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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

November 4, 1974

Dear Mr. Ruth:

Attached is a list containing the names of people who hold or who are being considered for appointment to public positions of trust and confidence. In appraising their suitability for office, it would be helpful to have the benefit of any adverse knowledge held by the Watergate Special Prosecution Force. We would, therefore, be grateful for such information and advice as you think it appropriate to provide.

Out of an excess of caution, let me say that making this inquiry does not imply that any adverse material is known or expected.

We appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,



Phillip E. Areeda  
Counsel to the President

The Honorable Henry S. Ruth, Jr.  
Special Prosecutor  
Watergate Special Prosecution Force  
Department of Justice  
1425 K Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20005

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Letter from Henry Ruth 11/5/74 re Louis Thompson  
and Frank Carlucci:

"After checking with our  
various task forces I can  
report that neither of the  
above named individuals is  
the subject of any investigation  
conducted by the Watergate  
Special Prosecution Force."





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OK 11/8 JAMES R. HOLLAND

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OK 11/8 JOHN W. HUSHEN

OK 11/8 VERNON C. LOEN

OK 11/8 CHARLES MOTT

OK 11/7 GERALD L. WARREN

OK 11/8 DONALD A. WEBSTER



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 5, 1974

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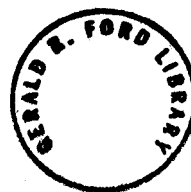
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Special Prosecutor  
Watergate Special Prosecution Force  
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Washington, D. C. 20005



*to Henry Ruth*  
*11/6/74*

ANNE L. ARMSTRONG

OK 12/9 DAVID C. HOOPES

DEAN BURCH

"12/9 JERRY H. JONES

OK 12/9 ROBERT T. HARTMANN

OK 12/9 CHARLES M. LICHENSTEIN

OK 12/9 JOHN O. MARSH, JR.

OK 12/9 THEODORE C. MARRS

DONALD RUMSFELD

OK 12/9 PAUL A. MILTICH

OK 12/9 ROY L. ASH

OK 12/9 JOHN E. NIDECKER

"12/9 WILLIAM J. BARODY, JR.

"12/9 PATRICK E. O'DONNELL

" KENNETH R. COLE, JR.

OK 12/9 TERRENCE O'DONNELL

OK 12/9 L. WILLIAM SEIDMAN

OK 12/9 WARREN S. RUSTAND

"12/9 WILLIAM E. TIMMONS

OK 12/9 STANLEY S. SCOTT

OK 12/9 RONALD H. NESSEN

OK 12/9 W. J. USERY, JR.

OK 12/9 MAJ. GEN. RICHARD L. LAWSON OK 12/9 ROBERT D. LINDER

OK 12/9 MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF

OK 12/9 NANCY LAMMERDING

TOM C. KOROLOGOS

OK 12/9 REAR ADM. WM. M. LUKASH

OK 12/9 LT. GEN. BRENT SCOWCROFT OK 12/9 REX W. SCOUTEN

OK 12/9 VIRGINIA H. KNAUER

OK 12/9 WILBURN EUGENE AINSWORTH, JR.

OK 12/9 FERNANDO E. C. DE BACA

OK 12/9 THOMAS P. DE CAIR

OK 12/9 ROLAND L. ELLIOTT

OK 12/9 MICHAEL J. FARRELL

"12/9 WILLIAM HENKEL, JR.



OK 12/9 ANDREW M. BUCKLES

OK 12/9 JAMES H. CAVANAUGH

OK 12/9 W. DEWEY CLOWER

OK 12/9 JAMES H. FALK

OK 12/9 WARREN K. HENDRICKS

"19/75 JANA L. HRUSKA

OK 12/9 PAMELA G. NEEDHAM

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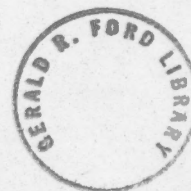
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OK 12/9 WALLY SCOTT  
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OK 12/9 DALE R. McOMBER  
OK 12/9 EDWARD PRESTON  
OK 12/9 WILFRED ROMMEL  
OK 12/9 DENNIS H. WOOD  
OK 12/9 STANLEY EBNER  
OK 12/9 VELMA BALDWIN  
OK 12/9 JOSEPH LAITIN



OK 12/9 MILDRED V. LEONARD  
OK 12/9 OLIVER F. ATKINS  
OK 12/9 ROBERT A. MEAD  
OK 12/9 SANFORD L. FOX  
OK 12/9 DAVID HUME KENNERLY  
OK 12/9 NANCY M. HOWE  
OK 12/9 RICARDO P. THOMAS  
OK 12/9 SANDRA L. EISERT  
OK 12/9 RICHARD H. LUKSTAT



OK 12/9 JOHN G. CARLSON  
OK 12/9 POWELL A. MOORE  
OK 12/9 SAMUEL A. SCHULHOF  
OK 12/9 ARAM BAKSHIAN, JR.  
OK 12/9 JOHN S. GUTHRIE  
OK 12/9 FRANK R. PAGNOTTA  
OK 12/9 ROBERT G. SHAW  
OK 12/9 PAUL A. THEIS  
OK 12/9 ANDRE E. LeTENDRE  
OK 12/9 ALLEN PARMENTER  
OK 12/9 DAVID D. SMYTH  
OK 12/9 BYRON M. CAVANEY, JR.  
OK 12/9 MILTON A. FRIEDMAN  
OK 12/9 GREGORI LEBEDEV  
OK 12/9 JOHN C. CALHOUN  
OK 12/9 J. CURTIS FEE  
OK 12/9 AGNES M. WALDRON  
OK 12/9 ROBIN B. MARTIN  
OK 12/9 ELISKA A. HASEK  
OK 12/9 RONALD J. NAPLES  
OK 12/9 JOHN COYNE  
OK 12/9 ANDREW J. COMBE  
OK 12/9 JEFFREY P. EVES  
OK 12/9 BEVERLY J. SPLANE  
OK 12/9 ANNE E. HIGGINS  
OK 12/9 FREDERICK W. SLIGHT  
OK 12/9 ROBERT L. KNUDSEN  
OK 12/9 PATRICIA S. LINDH  
OK 12/9 WAYNE H. VALIS  
OK 12/9 ERIC H. ROSENBERGER  
OK 12/9 GERTRUDE B. FRY  
OK 12/9 JANE M. DANNENHAUER  
OK 12/9 IRA DAVID WHEAT, JR.





*to Henry Ruth  
by messenger 11/8/74*

OK 11/19 ROBERT C. HILL

*See letter dated 11/19*

JOHN P. HUMES

OK 11/19 LEONARD K. FIRESTONE

OK 11/19 PHILIP K. CROWE

OK 11/19 JOHN SHERMAN COOPER

OK 11/19 JAMES F. CAMPBELL

*See letter dated 11/19*

JOHN V. KREHBIEL

OK 11/19 KENNETH RUSH

OK 11/19 SHIRLEY TEMPLE BLACK

OK 11/19 PHILIP V. SANCHEZ

OK 11/19 DANIEL P. MOYNIHAN

RICHARD M. HELMS

OK 11/19 JOHN D. J. MOORE

OK 11/19 KENNETH B. KEATING

OK 11/19 JOHN A. VOLPE

*See letter dated 11/19*

SUMNER GERARD

OK 11/19 JAMES D. HODGSON

*See letter dated 11/19*

ANTHONY D. MARSHALL

DR. RUTH L. FARKAS

OK 11/19 ROBERT G. NEWMANN

*See letter dated 11/19* KINGDON GOULD, JR.

OK 11/19 ARMISTEAD SELDEN



OK 11/19 HENRY A. BYROADE

OK 11/19 STUART NASH SCOTT

OK 11/19 JOHN G. HURD

OK 11/19 ADMIRAL HORACIO RIVERO

OK 11/19 ROBERT STRAUSZ-HUPE

*See letter dated 11/19* SHELBY C. DAVIS

OK 11/19 WILLIAM R. KINTNER

*See letter dated 11/19* LLOYD IVAN MILLER

OK 11/19 ROBERT MC CLINTOCK

OK 11/19 ELLSWORTH BUNKER

*See letter dated 11/19* HENRY E. CATTO, JR.

OK 11/19 PAUL REX BEACH

JOHN A. SCALI

OK 11/19 FRANCIS L. DALE

OK 11/19 WILLIAM C. TURNER

OK 11/19 GERALD F. TAPE

OK 11/19 WILLIAM S. MAILLIARD

OK 11/19 JOHN REESE STEVENSON

OK 11/19 HAROLD B. MALMGREN

OK 11/19 STANLEY RESOR



WATERGATE SPECIAL PROSECUTION FORCE  
United States Department of Justice  
1425 K Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20005

November 7, 1974

Phillip E. Areeda, Esq.  
Counsel to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Areeda:

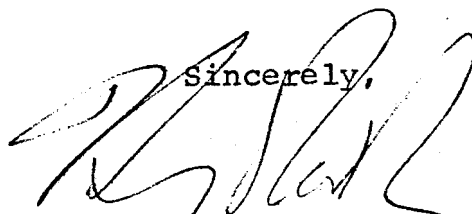
This is in response to your inquiries of November 4, 1974, concerning individuals who hold or who are being considered for appointment to public positions of trust and confidence.

After checking with our various task forces, I can report that none of the persons listed below are the subject of any investigation conducted by the Watergate Special Prosecution Force.

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|----------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. Donald M. Carlson | 12. Gerald L. Warren         |
| 2. Robert J. Corber  | 13. Birge S. Watkins         |
| 3. Andrew E. Gibson  | 14. M. Alan Woods            |
| 4. Charles H. Hight  | 15. Russell W. Freeburg      |
| 5. Robert Kelly      | 16. Philip L. Warden         |
| 6. Joseph F. Lackey  | 17. Philip W. Buchen         |
| 7. John Wm. Roberts  | 18. Phillip E. Areeda        |
| 8. Edward J. Savage  | 19. William E. Casselman, II |
| 9. Wayne W. Sharp    | 20. Kenneth A. Lazarus       |
| 10. Sydney J. Shuman | 21. Dudley H. Chapman        |
| 11. Larry M. Speakes | 22. Jay T. French            |

As stated above, Gerald L. Warren is not the subject of any investigation conducted by this Office. Without presuming to reflect upon Mr. Warren's personal competence or integrity, I assume that those who assess his proposed appointment will examine or have examined the statements he made on behalf of the former Administration.

Sincerely,



HENRY S. RUTH, JR.  
Special Prosecutor





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WATERGATE SPECIAL PROSECUTION FORCE  
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November 8, 1974

Phillip E. Areeda, Esq.  
Counsel to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Areeda:

This is in response to your inquiry of November 5, 1974, concerning individuals who hold or who are being considered for appointment to public positions of trust and confidence.

After checking with our various task forces, I can report that none of the persons listed below are the subject of any investigation conducted by the Watergate Special Prosecution Force.

1. Robert A. Goldwin
2. James R. Holland
3. John W. Hushen
4. Vernon C. Loen
5. Charles Mott
6. Donald A. Webster



Mr. John Hushen, who is listed above, has been interviewed in our Offices and has testified before the grand jury. While Mr. Hushen may appear as a witness for the Government, we have no evidence of any culpability or impropriety on his part. To our knowledge, he has been completely truthful and cooperative.

Sincerely,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "H. S. Ruth, Jr.".

HENRY S. RUTH, JR.  
Special Prosecutor



Jane

OK 11/18 NOEL C. BUFE

OK 11/18 THOMAS G. CODY

OK 11/18 WILLIAM I. GREENER, JR.

OK 11/18 BERNARD A. MEANEY

OK 11/18 ROBERT C. SEAMANS, JR.

OK 11/18 JAMES A. MICHENER

OK 11/18 OTTO G. STOLZ

OK 11/18 LUTRELLE F. PARKER

OK 11/18 GORDON H. SCHERER

OK 11/18 EDWARD A. MASON

OK 11/18 CHARLES E. SCHWAB

OK 11/18 GEORGE LENCZOWSKI

OK 11/18 DR. MARGARET HARTZ

OK 11/18 ERNEST LE ROY BOYER

OK 11/18 JON W. FULLER

OK 11/18 JOANNE MARIE CARLSON

OK 11/18 KATHERINE K. BURGESS

OK 11/18 AGNES M. DILL

OK 11/18 MARY BETH PETERS

OK 11/18 GERALD WEAVER

OK 11/18 BENJAMIN H. DE MOTT

OK 11/18 SR. J. JOYCE ROWLAND

OK 11/18 MARSHA JEAN DARLING

OK 11/18 THERESA A. SHEPRO

OK 11/18 MARY LOIS ALLEN

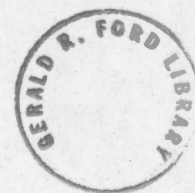
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OK 11/18 DR. M. ANNE CAMPBELL

OK 11/18 ALBERT E. REES

OK 11/18 WILLIAM A. ANDERS

OK 11/18 HOLLY KNOX



To Henry Ruth

11/10/74

to H. Ruth 4/4

Jane

OK 4/18 JOHN R. STILES

OK 4/18 JOSEPH RICHARD COUPAL

OK 4/18 MICHAEL SHAMUS

MARY LOUIS SMITH

OK 4/18 DAVID HARTQUIST

OK 10/3 ~~RICHARD CHENEY~~ (We have a letter dated 10/3/74 from  
Mr. Jaworski.)



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October 8, 1974

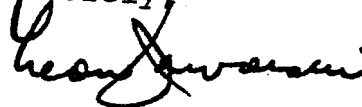
Philip W. Buchen, Esquire  
Counsel to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Buchen:

This is in response to your inquiries of  
October 3, 1974, concerning Richard Cheney and  
Brenda Williams.

After checking with our various task forces,  
I can report that neither of the above-named  
individuals is under consideration by the  
Watergate Special Prosecution Force for filing  
of charges.

Sincerely,



LEON JAWORSKI  
Special Prosecutor





October 3, 1974

Dear Mr. Jaworski:

Re: Brenda Williams

We would appreciate your advising us at your earliest convenience whether or not the above-named individual is under consideration by the Watergate Special Prosecution Force for filing of charges.

Your cooperation is much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Philip W. Buchen  
Counsel to the President

The Honorable Leon Jaworski  
Special Prosecutor  
Watergate Special Prosecution Force  
United States Department of Justice  
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 12, 1974

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: PHILLIP AREEDA *PA*

SUBJECT: Peter Flanigan

You must decide whether to resubmit the name of Peter Flanigan for the post of Ambassador to Spain. I understand that Flanigan's name was checked with the Special Prosecutor's office before you nominated him. Jaworski said that no charge was contemplated against him on the basis of information then possessed. Jaworski also said, however, that the White House might wish to consider the testimony concerning Mr. Flanigan by Mr. Herbert Kalmbach before the House Judiciary Committee relating to the Ambassadorial nomination of Mrs. Ruth Farkas.

Senator Scott -- and perhaps the White House as well -- said that Flanigan had been given a complete bill of health by Jaworski. This was not true.

If Kalmbach is to be believed, Flanigan violated the law. Flanigan disputes Kalmbach's account. We are not in a position to resolve their conflicting statements of fact. (Flanigan also says that he was instrumental in impeding Ambassadorial appointments for certain other contributors who were unqualified.)

After talking with the Special Prosecutor's office, it is my impression that charges are not likely to be brought against Flanigan, but that the Farkas investigation is very much open, that more information is expected both from the witnesses and from the Nixon documents, and that future charges against Flanigan are a possibility. The ITT and ARMCO investigations are also still open.



Hearings on Flanigan's nomination will give, of course, great publicity to the fund raising tactics and appointments policy of the prior Administration. The ITT and ARMCO matters will also be resurrected.

Because such publicity redounds to the detriment of this Administration and because there is a doubt about Flanigan's conduct (on limited data available to us), I recommend that Flanigan's name not be resubmitted to the Senate. Secretary Kissinger should, of course, be consulted.



THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON



State Dept Summary

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that Kissinger  
sign.

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

11/11/74

MEMORANDUM FOR  
PHILLIP AREEDA

FROM: Jane Dannenhauer *Jud*

SUBJECT: Peter Flanigan

Attached is a copy of the October 10th  
letter you requested plus the article  
referred to from the Star-News.







UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535

October 10, 1974

BY LIAISON

Miss Jane Dannenhauer  
Staff Assistant (Security)  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Miss Dannenhauer:

By letter dated September 25, 1974, Mr. Kenneth W. Knauf, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Security, furnished a copy of an article which appeared in the "Washington Star-News," Washington, D. C., on September 23, 1974, containing information concerning Mr. Peter Magnus Flanigan. This article referred to Mr. Flanigan's possible involvement in the selection of certain financial contributors for Ambassadorial posts. Mr. Knauf requested to be furnished any information in the possession of the FBI concerning this allegation. He requested that the records of the Special Prosecution Force be checked for any pertinent information in this regard and that it be ascertained whether or not any action is contemplated by that organization concerning Mr. Flanigan. A copy of the article referred to by Mr. Knauf is attached.

It is noted that The White House and the Department of State were previously furnished summary memoranda dated April 22, 1969; April 28, 1969; and April 9, 1974, containing the results of applicant-type investigations concerning Mr. Flanigan.

The Special Prosecution Force has advised that, on the basis of evidence presently known, the bringing of charges against Mr. Flanigan is not contemplated. It was stated that some of the details concerning the matter referred to in the previously mentioned newspaper article are contained in the published testimony of Herbert W. Kalmbach before the Committee on the Judiciary, United States House of Representatives.



Miss Jane Dannenhauer

The files of the FBI contain no additional ✓  
information concerning this matter.

The foregoing is also being furnished to the  
Department of State.

Sincerely yours,

*Clarence M. Kelley*  
Clarence M. Kelley  
Director

Enclosure





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# Watergate Fallout Hurts

By James R. Polk  
Star-News Staff Writer

CONCORD, N.H. — The controversy over a congressman's help for a \$300,000 campaign donor in becoming ambassador to Luxembourg has turned

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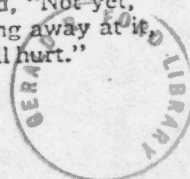
part of a probe known to be centered on former Nixon fund raiser Maurice H. Stans, but the letter said no inference should be drawn from this.

Campaigning over the weekend in a Nashua shopping center, the New Hampshire congressman paus-

early Wyman.

Thomason later said there would be no immediate swing of votes because of Loeb's stand, "Not yet," Thomson said. "If he keeps hammering away at it and if there's some basis for it, then it'll hurt."

Washington Star-News  
Washington, D. C.  
September 23, 1974



*All to  
Flanagan  
my Spec Proc*  
TO:

WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

Date 11-11-74

Phil AREEDA

FROM: WILLIAM TIMMONS

FOR YOUR INFORMATION \_\_\_\_\_

FOR YOUR COMMENTS \_\_\_\_\_

FOR APPROPRIATE HANDLING \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER *As requested*



MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

dear eagleton

oct. 1

i am responding to your question regarding any white house inquiry to this office about Mr. Peter Flanigan. In recent weeks the White House did inquire as to Mr. Flanigan's status in any investigation by this office. The White House indicated that Mr. Flanigan was under consideration for an ambassadorial post. This office informed the White House that based on the evidence now in this office no charge was contemplated against Mr. Flanigan. We did point out that the appropriate persons within the White House may wish to consider the testimony concerning Mr. Flanigan by Mr. Herbert Kalmbach before the House Judiciary Committee relating to the ambassadorial nomination of Mrs. Ruth Farkas. I trust that the above information fully responds to your inquiry.

Sincerely,

Jawroski



*Jne*

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 12, 1974

Dear Mr. Ruth:

*OK  
11/15/74*

Mr. Howard Cohen and Mr. William N. Walker either hold or are being considered for appointment to public positions of trust and confidence. In appraising their suitability for office, it would be helpful to have the benefit of any adverse knowledge held by the Watergate Special Prosecution Force. We would, therefore, be grateful for such information and advice as you think it appropriate to provide.

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We appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Phillip E. Areeda  
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*Hand Carried  
to Ruth 11/12/74*

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November 15, 1974

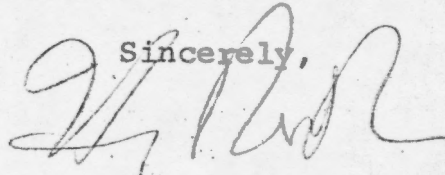
Phillip E. Areeda, Esq.  
Counsel to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Areeda:

This is in response to your inquiry of  
November 12, 1974, concerning William N. Walker.

After checking with our various task forces,  
I can report that Mr. Walker is not the subject  
of any investigation conducted by the Watergate  
Special Prosecution Force.

Sincerely,



HENRY S. RUTH, JR.  
Special Prosecutor





OK 11/25 WILLIAM B. JONES  
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OK 11/25 JOHN R. NESBITT  
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OK 11/25 JENNIFER A. FITZGERALD  
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OK 11/25 JOHN J. RATCHFORD

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OK 11/25 MARJORIE F. WICKLEIN  
OK 11/25 NELLIE L. YATES  
OK 11/25 RAY M. ZOOK  
OK 11/25 J. ROBINSON WEST  
OK 11/25 ROBERT W. KELLUM  
OK 11/25 EARL M. KULP  
OK 11/25 DONALD S. LOWITZ  
OK 11/25 EDWARD A. MC CABE  
OK 11/25 GERALD D. MORGAN  
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OK 11/25 ROBERT ORBEN  
OK 11/25 JOHN E. ROBSON  
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November 14, 1974

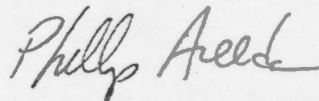
Dear Mr. Ruth:

Attached is a list containing the names of people who hold or who are being considered for appointment to public positions of trust and confidence. In appraising their suitability for office, it would be helpful to have the benefit of any adverse knowledge held by the Watergate Special Prosecution Force. We would, therefore, be grateful for such information and advice as you think it appropriate to provide.

Out of an excess of caution, let me say that making this inquiry does not imply that any adverse material is known or expected.

We appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,



Phillip E. Areeda  
Counsel to the President

The Honorable Henry S. Ruth, Jr.  
Special Prosecutor  
Watergate Special Prosecution Force  
Department of Justice  
1425 K Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20005





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OK 11/25 ARTHUR HUMMEL  
OK 11/25 CARMEN J. BLONDIN  
OK 11/25 HAROLD Z. HANSEN  
OK 11/25 GERALD L. PARSKY  
OK 11/25 ALFRED J. EGGERS, JR.  
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OK 11/25 JAMES M. CROWE  
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To Henry Ruth  
11/18/74

WATERGATE SPECIAL PROSECUTION FORCE  
United States Department of Justice  
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November 18, 1974

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Dear Mr. Areeda:

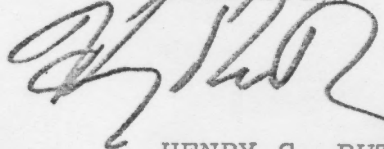
This is in response to your inquiries of November 11, 1974, concerning persons who already hold or whom you intend to appoint to public positions of trust and confidence.

After checking with our various task forces, I can report that the persons listed below are not the subject of any investigation conducted by the Watergate Special Prosecution Force:

Noel C. Bufo  
Thomas G. Cody  
William I. Greener, Jr.  
Bernard A. Meaney  
Robert C. Seamans, Jr.  
James A. Michener  
Otto G. Stolz  
Lutrelle F. Parker  
Gordon H. Scherer  
Edward A. Mason  
Charles E. Schwab  
George Lenczowski  
Dr. Margaret Hartz  
Ernest LeRoy Boyer  
Jon W. Fuller  
Joanne Marie Carlson  
Katherine K. Burgess

Agness M. Dill  
Mary Beth Peters  
Gerald Weaver  
Benjamin H. DeMott  
Sr. J. Joyce Rowland  
Marsha Jean Darling  
Theresa A. Shepro  
Mary Lois Allen  
Bernice Sandler  
Dr. M. Anne Campbell  
Albert E. Rees  
William A. Anders  
Holly Knox  
John R. Stiles  
Joseph Richard Couper  
Michael Shamus  
David Hartquist

sincerely,



HENRY S. RUTH, JR.  
Special Prosecutor

