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QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION
WITH THE PRESIDENT

THE SHERATON PARK HOTEL

9:38 P.M. EST

QUESTION: Mr. President, what do you think of the results in Florida?

THE PRESIDENT: Well, naturally I was extremely pleased with the wonderful job all of our people did in Florida. They just did a tremendous job. I am delighted with the effort that was made but also the deep conviction that our people had and I am just overjoyed with the results.

QUESTION: Does this mean you are on the way? Do you think it is time for your opponents to get out of the race?

THE PRESIDENT: Oh, I would not get into that. Tonight is not a night to talk about victory except to thank people for the fine job they did.

QUESTION: Mr. President, thank you.

THE PRESIDENT: Thank you.

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(AT 9:40 P.M. EST)