention of International Cooperation Year.

JRJ:rkh

March 14, 1966 12:23 p.m.

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MEMORANDUM TO BILL MOYERS:

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Enclosed are two requests from the Boss: one for a letter and one for a call.

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

M. Marvin Watson

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Mr. President:

Attached is a publication received yesterday: "IUD Agenda" published by the Industrial Union Department, AFL-CIO, of which Walter P. Reuther is President and Jack T. Conway is Executive Director.

Beginning on page 26 is a good article on Senator Douglas -- Paul except it does not mention President Johnson. It does mention President Kennedy three times and includes a picture on page 28.

Following your discussion with Mr. Reuther yesterday, I don't believe this is likely to happen again if he has knowledge of it.

May I send the attached to Mr. Reuther?

Yea _____Nay ____

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March 15, 1966 8:20 P.M. Tuesday

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EXECUTIVE

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT:

Delegation to the Inauguration of Lincoln Statue F6-163

in Mexico City on April 15

Ambassador Freeman'reports that President Diaz Ordar will attend the ceremony and Foreign Minister Carrillo XFlores will be the sole Mexican speaker.

Here are some suggestions:

- If your calendar is clean, why don't you consider flying to Mexico City? This is a non-political thing and it would give you a chance to get to Mexico without Bounilla, Me, controversy and would strengthen Mexican-American ties.
- 2. If you do not think well of the first suggestion, I recommend that Justice Fortag head this Delegation.

Suggestions for rest of the Delegation:

Dr. Milton Eisenhower

Senator Dirksen, Everett M.

Senator Cooper of Kentucky

Senator Morton of Kentucky

Governor Breathitt of Kentucky

Mexican Ambassador Hugo B. Margain

IV/1966/3713 (Aprent Morris

March 23, 1966

Dear Mr. Lengt

Recently we reviewed with the President seme of the invitations which have been pending for him and included was your kind and appealing invitation to speak at the Annual Fourth of July Celebration in Mount Morris.

We are sorry to now send a disappointing reply but with the heavy efficial schedule that is developing for the menths ahead, the President does not feel he can held out any hope of being with you. I thought you would like to know this as soon as possible so that you could preced with your plans accordingly.

With his regrets, the President wanted me to send his thanks for your thoughtfulness in asking him and best wishes for a most successful and memorable Fourth of July observance in Mount Marris.

Sincovely,

W. Masvin Watern Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Harold R. Long, President Mount Morris Fourth of July Colebration 314 Root Brayton Road Mount Morris, Illinois

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CC: Senator Paul Deuglas

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(Carbondale)
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March 23. 1966 GRAY, Kenneth J.

Dear Mr. Allens

I have your letter of the 14th renowing the invitation first extended to the President last fall to visit Carbondale on May 30th and assist your community in celebrating its Memorial Day Centennial.

The President deeply regrets that he must now have me advise that as his official spring schedule has developed, he cannot be with you for this important observance.

With his regrets he wanted me to express his gratitude to you and all who joined in asking him, together with his best wishes for a most successful and memorable occasion.

Sincerely.

Jack Valenti
Special Assistant to the President

Mr. John W. Allen
President
Carbondale Memorial Day
Association, Inc.
City Hall
Carbondale, Illinois 62901

CC: Sen. Dirksen, Sent Douglas, Cong. Melvin Price 3-34-64

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

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March 24, 1966

TO:

Jack Valenti

FROM: Milton P. Semer

The Housing Department has moved in on this under my guidance, and Mr. Frey is no longer seriously expecting anybody from the White House to participate.

The initial pressure on the White House was generated by Senator Douglas who called me about Frey's interest, and told Frey that he had called me.

I have talked with Frey personally on two occasions.

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Congress of the United States

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GENERAL

Mr. Mike N. Manatos Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Manatos:

I would greatly appreciate it if you could send me a duplicate of the picture Mrs. Douglas and I had taken with President and Mrs. Johnson last year. The markings on the back of the picture read: C70-53-Wh 65, Feb. 18, 1965, Cecil W. Stoughton, 53 Douglas. A print is needed for this weekend if possible. Thank you for your efforts.

With best wishes,

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Faithfully yours,

Paul H. Douglas

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Nothing else sent to

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Dear Paul:

Lady Bird and I join in sending you our warmest greetings on your birthday. We wish for you a joyous celebration today and a year filled with the good things of life for you and yours.

With the hope that you will have many happy returns of the day,

Sincerely,

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

LBJ:MM:JL:jf

Mike N. Manatos / May Seat /5*

March 26, 1966

Dear Senator:

Congratulations and all good wishes for a happy birthday. I hope your birthday will be a very special and memorable occasion and that you will be blessed with many more.

With best personal regards,

Cordially,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.
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Meets second Tuesday

Members:

Democrats:

A. Willis Robertson, of Virginia
John J. Sparkman, of Alabama
Paul H. Douglas, of Illinois
William Proxmire, of Wisconsin
Harrison A. Williams, Jr., of New Jersey
Edmund S. Muskie, of Maine
Edward V. Long, of Missouri
Maurine B. Neuberger, of Oregon
Thomas J. McIntyre, of New Hampshire
Walter F. Mondale, of Minnesota
Matthew Hale, Chief of Staff

Republicans:

Wallace F. Bennett, of Utah

John G. Tower, of Texas

Strom Thurmond, of South Carolina
Bourke B. Hickenlooper, of Iowa

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April 7, 1966

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

6:05 p.m. Thursday TR 84

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PRESIDENT PA2/Lincoln, Whaten

Here is the final delegation list:

Mrs. Johnson Secretary Rusk Assistant Secretary Gordon Senator Mansfield, Llike Senator Dirksen, EVERETT M. Congressman Chelf, Senator Joe Montoya Congressman Roybal Congressman Gonzalez Congressman de la Garza Congressman Lipscomb Alfred Strelsin Senator Paul Douglas Mrs. Felix de Weldon (Mr. de Weldon is already in Mexico City, Will return with the delegation.)

The following cannot go because of other commitments:

Congressman Carl ! lbert Congressman Ford Senator Cooper Senator Morton Congressman Paul Findley Senator Yarborough Congressman Holifield Harold Hochschild Senator Kuchel (He called this morning and said that his doctor thinks he should not go to Mexico City and therefore he is reluctantly withdrawing.)

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April 13, 1966

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MEMORANDUM FOR JIM MOYERS

FROM:

Mike Manatos

It seems to me the President's participation in the Dirksen Appreciation Committee State-wide Dinner would be hurtful to Senator Douglas. Looking back no one can argue that the President has been more than generous with Senator Dirksen in many, many ways and to expect him to go one step beyond what he has already done might be a little too much.

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FROM THE SPECIAL	COUNSEL
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	See below XXXXX For recommendation.
Remarks: y Om	urican artists Profession a League, Inc.
To Ha Illi Subje	rry McPherson; from Paul H. Douglas, Senator from nois letter dated April 11, 1966 ct: Request that Illinois be granted a Proclamation y the President for American Art Week
Roberta R. Gross	(Mrs. Frank Franz)
GPO 16-70002-1	By direction of the President: RECEIVED RECEIVED Herry C. McPherson
	Herry C. McPherson Special Counsel to the President

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Congress of the United States

JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE (CREATED PURSUANT TO SEC. 9(a) OF PUBLIC LAW 304, 79TH CONGRESS)

April 15, 1966

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94(8/66) 6 PZ/S+13 Administrative Assistant to the President

Washington, D. C. Dear Mr. Manatos:

Mr. Mike Manatos

The White House

We are preparing a brochure for the campaign and, as you can understand, our campaign suffers from that ailment of all campaigns: each project must be completed before noon, by tomorrow the latest.

Could you assist us with one of our needs? -- pictures of Senator Douglas with President Johnson, any and all will be greatly appreciated. Obviously, close-ups and those of the two men together or near each other are vital. One specific shot which interests us is that of the signing of the Civil Rights bill.

Any and all your efforts will be greatly appreciated. As you know, the Senator is on the Mexico City trip. Otherwise, I would have him write the letter personally.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

Luke C. Hester Press Aide to

Senator Paul H. Douglas

LCH:mfd

HO/A

April 19, 1966

Dear Senator:

This is in response to your letter of April 11, 1966, enclosing a letter from Mrs. Roberts R. Gross, requesting, on behalf of the American Artists Professional League, Inc., that the President issue a proclamation for American Art Week.

It has been White House practice to issue proclamations calling for special observances only on the basis of a specific Congressional resolution or long-standing precedent. Numerous celebrations of this nature are sponsored each year by national or State organizations, societies, and groups. If a Presidential proclamation were to be issued in this particular case, it would be difficult to deny subsequent requests for similar proclamations.

As you know, the President has on several occasions expressed his support and encouragement of the arts in America. In the event a resolution is passed by the Congress requesting the designation of an American Art Week, you can be certain its purposes will be sympathetically viewed here.

With thanks and best wishes,

Sincerely,

Harry C. McPherson, Jr. Special Counsel to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C. 20510

HCM/Budget/crm

April 20, 1966

Dear Paul:

You and Emily added a great deal to the prestige and quality of our delegation to Mexico City.

If this trip was a success, it is because we witnessed the visible outpouring of Mexican affection and trust in the United States. This is what you and I and all of us who labor in the cause of our country are trying to build.

I am grateful to you.

Sincerely,

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE WASHINGTON

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IFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

April 21, 1966

Dear Senator Douglas:

The Secretary has asked that I bring to your attention a letter to Senator Robert Kennedy with regard to the provisions of Title XIX of the Social Security Act relative to the State agency which may be designated as the single State agency to administer or supervise the administration of the State medical assistance plan. The Secretary sent this letter to Senator Kennedy in response to a specific request with respect to the administration of the program in the State of New York.

We appreciate your interest in this problem, and I would be pleased to meet with you or members of your staff on any future developments.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Philip R. Lee, M.D.

Philip R. Lee, M. D. Assistant Secretary for Health and Scientific Affairs

Honorable Paul H. Douglas
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

Enclosure

Identical letters to:
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April 27, 1966 9:00 p.m.

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Mr. President:

You will remember that you had a call from Governor Johnson of Mississippi. Governor Bryant talked to Governor Johnson who said he hoped you could come to a meeting in Mississippi Saturday, April 30, if you are in Texas at that time. The meeting is between representatives of Mexico and the State of Mississippi for the purpose of promoting trade between the two.

I explained to Governor Bryant that you plan to return to Washington tomorrow night and he is relaying this information to Governor Johnson.

Governor Kerner of Illinois called for you at 7:00 o'clock tonight but talked to me. His question is on the interstate highway. He insists that he, Senator Douglas, Senator Dirksen, Mayor Daley, John and several Congressmen are much in favor of the relocation of the highway which Mayor Daley has spoken to you about.

Governor Kerner said after talking with Alan Boyd today, he believes Boyd will give a wrong opinion tomorrow. He further said this is the only thing he has ever called about and it is the most important thing he could call about.

I checked with Jack Valenti and Joe Califano who have done some staff work on this subject. They suggested that I talk directly to Alan Boyd which I have done tonight.

Mr. Boyd believes that the decision now contemplated by Bureau of Roads is correct. He states that this interstate system has been under planning and construction for some ten years and that during this time, there has not been a change in the basic concept. He says it goes from city to city in the most direct route. He says to do what Governor Kerner suggests would mean an elbow of some 25 miles in the system. He had already asked the Attorney General to give a ruling as to whether it would even be legal to do as Governor Kerner has requested. Mr. Boyd and I are to visit on this again tomorrow.

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April 27, 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR

Jack Valenti

In accordance with your memorandum, I have talked with Nick Katzenbach about the judgeships in Illinois. He said he would attempt to work out something in the Douglas Dirksen situation, but is apprehensive that this cannot be worked out until after the November election. He doesn't want to say that to Dirksen, but he doesn't think Douglas, will agree to any Republican appointees at this time because it would hurt his situation in Illinois. However, Nick did promise he would make every effort to work this out as quickly as possible.

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Mr. President:

Congressman Danny Rostenkowski called and requested an appointment for himself and Congressman John Kluczynski to discuss possible appointment of Congressman Kluczynski's borther to a Federal Judgeship.

Congressman Rostenkowski said he believes, as Mayor Daley does, that the appointment of a person of Polish decent to this job is most important. According to the Congressman, Mayor Daley asked Mr. Kluczynski to seek this appointment.

Congressman Rostenkowski believes that Senator Paul Douglas favors someone else.

Do you want to see Congressmen Rostenkowski and Kluczynski for this purpose?

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To: Mr. Benjamin H. Read Executive Secretary Department of State

Date: April 29, 1966

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Mike Manatos
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20220

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Dear Senator Douglas: Canl

In response to the recent request of your office, I am pleased to enclose a memorandum which explains the changes we have suggested in your Truth in Lending bill. The memorandum also discusses some of the problems which we foresee in the administration of the bill if it should be enacted. At the same time, the memorandum indicates that most of the objections that the provisions of your bill are unworkable can be met.

Our staff is working on tables which can be used to determine the annual percentage rate of finance charge, and I am quite hopeful that we can meet in advance some of the problems in administration that may arise. Please feel free to call on me for any additional explanatory materials you may wish.

Very truly yours.

(Signed) Robert A. Wallace

Robert A. Wallace

The Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C. 20510

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TELEGRAM
Send on about May 10th to:

Mrs. Eleanor P. Eells c/o Mr. Robert D. Geigner 217 N. Third Street Geneva, Illinois

I join your many friends, and those whom you have helped so much over the years, in sending you my greetings on this evening of reflection and celebration. One who looks back -- as you do -- on a lifetime of service to disadvantaged men and women and children truly has cause for rejoicing. May you give many more years of yourself to those who need you.

LBJ

April 26, 1966

Senator Paul Douglas U.S. Senate Washington, D.C.

Dear Senator:

With pleasure, the President will send a message to Mrs. Eleanor Eells; to be read on the evening of May 17th. It will be sent about a week before c/o Mrs. Geigner in Geneva, Illinois.

Sincerely,

Harry C. McPherson

Hand carried to Male applied

May 11, 1966

Dear Senator:

The President has signed S. 518, which you sponsored and which provides for the relief of Joanna K. Georgoulia.

He has asked that I send the enclosed pen which he used in signing this legislation along with his appreciation and best wishes.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

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Office of the Chairman

Kederal Maritime Commission Washington, D.C. 20573

May 12, 1966

Honorable Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Marvin:

One of our Federal Maritime Commissioners, James V. Day, who is from Maine and was formerly Public Relations Director of the American Legion, was reappointed by the President for four years on June 30th, 1965, as a Republican member of the Commission, as you know.

Commissioner Day has been giving many speeches in support of the President's programs, for example, his Vietnam policy, as the enclosed speech shows. As everyone's files will indicate, I supported the Commissioner for reappointment.

With all good wishes, I am

Sincerely,

Ken Burns

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

May 13, 1966 4:25 p



Mr. President:

otto 4 You will recall that Governor Kerner is most interested in having the proposed location for the interstate highway moved. Governor Bryant has made a study of his request to the Bureau of Roads and others.

It is anticipated the additional cost will be Pichard J. \$31 million.

In that you will be meeting Governor Kerner, Senator Douglas and Mayor Daley next Tuesday, do you want Governor Bryant to accompany you to Chicago to discuss this with them?

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May 14, 1966

Par Kennedy, John F.

Dear Senator:

Thank you for your letter of May Il attaching a copy of Mr. Irwin W. Moser's letter to Miss Luci Johnson. I will be glad to let her know that you have contacted the White House on Mr. Moser's behalf.

Sincerely,

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Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

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May 16, 1966

Dear Senator:

The President has asked that I send the enclosed photographs taken when Mr. and Mrs. Olive came to the White House on April 21.

With kind personal regards,

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

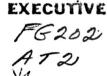
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON



May 18, 1966 Wednesday, 4:30 p.m.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

Subject: AEC Accelerator site

You will recall that you told me to get in touch with Joe Califano and AEC Chairman Seaborg about the AEC Accelerator site. Seaborg, this afternoon, said:

- (1) the six sites (New York, California, Denver, Ann Arbor, Madison, Chicago) are equally good, and
- (2) timing is important to him, and he would like the selection and announcement to be made as early as June.

He fished around for some hint as to how you feel about it. I said you had not talked to me about it, but I felt certain that you would want the decision made on the merits. He said he appreciated my interest in the matter, because I might help him move the matter to an early decision. I answered that I didn't know enough about the merits to express an opinion on the question of timing, but would be available to him any time I could be helpful.

Joe Califano feels that the AEC should develop better cost figures, but this would not necessarily delay an announcement of the site.

Senator Douglas came over to me at the Chicago dinner last night and said that you wanted him, Seaborg and me to get together in my office. When the Senator dalled today, I suggested to him that he stay out of it for the moment, and not press for such a three-way meeting. He agreed to this.

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

11:45 pm. Wednesday May 25, 1966

FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM Joe Califano

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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. LEVINSON

Subject: Truth-in-Lending alternatives

You asked for a brief description of the Douglas bill on truth-inlending and possible options.

S. 2275, sponsored by Senator Douglas, has the following major features:

- 1. it requires most lenders providing consumer credit to furnish to prospective borrowers in advance specific written information on the cash or delivered price of the commodity or service purchased and the comprehensive finance charge (a) in dollars and cents, and (b) as a percentage "expressed as a simple annual rate on the periodic unpaid balance of the obligation";
- 2. it requires credit-sellers using revolving or open-end credit plans to provide in advance "the simple annual percentage rate or rates at which a finance charge will be imposed on the monthly balance"; and
 - 3. it vests regulatory authority in the Federal Reserve Board.

Apart from differences over the location of the regulatory authority, the controversy has centered almost entirely on the insistence by Senator Douglas and consumer groups that disclosure of a "simple annual rate" is essential for informed use of consumer credit and the contention by various industry groups that such a rate is difficult if not impossible to provide with any degree of accuracy for certain types of credit, or is misleading or meaningless if provided.

At least three suggestions have been brought forward to resolve this type of problem.

1. Exemption of certain types of credit from the simple annual rate requirement. The Senate subcommittee print of September 1964 (on S. 750) watered down, if not removed, the annual rate requirement for revolving credit financing (that is, charge account). The retail installment credit industry the following winter urged that it likewise be made exempt, claiming that great administrative difficulties

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May 31, 1966

Dear Panti

These you for your letter of may 23 on the Seventh Circuit Coast of Appeals. Lam glod to have your views on this important matter.

I agree with you that we must take jule consideration the number of cases originating in each state as well as the question of the population of each of the three states. I appreciate your poleting out that litteris had more than three fourths of the cases inst year.

I want to necure you, Faul, that there questions will be excelely studied here, and that Walter Cummings will receive every consideration. Thank you for taking the time to write.

With best wishes,

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TRUTH-IN-LENDING OPTIONS

Douglas Proposal -- Annual Interest

Most Credit Sales

- 1. Simple Annual Interest Rate and
- 2. Dollars and Cents Finance Charge

Revolving Credit and Open End (Charge Accounts)

- 1. Simple Annual Interest Rate
- cf. DOD Instruction covering 2 million servicemen with "Easy to Compute" Annual Interest Chart

Other Options

- 1. Exempt Retail Sales (Possibly other credit arrangements) from requirements.
- 2. Lender to Elect either Simple Annual Interest Rate or Dollars and Cents (Muskie)
- 3. Lender to State Dollar Cost of credit per hundred dollars (Preferred approach by American Banking Association)
- 4. Lender to Specify Monthly Percentage Rate for Cost of Credit (Muskie)
- 5. In all transactions above (\$100-300 etc. -- some floor amount to be negotiated) credit costs would be stated annually as in the Douglas proposal. Below-the-line credit would be stated as a dollar amount.
- 6. Some combination of above.

FILE MEMO:

See: C.F. CO 321, for corresp., 6/6/66 re PRINCE TOMISIAV and Sen. Paul DOUGLAS

and PRINCESS MARGARITA.

T PATMAN, TEX., CHAIRMAN

Congress of the United States

June 7, 1966

Mr. Harry C. McPherson Special Assistant to the President The White House Office Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. McPherson

I am enclosing a letter which I received requesting an autographed picture and a statement by the President.

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

CONGRESSIONAL

June 22, 1966

TO: Elishka Hasek

FROM: Ruth McCawley

Please call Arthur Hahn (180-2154) of Senator Douglas' office whatever you decide (and let me know too, Hereles ling of please). Thanks for your help.

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Paul H. X Douglas

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Juna 8, 1966

I was happy to learn of the Palatine, Illinois Centennial Celebration, and it is a pleasure to express to all your citizens my warm congratulations.

This is indeed a significant milestone and one which reflects a history in which you can all take great pride.

Your past record of growth and achievement is a credit to the people of your city and to their hard-working, dedicated forebears.

I know that you have resolved to sustain and enhance this reputation, and I hope that the years ahead will make this resolve a reality.

cc: Congressman Paul H. Douglas

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CC: James Moyers, Juanita Roberts, Bob Fleming, W. Shoemaker, CI Jean Lewis (Cong. Cy.)

Statement sent to: Mr. Thomas F. Ahern

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P. O. Box 344

Palatine, Illinois

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 8, 1966 Wednesday - 5:30 p.m.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

William

Mike Manatos M. M.

Senator Proxmire has just called to invite you to the only reception of the year to honor Senator Paul Douglas to be held at the Women's National Democratic Olub, 1526 New Hampshire Avenue, Northwest at 6 p.m. this evening. Senator Proxmire who is co-chairing the reception-buffet apologized for the lateness in inviting you.

I told the Senator in view of the lateness of the invitation that you probably would not be able to make it.

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June 9, 1966

Dear Senator:

Thank you very much for your second of the invitation of the Carmi Sesquicentennial Commission, Inc., to the President to attend their Fourth of July celebration.

The President appreciates your joining in this invitation to him, but other commitments preclude his acceptance. As a matter of fact, I have already written Mr. J. Robert Smith, President of the Carmi Sesquicentennial Commission to this effect and enclose a copy of my letter for your information.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

Courtesy copy to Sen. Douglas and zerox copy of ltr from Mr. Watson to Mr. J. Robt. Smith, dtd 5/27/66

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June 13, 1966

FOR

Bill Hopkins

FROM

Larry Levinson

Can you tell me where attached stands at the

moment.

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Paul H. Donglar

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AMES W. KNOWLES, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Congress of the United States

JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE (CREATED PURSUANT TO SEC. 5(4) OF PUBLIC LAW 304, 77TH CONSESSE)

June 10, 1966

PAUL M. DOUBLAS, ELL., VICE GRAINMAND AND JOHN SPARKIMAN, ALLA JOHN SPARKIMAN, ANG. W. W. PRANCONT, ANG. WILLIAM PROCEDINGS, WIS. HERMAN E. TALMADES, GA. JACOS M. JAVYTS, N.V. JACK MILLER, 19WA LEN B. JORDAM, IDAMO

The Honorable Joseph A. Califano, Jr. Cial Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Califano:

Public Law 86-90 authorizes the President to issue a proclamation designating the third week in July as "Captive Nations Week." I feel that the observance of this week is of importance to all Americans, for it reminds us that totalitarian governments are today enslaving peoples who yearn to be free.

There are many Americans who trace their roots to Eastern Europe and to Cuba, and many of our citizens still have relatives trapped behind the iron curtain. I know that the President shares with these people the prayer that the people of the Captive Nations will one day know a re-birth of freedom.

I am inclosing with this letter a copy of the authorization for the proclamation of "Captive Nations Week," and I hope the President will renew his commitment to these people who know first hand what communism does to a nation.

With best wishes,

Faithfully yours,

Paul H. Douglas

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Public Law 86-90 86th Congress, S. J. Res. 111 July 17, 1959

JOINT RESOLUTION

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Providing for the designation of the third week of July as "Captive Nations Week".

Whereas the greatness of the United States is in large part attributable to its having been able, through the democratic process, to achieve a harmonious national unity of its people, even though they stem from the most diverse of raciol, religious, and ethnic back-

grounds; and Whereas this harmonious unification of the diverse elements of our free society has led the people of the United States to possess a warm understanding and sympathy for the aspirations of peoples everywhere and to recognize the natural interdependency of the

peoples and nations of the world; and

Whereas the enslavement of a substantial part of the world's population by Communist imperialism makes a mockery of the idea of perceful coexistence between nations and constitutes a detriment to the natural bonds of understanding between the people of the United States and other peoples; and

Whereas since 1918 the imperialistic and aggressive policies of Russian communism have resulted in the creation of a vast empire which poses a dire threat to the security of the United States and of all

the free peoples of the world; and Whereas the imperialistic policies of Communist Russia have led, through direct and indirect aggression, to the subjugation of the national independence of Poland, Hungary, Lithuania, Ukraine, Czechoslovakia, Latvia, Estonia, White Rutnenia, Rumania, East Germany, Bulgaria, mainland China, Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, North Korea, Albania, Idel-Ural, Tibet, Cossackia, Turketta North Vita Venand others and delegant and Constant of the North Vita Venand others and chemical design. stan, North Viet-Nam, and others; and

Whereas these submerged nations look to the United States, as the ritadel of human freedom, for leadership in bringing about their liberation and independence and in restoring to them the enjoyment of their Christian, Jewish, Moslem, Buddhist, or other religious freedoms, and of their individual liberties; and Whereas it is vital to the national security of the United States that

the desire for liberty and independence on the part of the peoples of these conquered nations should be steadfastly kept alive; and

Whereas the desire for liberty and independence by the overwhelming majority of the people of these submerged nations constitutes a powerful deterrent to war and one of the test hopes for a just and lusting peace; and .

Whereas it is fitting that we clearly manifest to such peoples through an appropriate and official means the historic fact that the people of the United States share with them their aspirations for the recovery of their freedom and independence: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senute and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation des-ignating the third week in July 1959 as "Captive Nations Week" and

Captive Nations

Pub. Law 86-90 73 Stat. 212.

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July 17, 1959

inviting the people of the United States to observe such week with appropriate ceremonies and activities. The President is further authorized and requested to issue a similar proclamation each year until such time as freedom and independence shall have been achieved for all the captive nations of the world.

Approved July 17, 1959.

WRIGHT PATMAN, TEX., CHAIRMAN RICHARD BOLLING, MO., MALE BOGGS, LA., MENRY B. REUSS, WIB., MARTHA W. GRIPTITHS, MICH., THOMAS B. CURTIS, MO., WILLIAM B. WIDMALL, M.J., ROBERT F. ELLSWORTH, KAMS.

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June 16, 1966

Mr. Mike N. Manatos
Administrative Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Manatos:

On May 17 when President Johnson spoke at McCormack Place in Chicago, the White House photographer took a number of photographs of the President while he was speaking.

I would appreciate it a great deal if I could be provided with copies of any photos taken that night that show me with the President.

With best wishes,

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Paul H. Douglas

AMA1 MEB MARIE PLA June 16, 1966

Dear Senator Douglas:

Thank you very much for your letter regarding the wheat milling process of Dan Brown.

What little I have been able to read and hear about the nutritious benefits of the process leads me to believe that it is very salutary. Having your expression on the matter is extremely helpful and I am grateful to you for writing.

Kindest personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Jake Jacobsen
Legislative Counsel
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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June 17, 1966

Dear Senator Douglas:

Many thanks for your letter of June 10 reminding us of the importance of "Captive Nations Week".

The customary staff work is under way with the State Department drafting the resolution and we expect to receive it here within the next several days.

As you indicated in your letter, the President shares with the many Americans who trace their roots to Eastern Europe and to Cuba the prayer that the people of the Captive Nations will one day know a rebirth of freedom.

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Califano, Jr. Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Sepate Washington, D./C.

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

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Friday, June 18, 1965 -- 2:30 p.m.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Everett

As you know, Senator Dirksen wants to be able to name a District or Circuit Court Judge in Illinois. You said you would talk to Senator Douglas about this.

Do you want me to bring Douglas in or will you call him?

Bring Douglas in to see me

I will call Douglas

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Jack Valenti

June 20, 1966

Dear Senator:

Harry McPherson sent your letter to me in which you request an appointment with the President for a delegation of the Illinois Future Farmers of America on the 28th.

I certainly appreciate your interest in bringing this to our attention, and only wish the President's schedule were such that we could arrange this meeting. However, he is heavily committed for all of next week, and will be impossible for us to arrange for this appointment.

Please convey our best wishes to the delegation for an enjoyable visit in Washington.

Sincerely.

Marvin

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

The Honorable Paul Douglas United States Senate

WMW:JRJ:jac

Washington, D. C.

June 27, 1966

SP/FG430/Douglas Paul H.

Dear Mr. Shuman:

I sincerely appreciate your sending the copy of the speech Senator Douglas made in Illinois last Friday. I gave it to the President and he was quite impressed.

Sincerely,

Bill Meyers Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Howard E. Shuman Administrative Assistant to Senator Paul H. Douglas 109 Old Senate Office Building Washington, D. C.

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FILE MEMO:

See: C.F. FO 2, for corresp., 7/1/66 re Paul DOUGLAS, Jr., Lawrence FANNING, ALBERT W. SHERER, Richard CUDAHY, John Hope FRANKLIN, Frederick IRVING, Garland R. FARMER, Robert NEUMANN, Stuart W. ROCKWELL, J. Robert FLUKER, Carol LAISE, Katherine BRACKEN, Francis J. GALBRAITH, Alfred L. JENKINS, Robert R. BOWIE, Frederick L. ANDERSON, Robinson McILVAINE, Claude G. ROSS, Henry C. RAMSEY, Jean ALLARD, Reynold E. CALSON, Earl WARREN, JR., Stanley M. CLEVELAND, Abraham M. ROSENTHAL, John T. CALDWELL, John M. McSWEENEY, Malcolm TOON, Chare H. TIMBERLAKE, James A. MICHENER, and C. Girard DAVIDSON.

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July 1, 1966

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MEMORANDUM FOR CLIFF CARTER

Could you handle this one for us, please.

Marvin Watson

Ltr to the Pres dtd 6/27/66 fm Tod Satterthwaite, Satterthwaite for Congress Headquarters, 101 E. Florida Ave., Urbana, Ill., 61801 asking the President if he could make an appearance in Urbana on behalf of his father, Cameron B. Satterthwaite and Senator Douglas, and on Tod's 12th birthday, Sept. 25.

Paul

WMW:mhr

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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C.

July 5, 1966

Dear Mike:

I very much appreciate your letting me know about the Cummings, Walter & ...

With all best wishes.

Faithfully yours,

Marria

Paul H. > Douglas

Mr. Mike N. Manatos
Administrative Assistant to
the President
The White House Office
Washington, D. C.

Dictated from Southern Illinois

United States

July 5, 1966

TO:

Jim Moyers

FROM: Harry McPherson

JUL 5 1966

PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE OFFICE

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Attachments

Dear Mr. MacPherson:

I enclose a letter from the Executive Director of the International Toastmistress Clubs, requesting a message from the President for their annual convention which will be held in Chicago later this month.

I would be grateful if you would let me know whether or not it will be possible to send such a message.

With thanks and best wishes,

Faithfully yours,

Paul H. Douglas

PHD:pt

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July 12, 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR CLIFF CARTER:

Senator Douglas called and reported that in his opinion, we should help this Congressman.

Would you please give your recommendations?

MARVIN WATSON

WMW:MJC:cfc sent cy of memo frm Sherwin Markman re Congressman Gale Schisler, dated July 12 and the C'man's voting record

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

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3:00 p.m., Friday July 15, 1966

FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM

Joe Califano Richard The situation in Chicago continues to deteriorate. Senator Douglas has been in touch with Mayor Daley and Senator Douglas just called me and asked that we put together a package to speed up Féderal grants in public housing and on-the-job training programs that are now pending in the Departments. In addition, he asked if there were any assistance we could make with respect to getting projects, such as recreation areas and swimming facilities, started rapidly.

I told him I would see what we were doing and get back to him. He said he would not call Mayor Daley back until I called him.

Harry McPherson tells me Nick Katzenbach is sending Roger Wilkins and some others out to Chicago and they are due to arrive there in about half hour. Nick wants me to call Mayor Daley and let him know Roger is arriving before he gets there.

Before I call Daley or do anything on the Douglas proposal, I wanted to make sure you were in agreement. I think we should do everything we can in the nature of Federal programs to avoid being accused of not doing all we can. At the same time I think we should stay out of the situation in terms of sending a Presidential representative, or your involvement in it. But Daley is very discrete, and we face none of the problems we faced with Yorty and Brown in Los Angeles.

If you approve, I would like to tell Daley that we will do all we can to help him with Federal programs, consistent, of course, with entitlement under existing laws and regulations and in a manner that does not put a premium on riots. Harry concurs.

Approve	Disapprove	

EXECUTIVE II. S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT Office of the Secretary F6110-14

> July 19 DATE

Mr. Jim Jones

Jim:

As we discussed on the phone this morning, I am attaching a copy of the letter received by Mr. Arnold Rauen, State Director of our Savings Bonds Division in Illinois, from Mr. Douglas Anderson, who represents Senator Douglas in Illinois.

I have instructed our people to have Mr. Rauen answer Senator Douglas (as to Mr. Cormack's qualifications and I will keep you posted on any additional developments.

You may wish to call Senator Douglas next week and see if he has decided to go forward on Mr. Cormack's appointment.

It griden Robert J.

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Wayne G. Weachman

Room 3418

Ext. 2851

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DOUGLAS B ANDERSON ILLINOIS REPRESENTATIVE FOR SINATUR DOUGLAS 1860 NEW U.S. COURTHOUSE 219 SOUTH DEANE HN STHEET CHICAGO, 11. INCAL 60604 TALEPHONE 828-5423

July 12, 1966

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Senator Dauglas' . out above.

yours,

Douglas B. Anderson

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July 20, 1966

Dear Birch:

For the President, may I acknowledge your letter of July 18 enclosing your letter to Senator John McClellan in which you submit for the Consideration of the Committee on Government Operations a proposal that the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation be located by law in the Department of Transportation.

Your letter and enclosure are receiving attention, and we hope to have a reply for you in the near future.

Sincerely.

Mike Manatos Administrative Assistant to the President

Honorable Birch Bayh United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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July 23, 1966

Memorandum for Jim Moyers

Re: World Teen Age Show

I do not want to attempt to override your decision, however I forward the attached in that it seems to give more value to the other request.

I am told that Senator Douglas and Mayor ★Daley will participate.

Marvin Watson

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JUL 25 1966

PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE OFFICE July 26, 1966

Dear Senator:

Thank you for your telegram of July 25 to the President. I know he will greatly appreciate it and it has been sent to his desk.

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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Dear Senator:

Thank you for your telegram of July 25 to the President. I know he will greatly appreciate it and it has been sent to his desk.

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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July 28, 1966 Thursday - 5:15 p.m.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

Mike Manatos

The vote on Unemployment Compensation is most interesting - your conversation with Clint Anderson having the precise effect.

The 9th vote which carried federal standards came from Judyne Fulbright. It went as follows: Long, Anderson, Douglas, Gore, McCarthy, Hartke, Fulbright, Ribicoff and Metcalf, Lee

Even more interesting was the 13 to 4 vote to report the bill. We got all the Democrats plus Morton and Dirksen.

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Paul Douglas

THANK YOUs from:

- 22. T.C. Frost for visit last Sat.
- 23. William E. Dauer for visit w/ Magnin group of Californians
- 24. Cong John E Moss for auto photo
- 25. Elva O'Brica for wire and flowers at her father's funcral
- 26. Harold Montesiore of London well wishers of Britishers
- 27. Mary B Anderson for remembering son, Rudolf, in Memorial Day speech
- 28. James McCrocklin for visit to White House
- 29. Raul Mendiolea for auto photo
- 30. Bernie Boutin for photographs
- 31. Cong Rodino for birthday greetings
- 32. Cong Donohue for flowers
- 23. Sen Douglas for comments to Abe Feinberg
- 34. Sen Manssield for kindnesses during his hospitalization
- 35. Sen Yarborough for birthday ltr
- 36. Thank you ir Mrs. Christine Stephenson for auto photo
- 37. Joseph Allen for hospitality to California group
- 38. Cyril Herrmann for photo of visit on May 3
- 39. Alice Fordyce for auto photo sent to her son, James

August 1, 1966

Dear Mr. Shanahan:

Thank you for your letter concerning the possibility of the President greeting the members of the American Political Science Association's Congressional Fellowshipw group. Although I am sure the President would appreciate and enjoy this opportunity, he has an extremely heavy schedule for the next couple of menths and has requested that we make no additions to it.

Sincerely,

Bill Moyers
Special Assistant
to the President

Mr. Edward K. Shanahan c/oHonorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 8, 1966

To:

Mr. Hayes Redmon

From:

Clifford L. Alexander, Jr.

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Attached is the resume of Charles Lomax, He is a candidate for Federal Tax Court. (There have been no Negroes on this Court.)

Baul Senator Douglas is a strong supporter of Lomax's. This appointment has been dragging a long time.

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Dear Senator Douglas: , Paul H.

The President very much appreciates your letter of July 18, 1966 evidencing your interest and support of a Department of Transportation and of the relationship of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation to the Department.

As you will recall, the Transportation Message issued to the Congress on March 2, 1966 indicated that the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation would become part of the Department of Transportation. Subsequently, Administration witnesses in their testimony before the Government Operations Committees of both Houses specified that all operating agencies in the Department would report directly to the Secretary. The St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation is, of course, such an operating agency. Moreover, Director Schultze of the Bureau of the Budget stated to the Senate Government Operations Committee that the Administration would have no objection to including the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation within the Department of Transportation by statute.

We fully concur and express no objection to a statutory transfer even though the same result can be accomplished by Executive Order.

On one other point, I should like to assure you that there has been no downgrading of the St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation by this Administration. Department Order 185, to which you refer, assigns responsibility for directing the activities of the Corporation to the Under Secretary of Commerce for Transportation. He is the principal officer in the executive branch of the government dealing with transportation

policy and with those programs which the Department of Commerce has responsibility; for example, both the Maritime Administration and the Bureau of Public Roads report directly to this official. The programs of these two agencies are also of tremendous importance to the welfare of the United States.

With warm personal regards,

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Califano, Jr. Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D.C.

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Dear Senator:

For the President, may I acknowledge your letter of July 18 enclosing your letter to Senator John McClellan in which you submit for the consideration of the Committee on Government Operations a proposal that the St. Lawrence Sesway Elevelopment Corporation be located by law in the Department of Transportation.

Your letter and enclosure are receiving attention, and we hope to have a reply for you in the near future.

Sincerely yours,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

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PRESIDENT JAMES V KRAKORA SECRETARY.

August 8, 1966

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Dear Senator:

Your letter of August 5 to the President has been received and sent to his desk. I know that he will appreciate your thoughtfulness very much.

Sincerely,

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Mike Manatos Administrative Assistant to the President

Honorable Paul H. Desglas United States Senate Washington, D. G.

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Dear Senator:

SPECIAL MARKET

The President has asked me to send you the enclosed photographs taken on July 23 when he signed the bill establishing the George Rogers Clark National Historical Park and when he visited your State.

With the President's best wishes,

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

Enclosure: Blk & white photos Neg. Nos. 23 Ty 66 A-2843-29 and

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Dear Senator:

As requested in your letter of July 28, I am enclosing a number of photographs taken during the President's July 23rd trip.

Please let me know if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely.

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. August 23, 1966 PE18-20 PL TR BE 5-20 PL 13732

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MEMORANDUM FOR BILL MOYERS

members want.

In response to your request that the President wants three questions and answers on today's press conference, here is what I have been thinking about:

- A. The big political story is the Kennedy poll; the success of O'Connor in New York; the closeness of the Douglas-Percy race; and the lead of Reagan, plus the President's drop in the Gallup Polls.

 Smart Reporters will ask questions in this area in various ways.
 - My suggestion re Kennedy: The President does follow polls because they indicate transient public opinion but as he has said before, they do not offer absolute judgments. The President has no comment on Johnson versus Kennedy, etc. but that he considers him able, alert, and an important national figure and that the President has worked closely with him when he was Vice President and President and when he was Attorney General, ##dd/that the President always likes to receive his ideas and suggestions, but that the President has the overall responsibility of Chief Executive. In New York the President has not played a part in any primary, and if O'Connor is nominated the Democratic Party, the President will help him in any way that O'Connor desires. The President is sorry that the Liberal Party indicates that it does not propose to support O'Connor but that he respects the leaders of the Liberal Party and certainly they have a right to support whomever their

In Illinois and California, that the President is very hopeful that Senator Douglas, a really great Senator, will win and that the President has visited Chicago once and will go to Illinois again if Senator Douglas, Governor Kerner and Mayor Daley desire. I think

Poul H.

Nothing else sent to garage

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August 22, 1966

Dear Senator:

For the President, may I acknowledge the letter of August 19 in which you and other Members of Congress from the St. Lawrence Seaway region joined in recommending that the present Seaway tolls be unchanged, pending action on legislation on Seaway financing now before the House and Senate.

The contents of your letter which arrived while the President was away from Washington were conveyed to him immediately. Please be assured that the views expressed by you and your colleagues are receiving most careful consideration.

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

August 24, 1966 6:35 p.m.

Mr. Presidentiy.

Senator Douglas called and stated he hopes that the announcement of the selection site of the new Atomic Energy Commission installation will be made seon. Of course he emphasized many reasons why this site should be Illinois.

Marvin

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August the 25th. 1966.

Bogotá, D.E. Colombia.

Mr. Lyndon B. Johnson.

President of the U.S.

The White House.

The white House. washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

My name is Paul H. Douglas, born here in Colombia (Barranquilla) I am 15 years old; I study at binston Churchill Highschool here in Bogotá (nineth grade).

Through this letter I want to ask you some questions that we were discussing in class.

First, Why hasn't the United States tried to abolish definquency in the important cities like New York, Chicago, Detroit, etc. I know by reading the newspapers of the trouble the States is having at this time, I thought that the problem between the dark and white race was fixed a little; knowing that it is difficult to abolish it, but how can the government find a way to do it? In class today we were discussing the matter and that the delinquency is not at all good for young people specially teenagers. Here in this country exists what is called homosexuslism, specially in the boarding-schools in town, that is to say not all over but not in all of them. Frankly I am tired of it and hope to finish schooling in the states. what do you think can be the resolution for this matter? I was in the states for vacations in june and noticed that most of the teenagers didn't pay much attention to this matter like here in Bogota.

1 will be very pleased with your answer bir!

Sincerely Yours,

raul H. Douglas.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

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August 27, 1966

Dear Senator:

Mrs. Johnson asked me to tell you how very much she appreciates your thoughtfulness in urging her acceptance of the invitation extended by the Conference of Club Presidents and Program Chairmen.

Your encouragement has made her want to accept all the more. Although this is the type of event she would take special pleasure in attending; regrettably, her schedule will not permit her that pleasure. However, we have offered to try to assist them in obtaining a member of Mrs. Johnson's Beautification Speaker's Bureau to address their meeting. A copy of our reply is enclosed.

With gratitude for your special invitation, Mrs. Johnson sends her best wishes.

Sincerely,

Bess Abell Social Secretary

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

Enclosure

cc-Mike Manatos

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Dear Senator Douglas:

The President thought you might like to have the enclosed pen which he used in signing S. 2663, which you sponsored and which provides for the relief of Dinesh Kumar Poddar and Girish Kumar Poddar.

It comes with his appreciation for your interest in this matter along with his best wishes.

Sincerely,

W. Margin Watson Special Assistant to the President

The Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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Dear Senator Douglas:

Your letter of August 25, 1966, to the Office of Legislative Lisison, The White House, enclosing a copy of a letter you received from Mrs. Jeannette B. Toren, 7612 West Belmont Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, has been referred to me.

Mrs. Toren's letter concerns alleged mistreatment and here assment of her husband, Mr. Robert W. Toren, an employee of our Chicago office.

Mrs. Toren also directed a copy of her letter to Commissioner Cohen and as a result an inquiry has already been initiated to look into her complaints.

We appreciate the opportunity to look into this matter end will inform you of the results as soon as our inquiries ere completed.

With kind regards,

Sincerely,

(Signed) Albert W. Brisbin

Acting Commissioner

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C. 20510

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FG1/-8-1/ Watson,
W. Marvin

September 3, 1966

Dear Senator:

I'm glad you called and will remember the subject of our conversation.

Thank you for writing.

Best personal regards,

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Senator Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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United States Senate

MEMORANDUM

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I thought that you might like to see a copy of the foreign policy speech I am making in Sterling, Ill. on Wednesday.

Paul H. Douglas

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

September 6, 1966

To:

Walt Rostow

From:

Mike Manatos

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

September 9, 1966 4:30 p.m.

Mr. President:

Paul H.

Congressman Wright Patman called today and said that he had released a statement in support of your message to Congress yesterday as Chairman of the Banking and Currency Committee. He wanted to release a statement for the Joint Economic Committee but Senator Douglas had asked that it be released in his name. Mr. Patman is preparing the statement and Senator Douglas will release it.

Marvin

September 13, 1966

Dear Senator:

The President would like to invite one member of your staff to attend the welcoming ceremonies at the White House of His Excellency Ferdinand E. Marcos, President of the Republic of the Philippines.

Please have your staff member present the enclosed ticket at the Southwest Gate by 11:15 a.m., Wednesday, September 14, 1966.

I regret that there are no parking facilities available.

Sincerely.

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D.C.

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September 27, 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR JOE CALIFANO:

This is to confirm your meeting with Senators Paul Douglas, Stephen Young, Frank Lausche, William Proximire, Gaylord Nelson, Fritz Mondale, Eugene McCarthy and Philip Hart, to discuss the proposed 10% toll increase on the St. Lawrence Seaway.

Senator Paul Douglas has requested this meeting. The President will meet with them at 6:00 after your meeting.

Senator Mondale called Marvin Watson today and said he understands that the Commerce Department is willing to delay this toll increase for a year and Mondale believes it would be very helpful especially to Douglas if the President could announce this when he meets with the Senators at 6:00 p.m.

When I talked to Alan Boyd about this, he said that this was not true although there may be a postponement until after November.

Will you prepare the necessary /briefing papers for the President.

James R. Jones

JRJ:djb

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September 28, 1966

Honorable Paul H. Douglas

United States Senate

Washington, D. C.

Dear Senator Douglas

Attached is a copy of the speech I delivered in Chicago.

I was deeply honored by your presence at the award ceremony and I appreciate your taking the time to stop by at the dinner.

With warm personal regards,

Sincerely,

Joseph A. Califano, Jr.
Special Assistant to the President

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THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR FG145

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September 29, 1966

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MEMORANDUM FOR JOSEPH CALIFANO

From: Charles F. Luce, Under Secretary

Enclosed is the question-answer material you requested for

possible briefing use on the Indiana Dunes matter. If you

need additional material, we will provide it.

* Douglas, Paul N.

Charles F. Luce Under Secretary

Charles F. Luce

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THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY WASHINGTON

SEP 30 1968.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

Meeting with Some Members of the Subject: Senate Finance Committee

George A. I recommend that in connection with the tax bill suspending the investment credit and accelerated depreciation you meet with Chairman Long and Senators Smathers, Anderson and Douglas on Monday evening or Tuesday morning of next week to discuss the handling of that bill in the Senate. I also recommend that you use this occasion to discuss certain aspects of the Senate Finance Committee's action on the Foreign Investor's Tax bill now pending in that Committee. I suggest the following principal topics to be touched upon:

Tax Suspension Bill

It should be emphasized that there be no industry or other special exception made to the suspension of the investment credit

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

> September 30, 1966 6:16 p.m.

Mr. President:

Do you agree to meet with Chairman Russell Long and Senators Smathers, Anderson and Douglas on Monday or Tuesday of next week as suggested by Secretary Fowler?

Yes No_

that there should be no general use bill (the House has a general t for everybody designed to aid ment industry and what amounts nti-pollution devices installed and local standards). Also, the t to maintain the House bill as ze to any significant degree the ng binding contracts and construc-(The House bill has already -ne pollution exception, and the ts -- added about \$12 billion to over the Administration bill.) here and there there can be some Ill, the main lines of that bill

all Dimerry, and is highly important as part pents program. While the Senate of technical amendments to the

Dear Mr. Morris:

The President has asked me to thank you for your recent letter in which you recommend Senator Paul H. Douglas for appointment as Ambassador to the Organization of American States in the event of a vacancy.

Your interest is appreciated, and I can assure you that your recommendation will be carefully considered.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

14 MBC 11/25/66.

Matthew B. Coffey Assistant

Mr. Marcello G. Morris 5001 West Sunnyside Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60630

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Marcello Guajardo Morris

5001 West Sunnyside Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60630 Telephone: 283-4904

Presidential Member of the National Federation of Charros of the Republic of Mexico

November 10, 1966

President of the Mexician Charro Association of Chicago

Member of the Board of Directors of the World Teenage Show

President of the Young Adults

Committeeman of the American Ethnic Division

Advisor to the Mexican American Council

Commander Honor Guard to the Consul General of Mexico

Honor Member of the Taurino Club of Chicago

President, Lyndon B. Johnson The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President,

Today, a giant of a man has fallen; victim of his own good deeds. The State of Illinois and the country, as a whole, should bow their heads in shame for allowing a man of such gigantic dimensions as Senator Paul H. Douglas to leave the political scene, at a time when this country needs of men with experience and knowledge that he holds.

Let us hope that this is a victory in disguise; for often in the history of mankind, destiny prepares a man through apparent ingratitude for much greater things.

The champion of the ethnic people of this hemisphere, Senator Paul H. Douglas, a living embodiment of our code of ethics; known as a symbol of Democracy and a true citizen of the world.

I sincerely hope, Mr. Presidnet, that you, with your infinite wisdom, will see fit to place Senator Douglas as Ambassador to the OAS. It is my humble opinion, as a citizen, that the future Viet Nam of this world secretly brews in Latin America. And that the Ugly American concept can be destroyed with the benign image of this great American.

A stitch in time saves nine.

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November 23, 1966

Dear Howard:

Give me a call when you get back to Washington and we can discuss your future plans.

As I am writing the Senator, his defeat for me was the most bitter outcome of the Elections.

Best regards,

(Signod) \Nov3

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Mr. Howard E. Shuman
Administrative Assistant to
Senator Paul H. Douglas
Congress of the United States
Washington, D. C.

October 12, 1966

Dear Senator Douglas:

The President thought you might be interested in a text of remarks prepared for his recent appearance in Newark, New Jersey, in the event you had not seen them.

The remarks are attached.

Sincerely,

Robert E. Kintner
Secretary to the Cabinet
and Special Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

Attachment

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October 13, 1966

Dear Senator:

In response to your letter of October II, I have written the attached letter to your grandson, Peter Douglas, and have sent him the following meterial:

Economic Report of the President Transmitted to the Congress January 1966
State of the Union Message - January 12, 1966
Foreign Aid Message - February 1, 1966
Manpower Report of the President - March 8, 1966
Cabinet Reports on Economic Matters August 11, 1966
Message on Fiscal Policy and Stable Economic Growth - September 8, 1966.

It was a pleasure to be of assistance to you and to Peter.

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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October 13, 1966

Dear Peter:

At the request of your grandfather, I am sending you material regarding the position of the Administration on foreign and demostic affairs.

I would like to refer you also to the Budget of the United States Government for 1967 which you may find in your library. I am sorry that we do not have a copy available to send you, but it can be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C., for \$1.50. This volume includes the President's Budget Message.

With the hope that you will find this information adequate for your purposes, and with every good wish for a successful term,

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Mr. Peter Douglas Decried Academy Decried, Massachusetts

cc: Hon. Paul H. Douglas

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October 13, 1966

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Mr. Mike N. Manatos Administrative Assistant to The President The White House Office Washington, D. C.

Dear Mike:

Senator Douglas has been attempting to win approval this Session for a P.L. 566 small Watershed project which will be located in Schuyler County, Illinois. The name of the project is "Coal and Crane Creek Watershed." The papers have received all necessary clearance and are now in the hands of Mr. Fitzhugh Thomas at the Bureau of the Budget. All that remains to be done is for Thomas to send the papers to the House and Senate Public Works Committees for their approval. Normally, the Budget Bureau accumulates these requests for approval until they have a package of six or ten and then sends them to the Hill. In this case the Bureau has only one—the one we are interested in. We would like to have it sent up immediately and we are sure the Bureau would accommodate us if they had the word from you.

With best wishes,

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Kenneth E. Gray

Special Assistant to

Senator Paul H. Douglas

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October 13, 1966

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Dear Mr. Tyler:

Thank you very much for your letter recommending that the President visit Illinois on behalf of Senator Douglas, Saul

Because of other commitments, especially the President's Asian trip which begins Monday, there are presently no plans to visit in Illinois. However, we will keep your letter on file and appreciate very much your suggestions.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson
Special Assistant to the President

Mr. R. Stanley Tyler 1710 Tenth Street Charleston, Illinois WMW:MXXJRJ:cfc 10 B

October 13, 1966 11:50 a.m., Thursday 5P3-157

MR. PRESIDENT:

In accordance with your request Tuesday night, the text of your Newark, New Jersey speech was sent to the following:

Senator Sparkman John Senator Metcalf, Senator McIntyre Jones J. Ralph Harding Endicot Pabody G. Mennen Williams Frank Morrison Congressman Robert Duncan Governor Frank Clement Waggoner Carr Congressman Tene Roncalio

Robert E. Kintner

October 15, 1966

Dear Paul:

I received your two wires, and I am grateful for both of them--as I am for you and for your friendship.

I told Dick Daley yesterday that we wanted to help every way we can--and we will.

Lady Bird and I send all our best to you and to Emily.

Sincerely,

The Honorable
Paul Douglas
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WE COULDN'T HAVE PASSED THE BILL WITHOUT YOUR HELP. THE PEOPLE OF THE NATION WILL RISE UP AND CALL YOU BLESSED PAUL H DOUGLAS U.S.S.

October 18, 1966

Dear Senator:

I appreciated very much your telegram of October 14 regarding the Indiana Dunes bill. Please accept my heartiest congratulations on the successful outcome of your strenuous efforts for the last thirteen years to preserve the Indiana Dunes.

Sincerely,

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Mike Manatos Administrative Assistant to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas

United States Senate

Washington, D. C.

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DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90024

October 21, 1966

Mr. Joseph A. Califano, Jr. Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington

Dear Mr. Califano:

Thank you for your kind note of October 10 concerning my proposal for a tax surcharge. You may be interested in the two letters from Senator Douglas on this subject.

Also enclosed is a personal letter

from Governor Brown . Comund

Sincerely yours,

Harold M. Somers

Professor of Economics

FILE MEMO:

See: C.F. TR 100, for corresp., 10/23/66 re Paul DOUGLAS.

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November 1, 1966

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Mr. Mike N. Manatos Administrative Assistant to The President The White House Office Washington, D. C.

Dear Mike:

Another request via the Douglas campaign office, on which it may very well be too late.

Senator Douglas introduced the enclosed bill, S. 3474, to authorize the Lincoln Homestead National Recreation area. His supporters in the area now feel it would be helpful to the Senator if they could mention in an already arranged for newspaper advertisement a favorable opinion with respect to this bill on the part of the Department of the Interior. As you can see from the enclosed clipping, others are getting into the act.

It is my understanding that Interior has not done much on this and that the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation has been holding it for study in connection with other Lincoln proposals in Southern Indiana and Southern Illinois.

No doubt, it is impossible to get a favorable official report in 24 hours, but if it would be possible to secure a letter expressing the favorable interest of the Department in Senator Douglas' bill, it would be helpful.

Anything you can do would be appreciated. But of course we realize that it is rather late.

With best wishes,

Singerely yours,

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Kenneth E. Gray

Special Assistant to

Senator Paul H. Douglas

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November 3, 1966

Dear Harold:

When I returned to the office this morning your letter was on my desk. The entire program looks very interesting and I am sure it will be beneficial.

My schedule will not allow a meeting such as you request, however I appreciate your making this information available. Perhaps other details which you have in mind could also be presented by letter. If so, I will be glad to receive them.

Thank you for writing.

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Mr. Harold D. Caldwell 120 South LaSalle Street Chicago, Illinois 60603

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Dear Paul:

Attached is a copy of a report on the Manila Conference which I sent to the Speaker, Senate Majority Leader, and the House and Senate Minority Leaders. I thought you might want a copy.

The Manila Conference, I am firmly convinced, was a great success.

I also want to take this opportunity to express my personal appreciation and the gratitude of our Nation for the contribution you made to the 89th Congress, the Great Congress.

My prayers and best wishes for your continued success in the days ahead.

Sincerely,

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D.C.

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November 4, 1966

Dear Senator and Mrs. Douglas:

Because you joined him as invited guests on a flight aboard Air Force One, the President wanted you to have the enclosed flight certificates as a reminder of that event.

The knowledge of your friendship is a warm and sustaining part of the lives of each of us.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Honorable and Mrs.
Paul Douglas
United States Senate
Washington, D. C.

Enclosures WMW:RKH:cc

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Dear Senator Douglas:

Because you joined him as an invited guest on a recent Presidential flight, the President wanted you to have the enclosed Flight Certificate as a reminder of that event.

The knowledge of your friendship is a warm and sustaining part of the lives of each of us.

Best regards,

Sincerely,

W. Marvin Watson Special Assistant to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D.C.

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November 10, 1966

Dear Paul:

You will continue to be a tower of strength to me and to the legion of Americans who did not have an opportunity to show you their support and loyalty in a voting booth.

Many thanks for your telegram of November 6. I am deeply grateful for your encouraging words.

Sincerely,

The Honorable
Paul Douglas
The Windermere Hotel

1642 East 56th Street Chicago, Illinois

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THE PRESIDENT

THE WHITE HOUSE

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Memorandum for The President

I worked in the New England campaign but I knew much about the Paul Douglas campaign.

Herewith a concrete suggestion to offset criticism you will hear among the lousy liberals many of whom walked out on Douglas because of Vietnam that you did not go to Douglas's rescue when Bobby Kennedy tried.

Offer Douglas (and the earlier the better) with complete

justification in view of his technical competence as an economist and as a member of the Banking and Currency Committee:

- (a) an <u>ultimate</u> place on the Federal Reserve
- (b) an <u>immediate</u> place on your Council of

 Economic Advisers with the promise of the next place on
 the Federal Reserve Board.

Since it is known the overwhelming money against Douglas came from bankers afraid that he might ultimately succeed to the chairmanship of either the Banking and Currency Committee or the Finance Committee, this would be doubly satisfying to the labor and other Douglas supporters.

Dear Mr. Gleason:

I have been asked to acknowledge your recent letter to Mr. Bill Moyers in behalf of Senator Paul Douglas.

As you may now know, the President has announced his intention to nominate Mr. William B. Camp as Comptroller of the Currency.

We do appreciate your interest in writing.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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Matthew B. Coffey Assistant

Mr. John W. Gleason Grand Beach Michigan 49118

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This may be the time to remind President Johnson of his comment to Sen. Paul Douglas (D-III.) at a White House reception some time ago: "If you ever are available, I'd like you to be the comptroller general. You're the ideal choice for the office." (The U.S. comptroller general is overseer of all government spending.) . . The American Football League is

checking signals on one of its star quarterbacks. The charge: point shaving. . . . Minor K. Wilson, apparently (but still not definitely) defeated for sheriff by Republican Joe Woods, can have his old post as top aide to Police Supt. O. W. Wilson for the asking. Minor resigned from the department to make the political race. He did not, as reported, take a leave of absence.

A FEW WEEKS AGO, BOB CAHILL, Notre Dame ticket manager, invited his former Dixon (III.) classmate, Ronald Reagan, to be his guest at the Notre Dame-Southern Cal football game. I are Angeles on Nov. 26. Reagan now has declined

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11-11-66 President Johnson What House Washington, D.C. Dear Mr. President, you med a very strong courageous incorrefabile Character- as Comparoller a long time civil servair, with no proven outstanding Leadership qualities - in a Position of public power + Just is not the man for such a job no matter how long Turne loyal + faithful his service has been. The man you recently appointed just wonot the

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Sincerely Yours
Grand Beach
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Dear Mrs. Binfield:

The President has asked me to thank you for your recent letter in which you recommend Senator Paul Douglas for Federal appointment with high responsibilities.

Your interest is appreciated, and I can assure you that your recommendation will be carefully considered.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

M BC 1/18/66
Matthew B. Coffey

Assistant

Mrs. Richard A. Binfield 555 North Grant Street Hinsdale, Illinois 60521

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Hinsdale, Illinois

November 8, 1966

Dear Mr. President:

The people of Illinois have given you our heloned senator Llouglas to use for the good of all the people of the United States in whatever capacity you see fit to use him. We feel his stature is great enough to represent us as amhassador to the Unite Protion or to some other country where an informed fair man is needed or where he con advise directly to government policy. We were faced with a decision between a vibront, sincere, Capable, honest young mon who might not hun again of defeated and who we felt we needed to use and develope and a notionally known figure who we felt could rise beyond our state to serve all people. The next more is up to you. Gine Houghos the position which will honor him and will tell him that

his state wonted him to rise to this new Position so they set him free -I am one of mony who roted for you, who have roted for Slonglas in the gast and who roted for Percy this time for senator hecause I didn't have foreight to note him in as Lovenor of Illinois when he ron for that office. We know he too will represent no well. With great sincerety Reason Billion Keggy Birfield (mrs. Richarda Binfield,

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Dear Mr. Totsch:

The President has asked me to thank you for your recent letter in which you recommend Senator Paul Douglas for Federal appointment with high responsibilities.

Your interest is appreciated, and I can assure
you that your recommendation will be carefully
considered.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Matthew B. Coffey

Assistant

Mr. Marvin D. Totsch 5747 Northwest Circle Chicago, Illinois 60631

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November 10, 1966

Me

President of the United States Lyndon B. Johnson White House 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

As you know, Senator Douglas suffered a rather severe defeat at the hands of my fellow Illinoisans in the recent election.

Is it possible that you can find an opening in the vast Federal Government staff for Mr. Douglas that would enable your administration and the entire country to continue to benefit from the efforts of this great statesman?

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Mr. Marvin D. Totsch 5747 Northwest Circle Chicago, Illinois 60631 Nov 14 10 30 AM '66
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November 17, 1966

Dear Senator:

May I acknowledge your letter of November 14 to the President. I know he will appreciate it very much, and I am sending it out to the hospital.

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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Dear Mrs. Sarelas:

The President has asked me to thank you for your recent letter in which you recommend Senator Paul Douglas for appointment as United States Representative to the United Nations in the event a vacancy occurs.

Your interest is appreciated, and I can assure you that your recommendation will be carefully considered.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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Matthew B. Coffey

Assistant

Mrs. Peter Sarelas 7000 South Shore Drive Chicago, Illinois 60649

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Mrs. Peter S. Sarelas

Dear me Prendent Cox Wich many others I deplore the defeat of Senato Paul Drylas in Illinois and regret the lack of support he ensountered. as Dr Kemeth Galdrath had stated, Senator Douglas es a rational asset." When enother ambassedom to the United hatime must be appointed. I urge that Lenator

Douglas de considered.

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November 17, 1966

Dear Mr. Colvin:

The President has asked me to thank you for your recent letter in which you recommend Senator Paul Douglas for appointment to the Supreme Court of the United States upon the next vacancy.

Your interest is appreciated, and I can assure you that your recommendation will be carefully considered along with those already received.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MBC 11/18/66
Matthew B. Coffey

Assistant

Mr. Woolf Colvin 2707 Quentin Road Brooklyn, New York 11229

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2707 Quenting Road, Brooklyn, N. Y. 11229, november 8,1966

The President, Washington, D.C.

problems.

Dear Mr President Johnson:

In view of the news from Illinois of the defeat of Senator Douglas, 9 feel that you will honor the Supreme Court of the United States it you considered Senator Douglas as your nominee. be is a man of good heart and good judgment. He is a specialist in economics in an age that is beset with international and domestic economic

al the same time, he has been in the forefront of the cause of human welfare in education, security, and anti-poverty together with a concern for hidden costs of interest and getting one's money's worth.

Please honor your administration by considering Senator Douglas as Court seneinely yours
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FILE MEMO:

See: C.F. FG 170/N*, for corresp., 11/19/66 re Paul DOUGLAS and *NATIONAL COMMISSION ON CODES.

Dear Miss Kubicek:

For the President, may I acknowledge your recent letter in which you recommend Senator Paul H. Douglas for appointment as United States Representative of the United Nations in the event of a vacancy.

Your interest is appreciated, and I can assure you that your recommendation will be carefully considered.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MBC 1/22/66
Matthew B. Coffey

Assistant

Miss Lillian K. Kubicek 1500 North Dayton Street Chicago, Illinois 60622

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LILLIAN K. KUBICEK

ATTORNEY AT LAW

1500 NORTH DAYTON STREET

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November 11, 1966

President Lynden B. Johnson LBJ Ranch Johnson City, Texas

My dear Mr. President:

On November the 8th a majority of the voting citizens of the State of Illinois suffered a tragic impairment of reasoning powers. They failed to return Mr. Paul H. Douglas to the Senate - despite his outstanding accomplishments.

The millions of his devoted friends throughout our land are saddened by this failure of appreciation by a majority of the voting citizens of this state, and I am confident that you share this keen disappointment with us. They are acutely aware of Mr. Douglas' wisdom, of his compassion, and of the fact that through the years he has been a courageous champion of just causes, irrespective of their popularity.

Surely his eloquent voice should continue to be heard from a forum where he would continue to represent us. Thus, I have been asking many of my friends whether they agreed that the position of Representative of the United States at the United Nations was a role peculiarly fitted to his talents. The reaction has been one of warm and instant enthusiasm.

Accordingly, I respectfully request you to consider favorably the appointment of our beloved Senator Paul H. Douglas as the representative of all the peoples (thus including his legion of admirers in the State of Illinois) to the post of Representative of the United States at the United Nations.

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If such an appointment were made, you can be assured that our country would be most ably represented - and this letter casts no implication that we are not now being ably represented by the present Representative, Mr. Goldberg. But, an injustice would be righted - and, I assume, presumably some other significant role could be found for Mr. Goldberg that would be acceptable to him.

For myself, I can assure you, Mr. President, that Mr. Douglas through the long years of our friendship has maintained a close contact with the peoples of Czechoslovak origin. His friendship with them kept him abreast of the current events and asperations of the peoples in the present Czechoslovak satellite republic. I also know that he has maintained equally close ties with all the other ethnic groups in our state, so that he is fully acquainted with the problems and interests of most of the countries represented at the United Nations.

Were you to make this appointment, we would not have lost our champion but, instead, he would have been released to a greater duty and responsibility, and you, dear Mr. President, would have the deep gratitude of all of us.

I took the liberty of writing this to you at your beloved LBJ Ranch with the thought that there you might be slightly freer of some of the harassments of Washington, D. C. residence, so that you might have a little more time to seriously consider this proposal.

I have not discussed this request with Senator Douglas but am advising him and also Mayor Richard A. Daley by sending to each of them a copy of this letter.

May I take this opportunity of also extending to you my sincere wishes that you will have as painless an operation as is possible, followed by a speedy recovery - as we need you at the helm.

Most sincerely,

Lillian K. Kubicek

cc: Senator Paul H. Douglas Mayor Richard A. Daley

November 21, 1966

Dear Senator:

This is to thank you for your very thoughtful note of November 14.

I value very highly the years of our association and greatly appreciate your friendship.

I heartily reciprocate your good wishes for the future.

Sincerely,

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Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate

Washington, D. C.

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To:	The Secretary of Interior	Date: November 26, 1966			
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Congress of the United States

JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE (CREATED PURSUANT TO SEC. 1(a) OF PUBLIC LAW 344, 78TH CONSIDERS)

November 28, 1966

PAUL H. DOUGLAS, ILL., WICE CI JOHN SPARKMAN, ALA. J. W. PULSHIGHT, ARK, WILLIAM PROXMIRE, WIS, HERMAN E. TALMADGE, GA. JACOS K. JAVITS, N.Y. JACK MILLER, IDWA LEN B. JORDAN, IDANO

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PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Mr. Joseph A. Califano, Jr. Special Assistant to the President The White House Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Califano:

I have been thinking over the most flattering suggestion of the President that I serve as the part-time chairman of a citizens committee which would report to the President by June of 1968, or before. This committee would report on a series of problems dealing, in particular, with housing, neighborhood and community life, zoning, expenditure needs and sources of revenue. My chief reservation springs from my desire not to take a government position, but to revert to being a private citizen. Nevertheless, after mature consideration I am happy to accept, subject to three basic conditions:

- 1) That I may take with me my personal secretary, Mrs. Jane Carey Enger, at her present salary of \$13,500. Mrs. Enger is capable of being the secretary and personnel officer of the committee, but I think it would be better if she started out as my secretary and then we could see whether a formal secretary of the committee would be needed also. In any event, I would like to ask that, in addition to her official duties, Mrs. Enger be permitted to work on my personal affairs for one or two hours a day. I would also like to have her given civil service status so that she may be protected in the future and be able to count her service for the committee as an additional credit for future retirement. Furthermore, if she finds that household cares and duties are too time-consuming, I would like it understood that she would be permitted to work part-time at a correspondingly reduced salary, e.g., if half-time, at \$6,750.
- 2) I would like to have the authority to select the chief of staff or director of studies subject to White House veto. My present intention,

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United States Senate

WASHINGTON, D.C.

November 30, 1966

Dear Douglass:

Many thanks for your most gracious letter. It is fine to see you doing so well.

With best personal wishes,

Faithfully yours,

Paul H. Douglas

Mr. S. Douglass Cater, Jr.
Special Assistant to the President
The White House Office.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Klauber:

The President has asked me to thank you for your recent letter and wants you to know that he too, shares your high opinion of Senator PAUL H. Douglas.

You may be sure that we will give Senator Douglas consideration for any position worthy of his talents.

We appreciate your interest in writing.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

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November 30, 1966

President Lyndon B. Johnson The White House Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President:

I join with all citizens of our country in rejoicing at your speedy convalescence and in wishing you a complete recovery.

I take the liberty of writing to you concerning one of the great public servants of our time, Senator Paul H. Douglas. It would indeed be a shocking failure to use expertise and talent if your administration did not avail itself of Senator Douglas' services in an important capacity. He is a unique public servant. His tremendous experience, great courage, social vision and very high intelligence suggest that he should be put to work again as soon as his term expires at the end of this year.

I know that such an appointment would add strength to your administration. It would be received by the country as an indication that a great public servant is entitled to continue in government, even if defeated for no very good reason.

Very truly yours,

Leo Klauber

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Dear Paul:

The breadth of your appeal is clearly indicated by the distaff quality of this tribute to you and your magnificent record of public service.

For reassuring you so hospitably of their deep respect and affection, the members of the X Woman's National Democratic Club deserve a credit of their own.

They represent a multitude of Americans — in Illinois and across the land — who are better off materially and spiritually because of your eighteen brilliant years in the United States Senate.

You have been a true champion — a champion of all that is right for all mankind. And that you shall always be.

Sincerely,

Honorable Paul H. Douglas

C/o Woman's National Democratic Club

Washington, D. Q.

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cc: Juanita/Roberts/Bob Fleming/Whitney Shoemaker/

Mary Hooper/Central Files/Jean Lewis

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Dear Miss Orent:

The President has asked me to thank you for your recent letter in which you recommend Senator Paul Douglas for appointment to the Supreme Court in the event of a vacancy.

Your interest is appreciated, and I can assure you that your recommendation will be carefully considered.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

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Matthew B. Coffey

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I am a Sophomore at Northwestern University in Evaluation,
flienous, but my home is in
Scaridale, New york. Until I came
to school here I knew very little
about Secretar Pouglas. However.
Knowing that Mr Pouglas had to
defend his seat against the
young Mr. Bercy, I investigated
what made Mr. Louglas so
important & the intellegensia

le the his record as a legislator, expecially in Civil Rights.

However, with stune so precious to both of us, I would like to make a suggestion that I think could benefit the entire nation. All waxhengton is saying - or say since magazine says. That justice clark will resign from the supreme Court if you confirmlis son in the appointment to attorney steneral. That would leave a vacancy on the bench, and I feet that faul Douglas, although he has just accepted at the

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New School, Could be persuaded to take on this job and do it remarkably well. It would be a shawe to pass over a man who has done so much, and still has much to offer.

I hope you are feeling better, and a Happy Holiday to your family

Jan Orent

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Dear Mr. Wood:

The President has asked me to thank you for your recent letter and wants you to know that he too, shares your high opinion of Senator Douglas.

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December 8, 1966

To the President of the United States

Mr. President:

In writing to the President I keep forgetting that I am writing to an office force, very efficient to be sure, but perhaps two hundred thousand—I've been told.

The President knows Senator Douglas personally much better than I do, and neither the President nor the Senator scarcely know me. But I may have failed to take into account that those handling my letters may never have heard of Senator Douglas.

Paul Douglas, before becoming a Senator was a professer at the University of Chicago and one of the leading economists of the Nation. He has made a special study on tax loop holes, which if stopped could provide the needed funds o for Viet Nam, without additional taxes. He had expected to use this knowledge in the senate-barring white back-lash.

It is my position that the Senator would be more me useful to the Admisistration anyway, in initiating such needful legislation, and in taking other neccessary measures to mend the present tax structure.

I hope that Senator Douglas will become a member of the Administration immediately. I believe that there are millions of others who would concur with me, but too many of whom I fear are not writing in to say this.

Respectfully, Show Curtis Wood

Senator Douglas does not know, and is not responsible for my feelings and writings.

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J. C. WOOD Rt. 7, Box 219 Valparaiso, Indiana 46383

December 8, 1966

To the President of The United States

Dear Mr. President:

Some time ago you urged that those with a concern on Viet Nam write to the President. There are volumes I wish to write and speak, but I choke on the words--on this anniversary of Pearl Harbor-this birthday of my brother, who was shot down on the street by the underworld in 1922, the War I uniform scarcely off his back. He had publicly opposed selling liquor to high school girls.

This much comes clearly at the moment. The whole people need Senator Douglas, at this troubled time. I urge you to appoint him to the Cabinet, at the earliest possible moment. I believe that there are millions who would urge this.

Respectfully, John Curtis Word.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

EXECUTIVE FG110/NX PRII FG295

2:15 p.m., Sunday December 18, 1966

FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM

Joe Califano

Attached is a list of candidates for the Commission on Codes, Zoning and Taxation.

I have been over the list with Paul Douglas who agrees with the names and has asked that three additional candidates -- marked by an * -- be added.

All of the names have been checked Macy, Bob Wood and I believe it is an outstanding group that will get the job done.

If you approve the list, we wat make the necessary phone calls and you could announce the Commission this week.

Howard Shuman, who has served as Douglas! Administrative Assistant for a number of years, will be the Executive Director of the Commission. Douglas will also bring his secretary over. John Macy assures me that Shuman's and Douglas' secretaries will be paid at least what they are getting now and possibly a little more.

If you approve the list, we will start making calls to determine availability of candidates, and will prepare a good statement for you to use when the Commission is announced.

Approve list	
Disapprove list	. у

Attachment

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON 12/23/66

Mr. President:

Senator Douglas called and said:

"The President and I have been conducting negotiations at long distance about a Senate Committee on City and Municipal problems that I understood he wanted me to head. I am going on vacation tomorrow and would like to clean up some matters connected with it today.

If he could call me at his convenience, I'd be grateful."

The President's wishes relayed to LEVENSON by telephone from Texas

J. Jones Jako Jacobean December 23 , 1966

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December 29, 1966

Dear Senator:

May I acknowledge your letter of December 22 to the President in which you enclosed two pictures regarding the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore.

Your interest is appreciated and I am calling your letter to the attention of the President and his advisers and we hope to have a further reply for you shortly.

Sincerely,

Mike Manatos
Administrative Assistant
to the President

Honorable Paul H. Douglas United States Senate Washington, D. C.

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