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April 21, 1975

Dear Bill:

I just want to tell you what a real pleasure it was to see you and your lovely wife Betty when you came to the White House last week. The beautiful ivory elephant you so thoughtfully brought is a welcome addition to my collection and will serve as a constant reminder of your friendship. Many, many thanks!

With warmest personal regards.

Sincerely,

JERRY FORD

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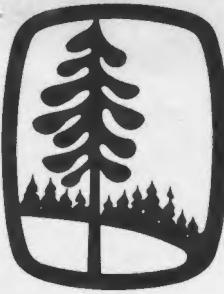
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Bill Deitch

D/ Thanks for beautiful
new elephant.

Deputy Finance Chairman - RNC
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Bought elephants in the islands
(lower antilles) last week on vacation

He and his wife Betty were in the
oval office with my group.

Thanks for everything --

Call if you need me



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