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Dear Democratic Leadership:

As most people know, Hope, Arkansas, is the birthplace of President Bill Clinton. Because of this, we have visitors from all over the nation---more importantly, from all over the world. For several months our visitors have been expressing their frustration because the letters and phone calls to their senators and representatives appeared to be ignored. Their question was, "What more can we do to show our support for this President?"

After some thought, we came up with the idea of a "Blue Ribbon Campaign." People were urged to put royal blue ribbons on their doors, mailboxes, trees, cars---anywhere that would effectively show their support for the President. However, we have found that the most effective and prominent way people can show their support is to wear a blue lapel ribbon. Many people are using American flag pins or other patriotic symbols to hold the ribbons in place but the most important aspect of the Campaign is to wear the ribbon and show support for the President and our wish that he remain in office.

The purpose of this letter is to urge you to join us in supporting the Blue Ribbon Campaign and to spread the word in every state, county and local level in order to give every individual who supports this President a very certain and effective way of showing that support.

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We appreciate the time you have taken to listen to our cause and thank you for your consideration and any assistance you can give in sharing our "Blue Ribbon Campaign" with others.

Sincerely,

Elaine Johnson

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MEMORANDUM

TO: ~~ROTUS~~

FROM: Rep. Marion Berry

DATE: January 19, 1999

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The following are issues / projects that are very important to me and to the development of the 1st Congressional District of Arkansas. Any assistance that your Administration could provide would be much appreciated.

1) **Boeing** - As you know, The Boeing Company operates a facility in Melbourne, Arkansas that produces door assemblies and other parts for both commercial and military aircraft. The workers at the plant are highly skilled and are motivated to continue the quality work that has distinguished this plant as one of the most efficient in the system. While the military workload has increased they are in danger of losing future commercial work orders. These high-skilled jobs must be preserved.

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2) **Grand Prairie Project** - As you know from our numerous discussions about this vital water project, we need the Corps of Engineers to alter its cost-share formula to better assist the state and local entities that are overseeing this project.

3) **Delta Initiatives** - I have requested a meeting with you and African-American leaders from the Arkansas Delta to discuss substantive projects that may be undertaken to continue the work that you started with the Lower Mississippi Delta Initiatives. I hope that we can find time in the coming weeks to schedule this meeting.

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Jackson says Espy should campaign to unseat Lott

The Associated Press
01/25/99 5:11 PM Eastern

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) -- Students at four predominantly black Mississippi colleges were told Monday that it is time to send Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott and his conservative politics packing.

The Rev. Jesse Jackson said the man Mississippi needs in the U.S. Senate is former 2nd District congressman and U.S. Agriculture Secretary Mike Espy. He made similar comments during stops Monday at Jackson State University, Tougaloo College, Alcorn State University and Mississippi Valley State University.

The college pep talks came after a weekend campaign swing by Jackson designed to generate minority voter registration and push for the removal of Lott, a Republican from Pascagoula.

Jackson, president of the Chicago-based Rainbow/PUSH Coalition, again touted Espy as the replacement for Lott.

Espy, who has said he is considering a possible race for lieutenant governor, was appointed agriculture secretary by President Bill Clinton but resigned amid allegations he illegally accepted gifts from the companies he regulated. Espy was acquitted in December of 30 counts in a lengthy federal corruption trial.

An estimated 500 students lined up at voter registration tables at Jackson State's Reddix Campus Union after Jackson's spirited remarks at the school near downtown Jackson.

"Sen. Lott is the No. 1 senator. He's head of the Senate, but Mississippi is No. 1 in infant mortality and No. 50 in personal income... Lott is the No. 1 senator, and Mississippi is No. 50 in education," Jackson told the students, repeating the same statements he made during several stops Sunday.

"There is a gap in leadership and people must close the gap."

Jackson also criticized Lott for speaking in the past to the Council of Conservative Citizens, which he said was the successor to the white Citizens Council.

He said if Lott could claim "he didn't know who he talked to... He cannot convict President Clinton for lying."

Jackson had much the same message for students at the other schools.

"Trent Lott voted down a Martin Luther King holiday and stood up with the CCC," he told students at Tougaloo's new basketball gymnasium and wellness center.

He said Espy had "been through the fire and can come back and run against Lott."

Jackson visited churches from the Gulf Coast to Jackson on Sunday. His message blended biblical stories of Moses and the prodigal son with civil rights history and liberal economic philosophy.

He told a crowd in Gulfport that the only way to true freedom is to equally divide the United States' many resources.

"That's the moral imperative ... leave no one behind," Jackson said. "That's the message of the hour ... shared economic security for all Americans."

Lott's office issued a statement earlier saying the state's voters did not need Jackson to help them decide how to vote.

"Sen. Lott believes Mississippi voters can make up their own minds about who to send to Washington without assistance from Jesse Jackson," said Lee Youngblood, a spokesman for Lott in Washington. "Lott got 28 percent of the black vote in the last election. But it's a free country. Jesse Jackson can do what he pleases."

Jackson said he plans to return to the state later this year and visit churches and schools while encouraging people to vote.

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Subject: Admin. POC meeting minutes

Please see the below minutes from our most recent Admin. POC meeting.

**WHITE HOUSE OFFICE
ADMINISTRATIVE CONTACT MEETING MINUTES
January 21, 1998
ROOM 180 OEOB**

Offices in attendance:	Presidential Personnel	Mgmt. & Admin.
	Visitors Office	Correspondence
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	Records Management	Communications
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1. Personnel payroll changes:

Please refer to the Postmaster memo of January 20th titled Error in Wage and Tax Statements (W-2) for details as to potential confusion that may result from recent W2 mailings. If you did not save this memo and would like an additional copy, please contact Dan Holt at x65105.

2. Burn Bag Policy:

As a result of recent changes, some burn bag sites that previously received daily pick-up are now on schedule to be picked up every other day. If a large volume of burn material makes this a problem for your office, please call Ashley Raines at x62861.

3. Parking Restrictions:

Please note that the Secret Service is cracking down on individuals who park in areas other than those designated by their parking permit.

4. WAVES:

Staff are reminded to bring concerns regarding WAVES procedures to the attention of Ashley Raines. If you experience difficulty with any of the WAVES personnel, please note the individual's name so the matter can be discussed.

5. M & A / Room 1 contact list:

In an attempt to make the division of responsibilities between Room 1 and Room 145 easier to understand, we are putting together an "issue contact list." This list will explain which of our offices you should contact to have particular concerns addressed. I will be sending this list to each of you via email; once you have received it, please keep it on file for reference.

6. Conference Center Database:

The Conference Center database is ready for distribution to Admin. Contacts for "read-only" access. This will enable you to view the availability of rooms in both the White House Conference Center at Jackson Place and the OEOP. The purpose of this distribution is to make the process of reserving rooms simpler for the staff in your offices. Should you experience any difficulties in working with the program, please bring them to the attention of Dan Holt at x65105.

7. Removal of Non-compliant computers and printers:

Compaq computers, IBM computers, and any printers that are not HP IV or higher should have been replaced during the recent rollout. If you have any of these units remaining in your offices, please email the necessary information to Dan Holt (type of equipment, bar code, office #) so arrangements can be made for replacement.

Additional discussion:

The NT 4.0 rollout was originally scheduled for January, but was postponed due to a variety of complications. The new target date for the White House Office NT 4.0 rollout is March 2, with a target completion date of April 6.

Elizabeth Cheek-Jones (Visitor's Office) announced that she has assembled a group of sign-language interpreters that are available to support meetings and events. Individuals that are interested in arranging this support can call Elizabeth at x61211.

Thank you,
Dan Holt
Room 1

E. J. Dionne Jr.

The Trade Battle

Among the stories buried under the past year's obsession with President Clinton's scandal is a remarkable transformation in the debate over the global economy and its effect on the jobs and incomes of Americans.

While everyone talks about history's verdict on Clinton and impeachment, the change in our approach to organizing the world's commerce bids to play a larger role in defining this era's historical legacy.

Clinton hinted at this in his State of the Union message. "I think trade has divided us and divided Americans outside this chamber for too long," he told Congress. "Somehow we have to find a common ground. . . . We have got to put a human face on the global economy."

Clinton went on to embrace a new International Labor Organization initiative "to raise labor standards around the world" and pledged to work for a treaty "to ban abusive child labor everywhere in the world." He promised trade rules that would promote "the dignity of work and the rights of workers" and "protect the environment."

Behind these words is a battle that has been waged in Washington, largely out of public view, since the 1997 defeat of a bill that would have given Clinton the authority to negotiate trade treaties on a "fast track."

The fast-track defeat demonstrated that liberal, pro-labor Democrats now have veto power over legislation to promote free trade and to support global economic institutions such as the World Bank and the International Monetary Fund. Without the liberals, there aren't enough votes in Congress to pass such initiatives. These pro-labor Democrats have used their newly found influence to push for more assistance to workers who are hurt by freer trade and for stronger international rules to protect workers' rights and the environment.

Rep. Barney Frank (D-Mass.) says the new situation can be explained by the division of Congress into three groups. There are, in his terms: (1) "isolationists" who are skeptical of all international institutions and free trade; (2) "trickle downers" who favor free trade and free markets but oppose any rules to regulate the global economy; and (3) "international New Dealers" who accept the global market as a reality but care passionately about lifting labor standards and wages, in the United States and elsewhere.

Because the "trickle downers" lack the votes to pass free trade or support international institutions on their own, they need the "New Dealers" to create a majority.

The Clinton administration, particularly Treasury Secretary Robert Rubin, came to realize this and opened negotiations last year with Frank and his allies—they include House Minority Whip David Bonior (D-Mich.) and Rep. Nancy Pelosi (D-Calif.). In October, Rubin sent a letter to Frank making important concessions in pursuit of the group's votes on new financing for the IMF.

"I believe that one of the ways to build the confidence of workers is to seek the adoption and promotion of policies abroad that will enhance the respect for core labor standards," Rubin wrote.

"The United States," he went on, "will work to affect the policy dialogue between the IMF and borrowing countries so that recipient countries commit to affording workers the right to free association and collective bargaining through unions of their choosing." Rubin also pledged to push the global financial institutions "to encourage sound environmental policies."

Clinton's State of the Union pledges were the logical next step in this running negotiation. Frank saw Clinton's promise to work against "abusive child labor" as especially significant. "It's important for some of the labor people, and it's one of the most visible examples that you can do something" to regulate the workings of the global marketplace.

C. Fred Bergsten, director of the Institute for International Economics, thinks the trade debate has changed fundamentally.

"Most trade types thought the merits of free trade were so obvious, the benefits were so clear, that you didn't have to worry about adjustments—you could just let the free market take care of it," he says. "The sheer political gains of the anti-globalization side in the last few years have made the free trade side realize that they have to do something to deal with the losers from free trade and the dislocations generated by globalization."

This battle has only begun and the common ground that Clinton says he seeks could prove elusive. "The jury is still out," Frank says, referring to the administration's intentions. But creating a global economy that promotes growth with a measure of social justice is a big and worthy project—yes, the sort of thing that might matter more to historians than our current preoccupations.

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Rulings on Medicare Rights Split White House

By ROBERT PEAR

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 — A bitter dispute has broken out within the Clinton Administration over the legal rights of Medicare beneficiaries, with some officials trying to limit those rights even as President Clinton urges Congress to establish new protections for millions of other patients with private health insurance.

At issue are Federal court rulings that upheld the rights of six million Medicare beneficiaries in health maintenance organizations.

A Federal district judge in Tucson, Ariz., and the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, in San Francisco, said such patients have a constitutional right to receive written notices and hearings on any denial of medical services, because the H.M.O.'s were acting on behalf of the Government.

Medicare officials are urging Donna E. Shalala, the Secretary of Health and Human Services, to appeal the decision to the Supreme Court. But other Administration officials, who work on legislative affairs and domestic policy, strenuously oppose any appeal, saying the Administration will look ridiculous and will outrage consumer groups and Democrats in Congress.

The arguments are set forth in confidential memorandums that provide a rare insight into the legal and political considerations that shape the Government's decisions on litigation before the High Court. They seem to parallel the arguments made for and against a "patient's bill of rights" like the one proposed by Mr. Clinton.

Medicare officials argue that the lower-court orders intrude on their ability to set Medicare policy, and go much further than necessary to protect elderly patients. "The appeals process required by the district court could impose significant administrative and financial burdens on health plans," raising costs by \$4.70 a person per month, or a total of \$343 million a year, said a memorandum by Medicare officials.

Under the lower-court orders, H.M.O.'s must provide a written notice whenever a service requested by a patient or a doctor is denied, or a course of treatment is reduced or terminated.

"Under this standard, beneficiaries could be inundated with written notices whenever a perceived reduction occurs," the Medicare officials said. "Such a situation would be confusing and even stressful to beneficiaries."

In short, Medicare officials do not like being second-guessed by the courts, and they resent judicial supervision just as much as H.M.O. executives resent regulation.

But a memorandum written by other officials of the Department of Health and Human Services emphasizes the political risks of an appeal

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to the Supreme Court.

"The department's position could be seen as inconsistent with the Administration's stated policy of expanding consumer protections for health plan enrollees," it says. "As a result, a petition could weaken the department's and the Administration's ability to pass legislation that creates additional protections, such as in the patient's bill of rights."

Nancy-Ann Min DeParle, the administrator of the Health Care Financing Administration, which runs Medicare, came down against the lower-court decisions. She told Dr. Shalala that the Administration "should seek relief from the Supreme Court," even though Ms. DeParle acknowledged that there were legal and political risks in this approach.

By contrast, other Administration officials said the rights of Medicare H.M.O. patients should meet constitutional standards for "due process of law" because the stakes were so high: if an H.M.O. denies coverage of a service, the patient may suffer irreparable harm or die.

Further, these officials said in confidential memorandums, if the Ad-

ministration succeeds in its effort to overturn the court decisions won by Medicare beneficiaries, it could undermine the rights of poor people in Medicaid, who have increasingly been required to get their care through H.M.O.'s.

Moreover, these officials said, "health plans may be exaggerating the financial and administrative burdens" imposed by the lower-court orders.

The case, a nationwide class action, was filed in 1993 by elderly people who said they had been denied medically necessary services. The plaintiffs won a ruling from the Federal District Court in Tucson in October 1996. Dr. Shalala appealed, saying the judge, Alfredo C. Marquez, had usurped her authority.

Last August the appellate court in San Francisco rejected the Administration's argument. Judge Charles E. Wiggins, a former Republican Congressman from California, said Medicare beneficiaries are entitled to due process because the H.M.O. decisions amount to "Government action."

H.M.O.'s are private corporations, but when they deny services to Medicare beneficiaries they are acting on behalf of the Government, the court said.

The Administration has issued rules for Medicare H.M.O.'s, but the order by Judge Marquez provides greater protection to beneficiaries. The judge's order sets tighter deadlines for H.M.O.'s to rule on appeals, and it guarantees that patients can receive urgently needed services while they pursue appeals.

Vicki Gottlich, a lawyer at the National Senior Citizens Law Center, said the court order also "goes much further than current Federal rules in requiring H.M.O.'s to explain what additional evidence you need to support your claim, and how to get that evidence."

A report on the case by Government lawyers says "the worst possible scenario" is that Dr. Shalala will appeal to the Supreme Court and the Justices will decline to accept the case for review.

Lower courts would probably view such action as "a judgment by the Supreme Court that our arguments were unpersuasive," the report said.

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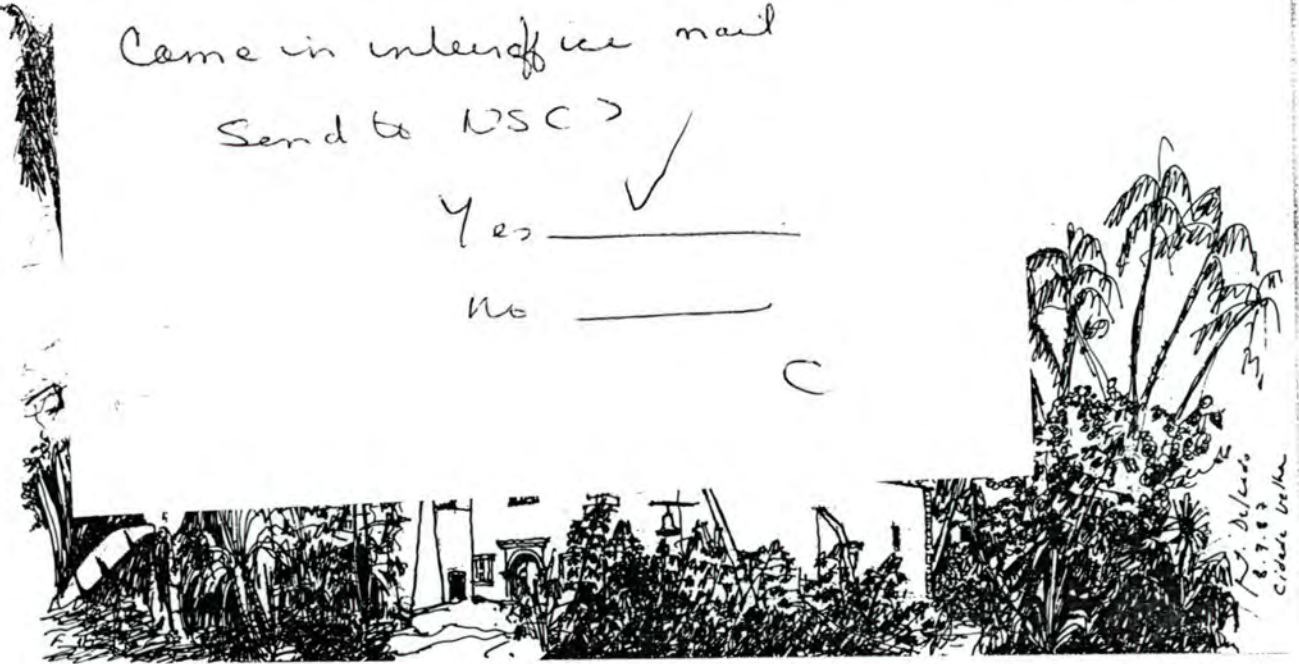
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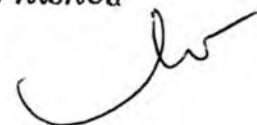


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Doctors warn against genetic weapons<

LONDON, Jan. 22 (UPI) In a report released by the British Medical Association, doctors and scientists warn that the rapidly advancing science of genetics will soon produce weapons capable of targeting and eliminating ethnic characteristics.

Today's report, Biotechnology Weapons and Humanity, includes the medical association's call for "urgent and intense" efforts to tighten the 1972 Biological and Toxin Weapons Convention.

Those 1972 agreements were crafted back then to stop the spread of biological and chemical weapons.

But the medical association claims such weapons are currently under the most minimal safeguards, saying specifically they are "poorly regulated and controlled."

The chairman of the medical association's board of science, William Asscher, warns, "Science which is being used for benign purposes can be put to malign use."

The doctors said the greatest risk is rooted in knowledge gained from the ongoing Human Genome Project and in the Human Genetic Diversity Project.

The Genome project is an international effort to locate every element of the human genetic blueprint by 2003, and the diversity project has scientists recording the genetics of threatened ethnic groups.

According to the report, "In genetic terms there are more similarities between different people and peoples than there are differences."

But the report notes the differences exist, allowing scientists the capacity to design an agent such as a disease-carrying virus that would be harmless to all but persons with certain ethnic markings.

The association's head of ethics, Vivienne Nathanson, says genetic targets in human beings can be traits including height, skin and eye color.

The report further warned that the science would soon be available to terrorists and that terrorist groups could develop biological weapons relatively easily using detailed instructions available on the Internet.

The British Foreign Office says Britain will do its utmost to make the 1972 conventions more stringent.

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Note: President's Plan is to find direct stream of funding beginning in FY 2001

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UPARR	\$73 million	\$4 million
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THE PRESIDENT'S INITIATIVE PROVIDES ONLY \$4 MILLION FOR URBAN PARKS

- THE CONGRESSIONAL BILLS ALSO RECOGNIZE THE LONG-STANDING SUCCESS OF THE PITTMAN-ROBERTSON ACT WITH ITS LAND ACQUISITION BY STATES, AND MARRY THAT SUCCESS WITH THE TEAMING WITH WILDLIFE INITIATIVE THAT DIRECTLY SUPPORTS THE GAME AND NON-GAME SPECIES WE ARE TRYING TO PREVENT FROM BECOMING THREATENED OR ENDANGERED

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Federal OCS Revenue Generated Adjacent to Coastal States

FY 1997

\$510 Thousand (All Other States)

\$610 Million

\$150 Million

\$16 Million

\$53 Million

\$5.2 Million

\$3.2 Billion



Alabama



Alaska



California



Texas



Louisiana



Mississippi

Revenues from OCS leases by source, Fiscal Year 1997

Royalties	\$3,487,260,815
Bonuses	1,179,101,394
Rents	140,980,011
Other Revenues	15,094,863
Total	\$4,822,437,083

Source: Royalty Management Program, Minerals Management Service, *State Minerals Summaries: Fiscal Year 1997*

July 21, 1998

UNITED STATES SENATOR MARY L. LANDRIEU



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To: Senator Landrieu
Doug's Office
Phone: 456-2230

Date: 1/18/99
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Please get this to the Senator.
Thank you!

From the desk of...

Dionne Thompson
Office of Sen. Mary L. Landrieu
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105TH CONGRESS
2D SESSION

S. 2566

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 7 (legislative day, OCTOBER 2), 1998

Ms. LANDRIEU (for herself, Mr. MURKOWSKI, Mr. LOTT, Mr. BREAUX, Mr. D'AMATO, Mr. CLELAND, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. COCHRAN, Ms. MIKULSKI, and Mr. SESSIONS) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

A BILL

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WHEN WOMEN VOTE,
WOMEN WIN!

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Phil -

I feel like I've
been targeted!

But it just goes to show
how much support is out
there and how broad the
support is.

Thanks
Zoe

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To Dan B
for reply
Phil 1/20

January 26, 1999

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: STACIE SPECTOR

RE: A LETTER OF SUPPORT

Attached is a letter from Barbara Findeisen, a Psychologist from Northern California. She is a friend of mine that feels passionately about the work of this Administration and the leadership that you and the First Lady continue to provide.

She asked that I pass this letter along to you. Barbara does quite a bit of work on early childhood development, especially on the 0-3 years. She has also been a strong advocate in California and all across the nation on the issue of mental health. She has helped out and reached out to thousands of people whose lives have been altered as a result of her work and her spiritual guidance and thought.

Thank you.

January 24, 1999



Dear Mr. President,

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E-mail starfound1@aol.com

As a member of the Republican Party, I would like to apologize to you for the politically motivated long vendetta against you & Mrs. Clinton, I would like to also apologize for the mean spirited, spiteful behavior of the Republicans in The House of Representatives. I am proud that I voted for you in both 1992 and 1996 and I plan to vote for Vice President Gore in 2000.

As a Christian, I feel disgust and shame for the lack of Christian Compassion shown towards you by the Christian Right Wing. They have strayed far, far from the teachings of Jesus. My prayers are with you.

As a Stanford Graduate, I want to honor and acknowledge you, Hillary & Chelsea for your courage & grace under fire. My heart goes out to you all.

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As a Psychologist, I understand well the power of the unconscious. In that understanding, I know no one is perfect & I have no judgement. I

believe this entire tragic drama is, partly at least, due to unresolved issues of the shadow. You have become the target for many dark shadows which have been projected on you in an unconscious effort to deal with their own hidden dark shadows. Knowing that, may help a little, but not enough.

As an American, whose ancestors have fought in every war this nation has ever had, I am furious at Ken Star & his henchmen for the damage they have done to me, to my family, my country and to The Presidency.

As a woman and President of The Association for Pre & Perinatal Psychology and Health, I want to thank you & Mrs. Clinton for the contribution you have and are making to American women, mother, and children. I deeply appreciate you both.

Finally, as a Chocolate Lab owner, give Buddy a bone & go play ball with him. It will do you both good.

In sincere appreciation,

Barbara Reid Jendesen

January 27, 1999

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Mr. President:

Ben Johnson thought you might
like to see this letter and
Resolution from the Progressive
National Baptist Convention, which
Dr. King founded.

Phil Caplan

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- My
- Ben
- Ben ✓

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Johnson
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We will send to
Burkhardt for reply.
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January 22, 1999

President William Jefferson Clinton
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

In support of you and your critical importance to the life of our great Nation, I am enclosing the Official Resolution unanimously adopted by the Progressive National Baptist Convention at its Midwinter Board Meeting. The content of the Resolution is prophetic and precise in its reasons for condemning the impeachment by the House of Representatives, and the trial by the Senate. It calls upon the Senate to respect and honor the indisputable will of the people of this Nation and to expeditiously dismiss the frivolous charges against you.

Please know that as the President of the Progressive National Baptist Convention, Inc., I, and over 2.5 million committed members are at your disposal to assist in correcting what we believe is a blatant abuse and violation of the Constitution, in this modern day crucifixion effort. It is my hope that time will permit you to read the resolutions in depth.

Finally, we have called upon the Senate to pause in a moment of prayer for forgiveness and reconciliation. Also, we have called upon all religious bodies to join with the Progressive National Baptist Convention churches in a moment of prayer for forgiveness and reconciliation, not merely for you, but for the whole nation.

Yours In the Name of Christ,

Dr. C. Mackey Daniels, President

**PROGRESSIVE NATIONAL BAPTIST CONVENTION, INC.
RESOLUTION ON JUSTICE FOR WILLIAM JEFFERSON CLINTON
MIDWINTER BOARD MEETING
WYNDHAM MYRTLE BEACH RESORT
MYRTLE BEACH, SOUTH CAROLINA
JANUARY 21, 1999**

President William Jefferson Clinton is a sinner, but he is no criminal.

Salvation and reconciliation are based on the fact that "While we were yet sinners, Christ died for us."

To impeach a President because he is a sinner is to destroy the constitution, not uphold it. To impeach a President because you cannot defeat him at the polls in two elections is not only shameful, but a corruption of "the rule of law."

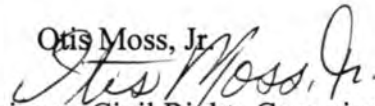
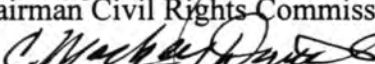
Tens of millions of voters should not have their elections overturned because less than three hundred partisan politicians dislike the choice of the American people. Impeachment and removal from office would not be in this instance "The rule of law" but a reign of error. Our nation cries out for the rule of law and the reign of compassion, mercy and reconciliation.

We in the Progressive National Baptist Convention,(PNBC) know the difference between high crimes and private sin.

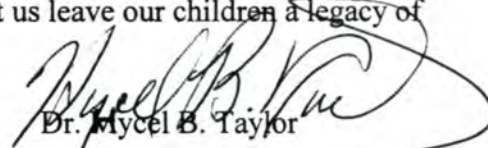
Prosecutor Kenneth Starr has spent almost fifty million (\$50,000,000) dollars to destroy one man ! This is senseless, sinful, shameful, abusive, excessive and a blatant disservice to our nation.

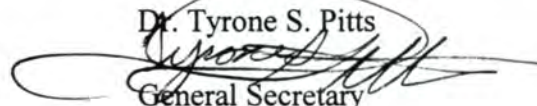
We say, "close down this shameful investigation and open up the paths of reconciliation". To the men and women in the House and Senate, we say, "do not close the millennium with blood and mud extracted from and dumped on a President you dislike". But let us close this millennium in the House and Senate with grace and mercy, and take care of our nation's urgent business.

We believe this is the righteous and just thing to do. Let us leave our children a legacy of love and humane legislation and leadership.

Otis Moss, Jr.

Chairman Civil Rights Commission

Dr. C. Mackey Daniels

President


Dr. Mycel B. Taylor
Chairman Resolution Committee

Dr. Tyrone S. Pitts

General Secretary

PROGRESSIVE NATIONAL BAPTIST CONVENTION INC.

Supplementary Resolution and Press Release Calling for Prayers of Forgiveness and Reconciliation

Condemnation of the Impeachment and Trial of the President, Bill Clinton

January 22, 1999

If my people who are called by my name, shall humble themselves and pray, seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and forgive their sins, and will heal their land. II Chronicles 7:14

Be it resolved that in profound and prophetic disagreement with the moralistic, judgmental, graceless, and in our opinion, Pharisaic position of the "Christian Coalition," the "religious right," and the conservative Republican members of the United States Congress---we the body of African-American Christians of the Progressive National Baptist Convention Inc., join with the majority of Americans of goodwill of all races in condemning the impeachment and trial of Bill Clinton.

We make a clear and considerable distinction between *Bill Clinton, the person*, whose personal sin is not to be condoned, and *Bill Clinton, the President* of the United States whose stellar service to our nation merits, receives and deserves unprecedented and unparalleled praise. For the former he has confessed and has asked God for forgiveness, and God's forgiveness is alone sufficient because none of his political peers, or any human being is perfect enough to judge him. For the latter he must be allowed to continue unencumbered and fully supported by all Americans until his term of office is completed.

We believe that, in part, the impeachment and trial of president Clinton is a surreptitious and mean spirited attack upon his commitment to the justice issues related to African-Americans, other minorities, and the needy of the nation. We believe that Mr. Clinton is not liked or loved by those who still harbor sentiments of racial superiority and racism in their hearts---persons who are determined to remove him from office by exploiting a personal failure that in no way rises to the level of high crimes and misdemeanors.

Moreover, we believe that Bill Clinton is being used as the scapegoat for covering up and/or expiating the guilt of America's perverted sexual history which includes the rape of African-American and native American women during the diabolical years of slavery, the sexual exploitation of women in general, and the sexual exploitation of children. We are concerned about America's pathological preoccupation with illicit sex that leads to the massive production and promotion of pornography in magazines, movies, TV, and is now available to our children on the Internet.

If America's perverted sexual history must come out of the closet, let it not come out by narrowly focusing upon the salacious and lurid details of the sexual indiscretions of two consenting adults. Let the whole record be exposed and examined lest anyone be guilty of casting the first stone. Let it be known that there are ten commandments, not merely one, that stand equal and if applied would make every President and politician past, present, and in the future---impeachable.

Therefore, we call upon the Senate of the United States of America to pause for a moment of prayer for forgiveness and reconciliation, and then to respect and honor the will of the American people to expeditiously dismiss the frivolous charges against Mr. Clinton so that he and they can get on with the urgent and unfinished business of the Nation and the world.

We further call upon all religious bodies of the African-American community, and all religious bodies regardless of race, to join PNBC in organizing bold and prophetic protests against this modern day crucifixion effort.

Toward this end, we call upon all religious denominations and persons to join with PNBC churches all over the Nation and the world to pause in a brief moment of prayer for forgiveness and reconciliation on this Sunday, January 24, 1999 and the next Sunday, January 31, 1999, ---prayer to seek God's forgiveness not only for the personal sin of the President, but for the pervasive sins of the whole nation.

This urgent appeal will go out immediately by conference call, FAX, radio announcements, word of mouth, and every available medium of publicity---imploing to our sick nation to read and respond to that awesome scripture, *If my people who are called by my name, shall humble themselves and pray, seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and forgive their sins, and will heal their land.* II Chronicles 7:14