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July 1, 1997

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: SYLVIA MATHEWS
ANN LEWIS
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SUBJECT: SCHEDULING OPTIONS FOR JULY 17, 1997

Per your comments on an earlier memo, we have tentatively scheduled you to address both the NAACP annual convention in Pittsburgh and the National Association of Black Journalists in Chicago on Tuesday, July 17. The proposed schedule takes you to Pittsburgh in the morning to speak before the NAACP, where the DPC wants you to announce a new education initiative providing incentives for highly qualified and trained teachers to work in inner-city and rural schools (see attached DPC memo for a full description). In the afternoon you travel to Chicago, where you are scheduled in the early evening to address approximately 3,000 members of the NABJ and take questions from four pre-selected journalists.

There is a concern that your first day of Race Initiative-related travel is limited to two high profile African American organizations. Thus, we have prepared two additional options -- a multiracial event and a Latino event -- one of which could be included in your schedule during the afternoon in Chicago. A detailed schedule outlining the day with one of the additional events is attached.

OPTION ONE

Education Roundtable: You would participate in a multi-racial roundtable about Education at the University of Illinois at Chicago, a school that does a great deal of work with inner-city education. Participants in the roundtable would include students and teachers at UI-C, and perhaps teachers from nearby neighborhood schools.

OPTION TWO

Latino Journalists: Meet with Latino journalists from the Chicago area to discuss your new Education Initiative and other issues.

Hold a third event on July 17?

YES ☒ NO ☐

If yes, which event?

UI-C Roundtable ☒

Latino Journalists ☐

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NOTIONAL SCHEDULE FOR PRESIDENT

DC - Pittsburgh - Chicago - DC

OPTION #1

8:10 am	Wheels up from the White House
8:20 am	Wheels down AAFB
8:35 am	Wheels up AAFB en route Pittsburgh, PA [flight time: 55 minutes]
9:30 am	Wheels down Pittsburgh, PA
9:45 am	Depart Pittsburgh Int'l Airport en route NAACP Convention [approximate drive time: 30 minutes]
10:15 am	Arrive NAACP Convention
10:30 am- 11:30 am	REMARKS TO NAACP CONVENTION
11:35 am- 12:45 pm	HOLD FOR PRESS FILE/TRAVEL TIME
1:00 pm	Depart NAACP site en route Pittsburgh Int'l Airport [approximate drive time: 30 minutes]
1:30 pm	Arrive Pittsburgh Int'l Airport
1:45 pm ET	Wheels up Pittsburgh, PA en route Chicago, IL [flight time: 1 hour, 15 minutes] [time change: - 1 hour]
2:00 pm CT	Wheels down Chicago, IL
2:15 pm	Depart O'Hare Int'l Airport en route event site [drive time: 30 minutes]
2:45 pm	Arrive event site
3:00 pm- 4:00 pm	MULTI - RACIAL ROUND TABLE ON EDUCATION SITE TBA
4:15 pm	Depart event site en route Chicago Hyatt Hotel [drive time: 15 minutes]

4:30 pm	Arrive Chicago Hyatt Hotel
4:30 pm- 6:30 pm	DOWN TIME
6:45 pm- 7:35 pm	REMARKS TO BLACK JOURNALISTS CONFERENCE Chicago Hyatt Hotel
7:45 pm	Depart Chicago Hyatt Hotel en route O'Hare Int'l Airport [approximate drive time: 25 minutes]
8:10 pm	Arrive O'Hare Int'l Airport
8:25 pm	Wheels up Chicago, IL en route AAFB [flight time: 1 hour, 35 minutes] [time change: + 1 hour]
11:00 pm	Wheels down AAFB
11:10 pm	Wheels up AAFB en route White House [flight time: 10 minutes]
11:20 pm	Wheels down White House

HONORARY PARTICIPATION REQUEST

Please return to Woyneab Wondwossen, Room 93

Today's Date: July 2, 1997

Date of Request: 5/1/97 [Print Deadline - 7/15/97]
Request for: POTUS/FLOTUS
Type of Request: Honorary Chairpersons
Requestor Name: Mr. Anthony K. Shriver
Title: President
Address: Best Buddies International, Inc.
Suite 1990
100 Southeast Second Street
Miami, Florida 33131
Contact Tel. #: 305/374-2233
Event Date: 10/18/97
Event Description: Ninth Annual Art from the Heart Ball
Notes: Best Buddies strives to enhance the lives of people with mental retardation by providing opportunities for socialization and employment. The Ninth Annual Ball will raise funds for programs benefiting mentally retarded persons in 37 states and three countries. The President and First Lady regretted in 1993. However, the President served as Honorary Chairperson in 1994, 1995, and 1996.

The President and First Lady should ACCEPT.

Recommendations:

MV _____ TS OK
(Unless otherwise noted, a yes answer will automatically generate a message as well as acceptance of the honorary position).

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Comments:

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April 11, 1997

The President
The White House
Washington, DC 20005

Dear Mr. President:

Congratulations on the Volunteer Summit which is scheduled for the end of this month in Philadelphia. I appreciate your support of non-profit organizations that enrich the lives of people throughout the country. Your previous support of Best Buddies has allowed us to achieve our mission of enhancing the lives of people with mental retardation by providing opportunities for socialization and employment. I would like to take a minute to update you on the progress of Best Buddies.

Best Buddies High Schools, Best Buddies Colleges, and Best Buddies Citizens seek to pair individuals in the community in one-to-one friendships with people with mental retardation. Best Buddies Jobs places people with mental retardation in competitive, integrated jobs. Currently, all four Best Buddies programs are actively enhancing the lives of thousands of people with mental retardation in 37 states and three countries, touching the lives of nearly 10,000 individuals.

Last year, your generous consent to serve as Honorary Chairman of the Best Buddies Ball enabled us to raise \$350,000 to directly assist people with mental retardation. I hope that you will consider serving as Honorary Chairman of our Ninth Annual Art from the Heart Ball on October 18, 1997. My parents, Sargent and Eunice Kennedy Shriver, will host this black-tie dinner at their home in Potomac, Maryland. We anticipate 600 guests, and I know we will have fantastic entertainment, such as the Temptations and Cirque du Soleil who have performed in the past years.

Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

All the best,

Anthony K. Shriver
Chairman

"The only way to have a friend is to be one." Ralph Waldo Emerson

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Please return to Woyneab Wondwossen, Room 937 JUL 2 PM 8:28

Today's Date: July 2, 1997

Date of Request: 6/12/97
Request for: POTUS
Type of Request: Honorary Chairman
Requestor Name: Mr. Talmage E. Simpkins
Title: President
Organization: United Seamen's Service
Suite 2161
One World Trade Center
New York, New York 10048
Contact Tel. #: 212/775-1033
Event Date: 11/7/97
Event Description: 1997 Admiral of the Ocean Sea Awards Dinner

Notes: This annual event recognizes exemplary individuals in the maritime industry. This year's honorees are Stanley H. Barer, Chief Executive Officer of Totem Resources Corporation, a holding company for U.S.-flag maritime companies in the Pacific Northwest, and Senator Ted Stevens. United Seamen's Service operates social centers for seafarers in 10 overseas ports.

John Podesta recommended that the President lend his name in 1993, 1994, and 1995, believing that this is a good group for the President to support. You agreed to lend the President's name last year and Evelyn did so "under protest," believing we should not have lent the President's name in previous years.

There is nothing in our NEXIS search regarding Mr. Barer or Totem that argues against backing this request. I don't have strong feelings, but defer to to John's knowledge regarding labor groups and matters.

The President should ACCEPT.

Recommendation:

TS OK
(Unless otherwise noted, a yes answer will automatically generate a message as well as acceptance of the honorary position).

Comments:

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Honorable William Jefferson Clinton
The White House
Washington, DC 20510

Dear President Clinton:

The Admiral of the Ocean Sea Award continues as the most prestigious honor given annually by the United States maritime community.

This year's recipients are Senator Ted Stevens (R-Alaska) and Stanley Barer, Co-Chairman and CEO of Totem Resources Corporation. We anticipate that again as last year approximately 1,000 of the maritime industry, labor, management, and government leaders will be in attendance on November 7, 1997.

You were most generous in your support in 1993, 1994, 1995 and 1996 by agreeing to serve as Honorary Chairman. Your participation in the past has added immeasurably to the success of our event, and we are most hopeful that you will again accept our request to serve as Honorary Chairman this year.

The event will be held at the Sheraton New York Hotel and Towers. If preliminary interest is an indicator, we anticipate a record crowd. Of course, we would hope that you would be with us on November 7th. However, this is not a prerequisite for serving as Honorary Chairman.

We look forward to hearing from you at an early date and hope for a positive response.

Sincerely,

Talmage E. Simpkins
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President

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FAX COVER SHEET

FAX: (202) 456-2806

TO: Ms. Carmen Fowler, Director, Presidential Messages -- Room #91

FROM: Mr. Talmage E. Simpkins, President, United Seamen's Service

PAGES: 2 **(including cover)**

DATE: June 12, 1997

MESSAGE:

Dear Ms. Fowler:

We would very much appreciate your help again this year
in having President Clinton serve as Honorary Chairman of our
Annual Award Dinner on November 7, 1997. If you need any further
information, please call me at: (202) 955-5662.

Sincerely,

Talmage E. Simpkins
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NOTE: **IF THERE IS ANY PROBLEM WITH**
TRANSMISSION, PLEASE PHONE
R. Sager **AT (202) 955-5662.**

FOR: UNITED SEAMEN'S SERVICE

PRESS CONTACT Barbara Yeninas (201) 226-6260 or Roger Korner at USS (212) 775-1033

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FOR APPROVAL ONLY

Stanley H. Barer and Senator Ted Stevens To Receive 1997 AOTOS Awards

New York, N.Y. - The 1997 Admiral of the Ocean Sea Award will be presented by United Seamen's Service to Stanley H. Barer, Co-chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Totem Resources Corporation (TRC), and The Honorable Ted Stevens, United States Senator from Alaska. The maritime industry's most prestigious honor will be awarded at a gala industry to be held at the Stratton New York Hotel and Towers, New York City, on November 7, 1997.

The announcement was made by John Bowers, Chairman of the USS AOTOS Committee, and President of the International Longshoreman's Association, AFL-CIO.

"The AOTOS Award has grown in stature and scope over the years and it is gratifying to see that tradition endure as we approach its fourth decade," said Mr. Bowers. "Once again, two most distinguished and accomplished American maritime industry supporters have emerged to share in the honors AOTOS bestows. They have been selected by those who know them best - their peers - international transportation leaders who understand very well the challenges and issues which confront United States shipping and the American seafarer."

Mr. Barer and Senator Stevens led the field of nominees for the award, sharing first place among a group which was solicited by USS from more than 200 maritime management, labor, and government officials. All proceeds from the event benefit U.S.S. community services abroad for the U.S. merchant marine.

This year's AOTOS recipients embrace two of the most important sectors of ocean transport in the United States: the carrier community and the government.

Stan Barer sits at the helm of a holding company for U.S. flag maritime entities operating out of the Pacific northwest. Its subsidiary, Totem Ocean Trailer Express, Inc., provides high speed roll-on/roll-off steamship service to Alaska. Poss Maritime Company, another TRC subsidiary, provides tug and barge, shipyard, and environmental services from various locations primarily on the West Coast from San Diego to Alaska and on the Columbia/Snake River system.

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TRC is also a partner in Interocean Uglan Management Corporation, a domestic and world-wide ship crewing, ship management and agency company.

Prior to entering the private practice of law, Mr. Barer served as administrative assistant to U.S. Senator Warren G. Magnuson (Chairman of the U.S. Senate Committee on Commerce). During the 1960s, he served in a variety of capacities with that committee, including maritime counsel, transportation counsel, and acting general counsel. He served as legal advisor to the U.S. delegation to the 1972 United Nations Conference on World Environment at Stockholm Sweden.

In 1979, Mr. Barer negotiated the establishment of reciprocal flag shipping services between the People's Republic of China and the United States. For this accomplishment, he was awarded the Seattle World Trade Club's 1979 award as World Trader of the Year and was awarded the Puget Sound Maritime Press Association's special Award for Excellence. He was selected as the Puget Sound Maritime Man of the Year in 1991 for his years of service to international and domestic shipping. In 1995 Mr. Barer was honored as the Paul Hall Memorial Lecturer and Award recipient. He is a native of the state of Washington.

Few senators occupy as central a place in the nation's public and economic life as Ted Stevens. Now ranked sixth in seniority in the United States Senate, and second among Republicans, he has been a member of that body since December, 1968.

An impassioned representative of the State of Alaska, Senator Stevens is the voice of his people on a wide variety of issues which are unique to the residents of the gigantic region. But he works hard on non-Alaska issues, as well. As chairman of the Appropriations Committee, Senator Stevens also chairs the Defense Appropriations Subcommittee where he has been a strong proponent of defense issues. Stevens served eight years as the Senate's Assistant Republican Leader (the Whip) from 1977 to 1985.

In addition, he serves on the Commerce Committee, as well as its subcommittees on Oceans and Fisheries and Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine, among others. He is a member of the Rules and Administration Committee, and is on temporary leave from the Governmental Affairs Committee. The Senator is also co-chairman of the Senate Arms Control Observer Group and vice chairman of the Joint Committee on the Library.

Born in Indianapolis, Indiana, Senator Stevens has been an Alaskan since the early 1950s. A graduate of UCLA and Harvard Law School, he was a U.S. Attorney in Fairbanks. He also practiced law in Anchorage and Fairbanks, and served two terms as a representative in the Alaska State Legislature, holding positions of majority leader and speaker pro-tem.

During World War II, Stevens was a pilot with the 14th Air Force in China. In the Eisenhower Administration, he was assistant to the Secretary of the Interior and Solicitor of the Interior Department.

"Senator Stevens and Stan Barer are valuable assets to our country's trade and transportation interests," said Talmage E. Simpkins, USS President. "They have devoted their lives to the development of the commerce of the United States and they have devoted their skills to an industry which is all the better for it. As an organization whose mission it is to support those who also move trade forward all over the globe, we salute their efforts on behalf of American seafarers and their families.

Captain Robert Hart, USN (ret.) will be serving as National Committee Chairman. Other committee members and chairmanships will be announced shortly. The two distinguished guests will share their evening with a group of American seafarers who will be honored for their heroic efforts at sea.

USS continues to provide community services for the U.S. Merchant Marine, the American Armed Forces, and the seafarers of the world. USS, a non-profit agency established in 1942, operates centers in ten foreign ports in Europe, Asia, and in the Indian Ocean, and also provides seagoing libraries to American vessels through its affiliate, the American Merchant Marine Library Association.

Roger Korner is Executive Director of USS and AMMLA. Information about the gala and on ticket and advertising journal information is available from AOTOS Coordinator, Barbara Spector Yeninas at (201) 226-6260 or USS at (212) 775-1262.

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