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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN
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The Council of the City of New York

March 11, 1996

The President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20500

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Sincerely,

CHARLES W. STENHOLM
17TH DISTRICT
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House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

February 6, 1996

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Mr. Richard Morris
20 Beeholm Road
West Redding, Connecticut 06896

Dear Dick:

As you know, I have introduced legislation, HR 2676, along with House Agriculture Committee Chairman Pat Roberts to assist farmer cooperatives in purchasing refining and processing facilities. We believe that this type of incentive is extremely important in order to get our farmers involved in the most profitable sector of the agricultural economy. With the prospects of a reduced farm program, it is essential that farmers participate in the more profitable activities of processing and refining of their commodities.

While I strongly believe that we should reduce spending before we consider any significant tax reduction proposals, I am very aware that any comprehensive effort to reduce the deficit and balance the federal budget will likely include a significant tax reduction component. With this in mind, I would like to know if you can suggest any way I can have HR 2676 included in the President's fiscal year 1997 budget that will soon be submitted to Congress.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter. I am enclosing a letter that I have sent to Secretary Robert Rubin on this issue. With kind regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,

Charlie

Charles W. Stenholm
Member of Congress

CWS:cn
Enclosure

AGENDA FOR THE PRESIDENT ONLY

I. Cuba Military Action

- a. public backs tighter economic sanctions by 72-21
- b. but opposes "placing war ships off the coast of Cuba to shoot down any Cuban planes if they attack other civilian planes by 43-51
 - 1. If we don't shoot, they won't notice
 - 2. If we do shoot, they'll rally around the flag

II. Budget Issues

- a. Hilly wants meeting with President and Leon to brief them
- b. Issues, as I see them:

Medicare:

MSA -- give Newt nationwide MSAs but quota them at 3% of all beneficiaries in first year. Then review risk pool and cut capitation fee accordingly to offset off load of rich and healthy people. Increase MSA quota annually until anyone can come have one with annual reviews of capitation fee and risk pools

Lot floated this idea by Newt who said he was "very interested."

PSOs--stand firm against balance billing, Newt will give in

Associations -- same rules as with MSAs

Dollar amount: go up to 140 in cuts with 10 in over \$100,000 premiums (not over \$90,000 but go to 100%. Then offer a gross of 154 in cuts.

Lot spoke to Newt who said we "had to go higher on premiums than our last offer and had to return to the levels of our August offer" (I don't know what that is)

Medicaid

We need to negotiate this directly rather than ask the Governors to make a new proposal. The Governors will take a week or two and we don't have the time.

Lot pressed this with Newt who said OK. His staff guy had stonewalled this with Hilly

guarantees---include a set minimum guarantee of services, just like we have guaranteed covered populations

Judicial review -- federal appeals but state initial jurisdiction

Provider tax -- make Govs retreat on this one

Welfare

Food stamp ... block grant until unemployment in a given state -- or nationally -- hits a certain trigger and then mandate entitlements

Immigration vouchers for children of legal immigrant disabled, not cash

Process

- *Hilley through Sheila Burke and Dan Feldman
- *Pres to Newt and Dominici
- *Me to Lott to Newt



Providing Hope for Homeless Children and Their Families

3/7/96

Dear President Clinton -

On behalf of my
entire family, we wish
you the best. Jason was
thrilled to receive your
letter a few weeks ago
which was "right up there"
with her Oscar nomination.

I hope that you will
consider visiting "us" on
your next visit to LA. Sincerely,
Kelly Stone

8205 SANTA MONICA BLVD. #1-441 LOS ANGELES, CA 90046

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3/12/96

From the Oval.

Send to Dorskind
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Yes ☒

No ☐



Providing Hope for Homeless Children and Their Families

March 7, 1996

President William Jefferson Clinton
President of the United States of America
The White House
Washington D.C.

Dear President Clinton,

Mr. President, I would like to thank you for your continued concern with our cause. I am so excited to tell you that we have begun our much anticipated "Computer Hope" program this month. Our new warehouse type space serves as the perfect computer training center, where we intend to train capable homeless people the important computer skills they will need to find sustainable employment (not to mention becoming voters).

My family and I, as you know are great supporters of you and Mrs. Clinton. We are watching with interest the campaign events. I wanted to write you this note to both express again our support as you make your way to your second term and to update you on what Sharon and I have planned for Planet Hope in 1996.

I share with you your belief that computers and the internet system, are the future. We plan to train our people to learn even the most advanced computer skills. Additionally, we are hoping to fund ourselves by providing computer services to the general public for a fee.

It is my hope and dream that you would honor me, my staff and all of the homeless of Planet Hope by speaking to our students when you are in California. I invite you to use our innovative, one of a kind program as an example of the type of "good citizenship" policy you have stressed to all Americans. Your presence would bring Computer Hope the wonderful awareness needed to enhance our corporate/employer relationships and fundraising endeavors. Your charismatic words of wisdom will inevitably brighten the dreams and sharpen the goals of the homeless community we seek to serve.

I know how busy you are and appreciate the time and consideration you have always given me. You have always been kind enough to ask about my father and to wish him well in retirement. Thank you for your commitment to Hope. My best to you and your family. Please wish the very best to your family!

Warm Regards,

Kelly Stone
Executive Director

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THE FEDERAL PAGE

Parties Raised Nearly \$60 Million in 'Soft' 1995 Donations

The various Republican and Democratic national party committees raised nearly \$60 million in "soft money" from corporations, wealthy individuals and labor unions last year, more than twice as much as in 1991, the last pre-presidential election year, according to a study by the Center for Responsive Politics.

There are limits on how much individuals may give directly to federal candidates and parties, and

corporations and unions cannot give at all. But both parties solicit large donations from these sources for separate nonfederal, or soft money, accounts. This money is supposed to pay for administrative expenses and party-building activities, such as generic advertising and get-out-the-vote drives.

The study by the nonpartisan research group, based on reports to the Federal Election Commission for calendar 1995, shows that the GOP committees—

the Republican National Committee, its House and Senate counterparts and some special event committees—raised \$33.7 million in soft money in 1995, led by \$2.4 million from tobacco companies. The Democratic committees raised \$25 million, led by \$1.8 million from lawyers and law firms.

The center's analysis showed that more than 300 donors gave soft money to both parties, with 27 giving at least \$50,000 to both sides.

About 82 percent of the Republican money came from corporations, compared with 55 percent for Democrats.

The chart below shows contributors of more than \$100,000 in soft money to various national party committees. An asterisk (*) indicates a donor's totals include contributions from affiliates and corporate executives.

—Charles R. Babcock

Soft money donations to national Democratic and Republican committees, Jan. 1-Dec. 31, 1995

Company	Total	To Democrats	To Republicans	Industry
Philip Morris Cos.*	\$1,191,149	\$199,000	\$992,149	Tobacco
RJR Nabisco*	822,700	126,250	696,450	Tobacco
AT&T Corp.*	683,684	313,684	370,000	Telephone utility
Atlantic Richfield Co.*	507,675	185,500	322,175	Oil and gas
Joseph E. Seagram & Sons*	460,000	285,000	175,000	Beer, wine and liquor
American Financial Corp.*	430,000	100,000	330,000	Insurance
MCI Telecommunications Corp.	387,250	279,750	107,500	Telephone utility
Dirk Ziff, Ziff Communications	380,000	380,000	0	Printing and publishing
Time Warner Inc.*	351,000	101,000	250,000	Media and entertainment
Archer Daniels Midland Co.	315,000	60,000	255,000	Agriculture
NYNEX Corp.*	293,905	87,500	206,405	Telephone utility
Anheuser-Busch Cos.	281,250	215,250	66,000	Beer, wine and liquor
Lazard Freres & Co.*	280,000	235,000	45,000	Securities and investment
Miramax Films Corp.	276,000	276,000	0	Entertainment
Textron Inc.	266,850	48,150	218,700	Defense aerospace
News America Publishing Inc.	265,000	0	265,000	Printing and publishing
Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corp.	265,000	0	265,000	Tobacco
Loral Corp.*	256,000	240,500	15,500	Defense electronics
Chevron Corp.	237,400	83,000	154,400	Oil and gas
DreamWorks SKG*	225,000	225,000	0	Entertainment
Entergy Corp.*	220,975	121,500	99,475	Electric utilities
MCA Inc.*	215,000	200,000	15,000	Entertainment
Laborer's Union	212,500	205,000	7,500	Building trade union
Federal National Mortgage Association	212,500	62,500	150,000	Real estate
Prudential Insurance*	209,200	62,750	146,450	Insurance
Connell Co.	200,000	200,000	0	Crop production; processing
Blue Cross Blue Shield*	199,203	38,000	161,203	Health services
PaineWebber Inc.	195,000	0	195,000	Securities and investment
Pfizer Inc.*	195,000	39,000	156,000	Pharmaceuticals
Ell Lilly & Co.	188,000	58,000	130,000	Pharmaceuticals
Forstmann, Little & Co.*	185,000	0	185,000	Securities and investment
WMX Technologies Inc.*	184,500	37,000	147,500	Waste management
Limited Inc.	183,750	23,750	160,000	Retail sales
Boeing Co.	182,200	65,250	116,950	Air transport
Milberg, Weiss et al.*	180,000	180,000	0	Lawyers
Reliance Group Holdings Inc.	180,000	0	180,000	Insurance
Tobacco Institute	175,300	49,750	125,550	Tobacco
J. Chung, Automated Intelligence Systems	175,000	175,000	0	Business services
Federal Express Corp.	171,400	43,000	128,400	Air transport
Association of Trial Lawyers of America*	170,000	80,000	90,000	Lawyers
Public Securities Association	163,719	35,869	127,850	Securities and investment
US West Inc.	163,150	65,000	98,150	Telephone utility
Walt Disney Co.*	163,000	93,000	70,000	Entertainment
AFLAC Inc.	161,740	50,000	111,740	Insurance
Occidental Petroleum Corp.*	157,750	60,250	97,500	Oil and gas
Deloitte & Touche*	157,333	105,000	52,333	Accountants
Enron Corp.*	155,000	25,000	130,000	Oil and gas
Pilgrims Pilde Corp.	155,000	5,000	150,000	Poultry

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General Electric Co.*	\$153,550	\$63,750	\$89,800	Miscellaneous manufacturing
Sprint Corp.	150,150	68,750	81,400	Telephone utility
US Tobacco	150,072	33,962	116,110	Tobacco
Stallion USA Inc.	150,000	150,000	0	Miscellaneous manufacturing
US Asia Commercial Development Co.	150,000	0	150,000	Business services
Ernst & Young	149,300	80,000	69,300	Accountants
Coca-Cola Co.	144,500	30,000	114,500	Food and beverages
Society of the Plastics Industry Inc.	141,300	66,100	75,200	Chemical, related mfg.
Revlon Group Inc.	141,000	116,000	25,000	Miscellaneous manufacturing
FordMeyer Corp.	140,000	0	140,000	Pharmaceuticals
Gail Zappa	140,000	140,000	0	Zappa Records
Ticketmaster Corp.	130,000	0	130,000	Recreation and entertainment
Julian Leaw Investments	130,000	0	130,000	Real estate
Utilicorp United	130,000	0	130,000	Electric utilities
CSX Corp*	127,006	20,006	107,000	Railroads
Electrical Workers Union (IBEW)	125,000	125,000	0	Industrial union
Glaxo Inc.	125,000	30,000	95,000	Pharmaceuticals
PepsiCo Inc.	125,000	0	125,000	Food and beverages
Amoco Corp.	123,000	53,000	70,000	Oil and gas
Torchmark*	122,500	100,000	22,500	Insurance
Pacific Tees Group	121,750	37,250	84,500	Telephone utility
Interface Group-Massachusetts	120,000	0	120,000	Lodging and tourism
Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.	119,000	70,000	49,000	Insurance
Ashland Oil Inc.	117,592	15,000	102,592	Oil and gas
BankAmerica Corp.	117,500	33,000	84,500	Commercial bank
Union Pacific Co.*	117,250	250	117,000	Railroads
Service Employees International Union	116,930	116,930	0	Miscellaneous union
American Trucking Associations	116,000	32,500	83,500	Trucking
American Express Co.*	115,400	15,000	100,400	Credit
Goldman, Sachs & Co.*	115,000	75,000	40,000	Securities and investment
Viacom International Inc.	115,000	75,000	40,000	Entertainment
National Education Association*	114,650	101,650	13,000	Public sector union
Marriott Corp.	113,000	0	113,000	Lodging and tourism
State Industries Inc.	112,500	30,000	82,500	Miscellaneous manufacturing
United Airlines Inc.	110,795	70,000	40,795	Air transport
Chicago Mercantile Exchange	110,690	27,500	83,190	Securities and investment
Humana Inc.	110,500	50,000	60,500	Health services
BP Exploration & Oil Inc.	110,000	15,000	95,000	Oil and gas
William D. Rollnick	110,000	110,000	0	Investor
Sullivan & Lapakis*	110,000	100,000	10,000	Lawyers
United Food & Commercial Wkrs. Union*	110,000	110,000	0	Miscellaneous union
Integrated Health Services Inc.	108,000	75,000	33,000	Hospitals and nursing homes
Pacific Gas & Electric Co.	108,000	45,000	63,000	Electric utility
United Technologies Corp.	106,750	64,750	42,000	Defense aerospace
Jerome V. Ansel, St. Andrews C.C.	105,000	0	105,000	Founder, Amway Corp.
Medco Behavioral Care Corp.	105,000	0	105,000	Health services
Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering*	105,000	0	105,000	Lawyers
AFSCME	102,662	102,662	0	Public sector union
Fruit of the Loom Inc.	102,000	0	102,000	Miscellaneous manufacturing
S. Daniel Abraham, Slim Fast	101,500	101,500	0	Food processing and sales

SOURCE: Center for Responsive Politics from Federal Election Commission records

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Noach Dear

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JIM DORSKIND:

Please coordinate
the reply.

March 8, 1996

Dear Mr. President,

This evening, at David Geffen's, I'll have an opportunity to thank you in person for your continuing statesmanship, and for your helpful stand on the Ward Valley tritium testing situation. I am truly grateful for both.

In addition, please consider this your formal invitation to the Broadway opening of the new comedy I'm producing, "The Apple Doesn't Fall..." directed by Leonard Nimoy. (Does the first family ever get to attend such events? Or is security too big a nightmare?) The date is April 14 at the Lyceum Theatre, 149 W. 45th Street. (Sunday, with an early 6:30 curtain and celebration afterwards.)

Best personal regards
to you "fishkin"

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JIM DORSKIND:

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the reply.

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Dear President Clinton,

As you know, Placido Domingo
has done many wonderful operatic
recordings. But on this CD, he,
Carly Simon and a wonderful sax
form an unlikely trio that really
pulls at my heart. I hope
that you will enjoy it.

Carlyn Stonehill

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We have also received the following items:

Bill
Ickes note on the length of the Convention. Bill Daley urges that we reconsider making the convention three days, questioning how, the week before Labor Day, we could sustain interest for four days in a nomination that's a foregone conclusion.

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6 March 1996

MEMORANDUM TO THE PRESIDENT
THE VICE PRESIDENT

CC: Leon Panetta
Evelyn Lieberman
Maggie Williams
Ron Klain
Skila Harris
George Stephanopoulos

From: Harold Ickes 

Re: Lanny Davis and the platform committee of the 1996
Democratic National Convention

Lanny Davis called me on 5 March to say that he would be very interested in being a "point person" regarding the platform committee of the 1996 Democratic National Convention.

Let's discuss.

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Skila Harris
Doug Sosnik
Karen Hancox

From: Harold Ickes

Re: Democratic National Convention

On 4 March I spoke with Bill Daley who strongly urged that reconsideration of a three day, rather than a four day, convention be given. He questions how, on the last week of August (the week immediately preceding Labor Day weekend) interest can be kept for four days in what will have been a long foregone conclusion, i.e., the nomination of the President.

Let's discuss.