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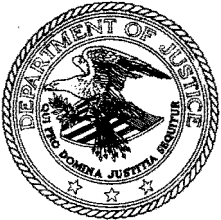
**THE WHITE HOUSE**  
**WASHINGTON**

**November 7, 1975**

**TO: Phil**

**FM: Ken**

**Attached are the two  
pieces of correspondence  
we discussed.**



Office of the Attorney General  
Washington, D. C. 20530

November 6, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR:

PHIL BUCHEN

FROM:

*EAR* THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

In response to your request, I enclose herewith a list of those I should think you would wish to invite to the White House dinner honoring the Federal judiciary.

Also enclosed is a supplemental list which I suggest you consider in the event some of the primary invitees are unable to accept the invitation.



FEDERAL JUDGES  
(Recommended by Department of Justice)

Honorable Arlin M. Adams  
United States Circuit Judge  
Philadelphia, Pa. 19107  
215-597-7317

Honorable Alfred A. Arraj  
Chief Justice, U.S. District Court  
U.S. Courthouse  
Denver, Colorado 80202  
303-837-4177

Honorable David L. Bazelon  
Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals  
Washington, D.C. 20001  
202-426-7118

Honorable Richard H. Chambers  
Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals  
U.S. Court of Appeals and  
Post Office Building  
San Francisco, California 94101 (415-556-2160)

Honorable Edward Thaxter Gignoux  
United States District Judge  
Portland, Maine 04112  
207-775-3280

Honorable Walter Hoffman  
Director, Federal Judicial Center  
Dolley Madison House  
1520 H Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20005  
202-393-1640 ext. 501

Honorable Edwin F. Hunter, Jr.  
Chief Judge, U.S. District Court  
P.O. Box 1337  
Lake Charles, La. 70501  
318-436-3396

Honorable Shirley M. Hufstedler  
United States Circuit Judge  
United States Courthouse  
Los Angeles, California 90012  
213-688-3465

Honorable Frank M. Johnson, Jr.  
Chief Judge, U.S. District Court  
P.O. Box 35  
Montgomery, Alabama 36101  
205-263-1978



Honorable Cornelia G. Kennedy  
United States District Judge  
Federal Building  
Detroit, Michigan 48226  
313-226-6893

Honorable Irving R. Kaufman  
Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals  
U.S. Courthouse  
Foley Square  
New York, New York 10007  
212-791-0915

Honorable Frederick B. Lacey  
United States District Judge  
U.S. Courthouse  
Newark, New Jersey 07101  
201-645-2463

Honorable Wade H. McCree, Jr.  
United States Circuit Judge  
700 Federal Building  
Detroit, Michigan 48226  
313-266-6014

Honorable Carl McGowan  
United States Circuit Judge  
Washington, D.C. 20001  
202-426-7132

Honorable Jacob Mishler  
Chief Judge, U.S. District Court  
U.S. Courthouse  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Brooklyn, New York 11201  
212-596-5151

Honorable William H. Orrick, Jr.  
United States District Judge  
P.O. Box 36060  
San Francisco, California 94102  
415-556-5286

Honorable Charles B. Renfrew  
United States District Judge  
P.O. Box 36060  
San Francisco, California 94102  
415-556-1727

Honorable William H. Webster  
United States Circuit Judge  
533 U.S. Courthouse  
1114 Market Street  
St. Louis, Missouri 63101  
314-622-5601

Honorable Frank W. Wilson  
Chief Judge, U.S. District Court  
317 Federal Building  
Chattanooga, Tennessee 37402  
615-267-3653

Honorable John Minor Wisdom  
United States Circuit Judge  
600 Camp Street  
New Orleans, Louisiana 70130  
504-589-2733

Honorable Albert J. Engel  
Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals  
U.S. Courthouse  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

Honorable A. Leon Higginbotham, Jr.  
U.S. District Court  
Eastern District of Pennsylvania  
5000 U.S. Courthouse  
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U.S. Circuit Court  
156 Federal Street  
Portland, Maine 04112 207-775-3291

Honorable Collins J. Seitz, Chief Judge  
U. S. Circuit Court  
Wilmington, Delaware 19801 302-571-6159

Honorable Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., Chief Judge  
U. S. Circuit Court  
Greenville, South Carolina 29603 803-232-4333

Honorable John R. Brown, Chief Judge  
U. S. Circuit Court  
U. S. Courthouse  
Houston, Texas 77002 713-226-4517

Honorable Harry Phillips, Chief Judge  
U. S. Circuit Court  
Nashville, Tennessee 37203 615-749-5447

Honorable Thomas E. Fairchild, Chief Judge  
U. S. Circuit Court  
Chicago, Illinois 60604 312-435-5800

Honorable Floyd R. Gibson, Chief Judge  
U. S. Circuit Court  
Kansas City, Missouri 64106 816-374-3169

Honorable David T. Lewis, Chief Judge  
U.S. Circuit Court  
4201 Federal Building  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84138 801-524-5173

Honorable Alfred T. Goodwin  
U.S. Circuit Court  
Pioneer Court House  
Portland, Oregon 97204 503-221-2184

Honorable Paul H. Roney  
U.S. Circuit Court  
St. Petersburg, Florida 33701 813-893-3296

Honorable J. Clifford Wallace  
U.S. Circuit Court  
110 West C Street  
San Diego, California 92101

Honorable John Paul Stevens  
U.S. Circuit Court  
Chicago, Illinois 60604 312-435-5820

Honorable Henry J. Friendly  
U.S. Circuit Court  
U.S. Court House, Foley Square  
New York, New York 10007 212-791-0936

SUPPLEMENTAL LIST

Honorable Philip W. Tone  
U. S. Circuit Court  
Chicago, Illinois 60604 312-435-5806

Honorable Herbert Y. C. Choy  
U. S. Circuit Judge  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813 808-546-7144

Honorable Wilson Cowen  
Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Claims  
717 Madison Place, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20005 202-382-8446

Honorable Nils A. Boe  
Chief Judge, U.S. Customs Court  
One Federal Plaza  
New York, New York 10007 212-264-2800

List of  
invitees

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

November 10, 1975

MEMO FOR: MARIA DOWNS  
FROM: KEN LAZARUS

Pursuant to your phone request, attached is a supplemental list of possible invitees to the White House dinner honoring the Federal Judiciary on November 24.

Kindly advise if we can be of further assistance.

Attachment



Honorable Philip W. Tone  
U. S. Circuit Court  
Chicago, Illinois 60604  
312-435-5806

612 South Clifton Avenue  
Park Ridge, Illinois 60068  
Married - (Gretchen)

Honorable Herbert Y. C. Choy  
U. S. Circuit Judge  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813  
808-546-7144

3964 Monterey Place  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96816  
Married - (Dorothy)

Honorable Wilson Cowen  
Chief Judge, U. S. Court of Claims  
717 Madison Place, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20005  
202-382-8446

2500 Virginia Avenue, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20037  
Married - (Florence)

Honorable Nils A. Boe  
Chief Judge, U. S. Customs Court  
One Federal Plaza  
New York, New York 10007

71 Island Drive  
N. Manursing Island  
Rye, New York 10580  
Marital Status Unknown

Honorable Roger Robb  
U. S. Circuit Judge  
Washington, D. C. 20001  
202-426-7457

1700 Hoban Road, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20007  
Married - (Lillian)



List

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 7, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: MARIA DOWNS

FROM: KEN LAZARUS

SUBJECT: Revised Tab C -- "Federal Judges";  
White House Dinner Honoring  
the Federal Judiciary

Attached are the names of the Federal Judges we recommend be invited to the dinner honoring the Federal Judiciary on November 24. This revised list should be substituted for the list at Tab C forwarded to you by my memorandum of October 31. However, you might be interested to know that only ten names have been changed.

Thank you for your assistance.



Honorable Arlin H. Adams  
United States Circuit Judge  
Philadelphia, Pa. 19107  
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Honorable Alfred A. Arraj  
Chief Judge, U. S. District Court  
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Denver, Colorado 80202  
303-837-4177

Honorable David L. Bazelon  
Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals  
Washington, D. C. 20001  
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Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals  
U. S. Court of Appeals and  
Post Office Building  
San Francisco, California 94101  
415-556-2160

Honorable Edward Thaxter Gignoux  
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Portland, Maine 04112  
207-775-3280

Honorable Walter Hoffman  
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Honorable Edwin F. Hunter, Jr.  
Chief Judge, U. S. District Court  
P. O. Box 1337  
Lake Charles, Louisiana 70601  
318-435-3395

Honorable Shirley M. Hufstadler  
United States Circuit Judge  
United States Courthouse  
Los Angeles, California 90012  
213-638-3465

Honorable Frank M. Johnson, Jr.  
Chief Judge, U. S. District Court  
P. O. Box 35  
Montgomery, Alabama 36101  
205-263-1978

(3006 Foxx Lane  
Philadelphia, Pa. 19144)  
Married - (Heysa)

(200 Ivy Street  
Denver, Colorado 80220)  
Married - (Hedge)

(2700 Virginia Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20037)  
Married - (Miriam)

(333 South Alvernon  
Tucson, Arizona 85711  
25 El Cerrito  
San Mateo, California 94402)  
Married - (Mary)

(Starboard Lane  
Cumberland Foreside  
Portland, Maine 04110)  
Married - (Hildegarda)

(5737 Shenandoah Avenue  
Norfolk, Virginia 23509)  
Married - (Helen)

(1000 Bayou Oak Lane  
Lake Charles, Louisiana 70601)  
Married - (Shirley)

(720 W. Inverness Drive  
Pasadena, California 91103)  
Married - (Seth)

(118 North Haardt Drive  
Montgomery, Alabama 36105)  
Married - (Ruth)

Honorable Cornelia G. Kennedy  
United States District Judge  
Federal Building  
Detroit, Michigan 48225  
313-226-6893

Honorable Irving R. Kaufman  
Chief Judge, U. S. Court of Appeals  
U. S. Courthouse  
Foley Square  
New York, New York 10007  
212-791-0915

Honorable Frederick B. Lacey  
United States District Judge  
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Honorable Wade H. McCree, Jr.  
United States Circuit Judge  
700 Federal Building  
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Honorable Carl McGowan  
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Honorable William H. Orrick, Jr.  
United States District Judge  
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San Francisco, California 94102  
415-556-5286

Honorable Charles B. Renfrew  
United States District Judge  
P. O. Box 36060  
San Francisco, California 94102  
415-556-1727

(1155 Sunningdale  
Grosse Pointe Woods, Mich. 48236)  
Married - (Charles)

(1185 Park Avenue  
New York, New York 10028)  
Married - (Helen)

(151 Ridgewood Avenue  
Glen Ridge, New Jersey 07028)  
Married - (Mary)

(1324 Nicolet Place  
Detroit, Michigan 48207)  
Married - (Dores)

(4717 Quebec Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20016)  
Married - (Josephine)

(102-10-66th Road  
Forest Hills, New York 11375)  
Married - (Helen)

(6 Presidio Terrace  
San Francisco, California 94118)  
Married - (Marion)

(21 Fifth Avenue  
San Francisco, California 94118)  
Married - (Susan)

Honorable William H. Webster  
United States Circuit Judge  
533 U. S. Courthouse  
1114 Market Street  
St. Louis, Missouri 63101  
314-622-5601

(49 E. Main Lane  
St. Louis, Missouri 63124)  
Married - (Orue)

Honorable Frank W. Wilson ✓  
Chief Judge, U. S. District Court  
317 Federal Building  
Chattanooga, Tennessee 37402  
615-267-3653

(103 Stratford Way  
Signal Mountain, Tennessee 37377)  
Married - (Helen)

Honorable John Minor Wisdom  
United States Circuit Judge  
600 Camp Street  
New Orleans, Louisiana 70130  
504-589-2733

(1732 Palmer Avenue  
New Orleans, Louisiana 70118  
Marital Status (Unknown)

Honorable Albert J. Engel ✓  
Judge  
U. S. Court of Appeals  
U. S. Courthouse  
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

(7287 Denison Drive, S.E.  
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49506  
Married - (Eloise)

Honorable A. Leon Higginbotham, Jr. ✓  
U. S. District Court  
Eastern District of Pennsylvania  
5000 U. S. Courthouse  
Phila., Pennsylvania 19107

(44 West Upsal Street  
Phila., Pennsylvania 19119  
Married - (Jeanne)

Honorable Frank M. Coffin, Chief Judge ✓  
U.S. Circuit Court  
156 Federal Street  
Portland, Maine 04112 207-775-3291

(One Ocean Road  
South Portland, Maine 04106)  
Married - (Ruth)

Honorable Collins J. Seitz, Chief Judge ✓  
U. S. Circuit Court  
Wilmington, Delaware 19801 302-571-6159

(410 Stafford Road  
Woodbrook  
Wilmington, Delaware 19303  
Married - (Virginia)

Honorable Clement F. Haynsworth, Jr., Chief Judge ✓  
U. S. Circuit Court  
Greenville, South Carolina 29603 803-232-4333

(415 Crescent Avenue  
Greenville, South Carolina 29603  
Married - (Dorothy)

Honorable John R. Brown, Chief Judge  
U. S. Circuit Court  
U. S. Courthouse  
Houston, Texas 77002 713-226-4517

(3209 Ella Lee Lane  
Houston, Texas 77019)  
Married - (Mary Lou)



<p>Honorable Harry Phillips, Chief Judge U. S. Circuit Court Nashville, Tennessee 37203 615-749-5447</p>	<p>(20) Wimbledon Road Nashville, Tennessee 37215) Married - (Virginia)</p>
<p>Honorable Thomas E. Fairchild, Chief Judge U. S. Circuit Court Chicago, Illinois 60604 312-435-5800</p>	<p>(3431 North Lake Drive Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53211) Married - (Eleanor)</p>
<p>Honorable Floyd R. Gibson, Chief Judge U. S. Circuit Court Kansas City, Missouri 64106 816-374-3169</p>	<p>(1521 Winner Road Independence, Missouri 64052 Married - (Gertrude)</p>
<p>Honorable David T. Lewis, Chief Judge U.S. Circuit Court 4201 Federal Building Salt Lake City, Utah 84138 801-524-5173</p>	<p>(1333 Emigration Circle Salt Lake City, Utah 84108) Married - (Marie)</p>
<p>Honorable Alfred T. Goodwin U.S. Circuit Court Pioneer Court House Portland, Oregon 97204 503-221-2184</p>	<p>(3430 S.W. Seymour Street Portland, Oregon 97201) Married - (Mary Ellen)</p>
<p>Honorable Paul H. Roney U.S. Circuit Court St. Petersburg, Florida 33701</p>	<p>(1695 Brightwaters Blvd., N. St. Petersburg, Florida 337 813-893-3296 Married - (Sarah)</p>
<p>Honorable J. Clifford Wallace U.S. Circuit Court 110 West C Street San Diego, California 92101</p>	<p>(11081 Peubla Drive La Mesa, California 92041) Married - (Virginia Lee)</p>
<p>Honorable John Paul Stevens U.S. Circuit Court Chicago, Illinois 60604</p>	<p>(9260 South Bell Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60629) 312-435-5820 Married - (Elizabeth Jane)</p>
<p>Honorable Henry J. Friendly U.S. Circuit Court U.S. Court House, Foley Square New York, New York 10007</p>	<p>(1088 Park Avenue New York, New York 10028) Married - (Sophie) 212-791-0936</p>

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October 31, 1973

MEMORANDUM FOR: MARIA DOWNS  
THROUGH: PHIL BUCHEN  
FROM: KEN LAZARUS /s/  
SUBJECT: White House Dinner Honoring  
the Federal Judiciary

Attached are the names of the people we recommend be invited to the dinner honoring the Federal Judiciary on November 24. The total number of suggested invitees is 118. The list is broken down as follows:

- Tab A -- Supreme Court
- Tab B -- Congressional Representatives
- Tab C -- Federal Judges
- Tab D -- Justice Department
- Tab E -- White House
- Tab F -- Administrative Office of the U. S. Courts
- Tab G -- State Chief Justice

In the event your plans include the possibility of inviting additional people to attend after-dinner entertainment, we would appreciate the opportunity to recommend a number of individuals deleted from a larger list due to the ceiling on dinner guests.

Thank you.

KAL:dln

SUPREME COURT

The Chief Justice  
311 N. Rochester Street  
Arlington, Virginia 22213

Mr. Justice Douglas  
4852 Hutchins Place, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20007

Mr. Justice Brennan  
3037 Dumbarton Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20007

Mr. Justice Stewart  
5136 Palisade Lane, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20016

Mr. Justice White  
6801 Hampshire Road  
McLean, Virginia 22101

Mr. Justice Marshall  
Supreme Court Building  
Washington, D. C. 20543

Mr. Justice Blackmun  
Supreme Court Building  
Washington, D. C. 20543

Mr. Justice Powell  
550 N Street, S.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20024

Mr. Justice Rehnquist  
7004 Arbor Lane  
McLean, Virginia 22101

Mr. Thomas C. Clark  
Associate Justice Retired  
The Supreme Court  
Washington, D. C. 20543

Mr. Stanley Reed  
Associate Justice Retired  
The Supreme Court  
Washington, D. C. 20543  
Attn: Mrs. McGuire



CONGRESSIONAL REPRESENTATIVES

THE HONORABLE JAMES O. EASTLAND

THE HONORABLE ROMAN L. HRUSKA

THE HONORABLE PETER W. RODINO

THE HONORABLE EDWARD HUTCHINSON



Replaced  
by list  
of 11/7

FEDERAL JUDGES

October 31, 1975

(Recommended by Department of Justice)

*Sub C*

Honorable Arlin M. Adams  
United States Circuit Judge  
Philadelphia, Pa. 19107  
215-597-7317

(3006 Foxx Lane  
Philadelphia, Pa. 19144)  
Married - (Neysa)

Honorable Alfred A. Arraj  
Chief Judge, U. S. District Court  
U. S. Courthouse  
Denver, Colorado 80202  
303-837-4177

(200 Ivy Street  
Denver, Colorado 80220)  
Married - (Madge)

Honorable David L. Bazelon  
Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals  
Washington, D. C. 20001  
202-426-7118

(2700 Virginia Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20037)  
Married - (Miriam)

Honorable Nils A. Boe  
Chief Judge, U.S. Customs Court  
One Federal Plaza  
New York, New York 10007  
212-264-2800

(71 Island Drive  
N. Manursing Island  
Rye, New York 10580  
Marital Status (Unknown)

Honorable Richard H. Chambers  
Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals  
U. S. Court of Appeals and  
Post Office Building  
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415-556-2160

(333 South Alvernon  
Tucson, Arizona 85711  
25 El Cerrito  
San Mateo, California 94402)  
Married - (Mary)

Honorable Herbert Y. C. Choy  
United States Circuit Judge  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813  
808-546-7144

(3964 Monterey Place  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96816)  
Married - (Dorothy)

Honorable Wilson Cowen  
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717 Madison Place, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20005  
202-382-8446)

(2500 Virginia Avenue, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20037)  
Married - (Florence)

Honorable Edward J. Devitt  
Chief Judge, U. S. District Court  
730 Federal Courts Building  
316 North Robert Street  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101  
612-725-7178

(1676 South Mississippi River Blvd.  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55116)  
Married - (Marcelle)

Honorable William E. Doyle  
United States Circuit Judge  
U. S. Courthouse  
Denver, Colorado 80202  
303-837-3800

Honorable W. Arthur Garrity, Jr.  
United States District Judge  
P. O. and Courthouse Building  
Boston, Massachusetts 02109  
617-223-2502

Honorable Edward Thaxter Gignoux  
United States District Judge  
Portland, Maine 04112  
207-775-3280

Honorable William P. Gray  
United States District Judge  
U. S. Courthouse  
Los Angeles, California 90012  
213-688-5265

Honorable John B. Hannum  
United States District Judge  
U. S. Courthouse  
9th & Market Streets  
Philadelphia, Pa. 19107  
215-597-2693

Honorable Oren Harris  
United States District Judge  
Federal Building  
El Dorado, Arkansas 71730  
501-862-1303

Honorable Alexander Harvey, II  
United States District Judge  
U. S. Courthouse  
Baltimore, Maryland 21202  
301-752-5072

Honorable Walter Hoffman  
Director, Federal Judicial Center  
Dolley Madison House  
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Washington, D. C. 20005  
202-393-1640 ext. 501

(3555 Belcaro Drive  
Denver, Colorado 80209)  
Married - (Helen)

(40 Radcliffe Road  
Wellesley, Massachusetts 02181)  
Married - (Barbara)

(Starboard Lane  
Cumberland Foreside  
Portland, Maine 04110)  
Married - (Hildegard)

(5495 Burning Tree Drive  
La Canada, California 91011)  
Married - (Elizabeth)

(Unionville  
Chester County, Pa. 19375)  
Married - (Nancy)

(1110 W. Main Street  
El Dorado, Arkansas 71730)  
Married - (Ruth)

(Brightside Road  
Baltimore, Maryland 21212)  
Married - (Mary)

(5737 Shenandoah Avenue  
Norfolk, Virginia 23509)  
Married - (Helen)

Honorable Edwin F. Hunter, Jr.  
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Newark, New Jersey 07101  
201-645-2463

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Married - (Shirley)

(720 W. Inverness Drive  
Pasadena, California 91103)  
Married - (Seth)

(118 North Haardt Drive  
Montgomery, Alabama 36105)  
Married - (Ruth)

(1153 Sunningdale  
Grosse Pointe Woods, Mich. 48236)  
Married - (Charles)

(2951 Spruce Drive  
Cheyenne, Wyoming 82001)  
Married - (Irene)

(1185 Park Avenue  
New York, New York 10028)  
Married - (Helen)

(151 Ridgewood Avenue  
Glen Ridge, New Jersey 07028)  
Married - (Mary)





Honorable Howard T. Markey  
Chief Judge, U. S. Court of  
Customs and Patent Appeals  
717 Madison Place, N. W.  
Washington, D. C. 20439  
202-783-4619

Honorable Wade H. McCree, Jr.  
United States Circuit Judge  
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Honorable Carl McGowan  
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San Francisco, California 94102  
415-556-5286

Honorable Charles B. Renfrew  
United States District Judge  
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San Francisco, California 94102  
415-556-1727

Honorable Roger Robb  
United States Circuit Judge  
Washington, D. C. 20001  
202-426-7457

(2350 King Place, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20007)  
Married - (Elizabeth)

(1324 Nicolet Place  
Detroit, Michigan 48207)  
Married - (Dores)

(4717 Quebec Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20016)  
Married - (Josephine)

(102-10-66th Road  
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Married - (Helen)

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Married - (Evelena)

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Married - (Marion)

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Married - (Lillian)

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

November 19, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: PHIL BUCHEN

FROM: WILLIAM W. NICHOLSON *Wwn*

SUBJECT: Approved Presidential Activity

Please take the necessary steps to implement the following and confirm with Mrs. Nell Yates, ext. 2699. The appropriate briefing paper should be submitted to Dr. David Hoopes by 4:00 p.m. of the preceding day.

Meeting: White House Dinner in Honor of the Federal Judiciary and their wives

Date: Mon., Nov. 24, '75      Time: 8:00 p.m.      Duration:

Location:

Press Coverage: Pooled press coverage.

Purpose: To allow the President and First Lady to honor distinguished members of the Federal Judiciary at the White House.

cc: Mr. Cheney  
Mr. Hartmann  
Mr. Jones  
Mr. Marsh  
Dr. Connor  
Dr. Hoopes  
Mr. O'Donnell  
Mrs. Yates  
Mr. Nessen  
Mr. Scouten  
Mrs. Downs  
Miss Porter  
Mr. Theis



Thursday 11/20/75

10:40 Dawn talked with Ken Lazarus; he suggested there were two people who were added to the list -- one a close personal friend and the other a former roommate. She suggested possibly Albert Engle and Leon Higginbotham might be those two. (She is taking a list over to Marie Downs this morning to go over the seating arrangement.)

Mr. Buchen advises there was no one on the list who was a former roommate.

Engle is from Western Michigan. Leon Higginbotham is Judge of District Court of the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. He should perhaps be with the President --???--but in terms of prestige or quality of judges ?????

Then he said he wanted to see the whole package as soon as he returns from the swearing-in.



Thursday 11/20/75

10:55 Dawn will bring over the Judicial Dinner package  
when you return.



I left ward.

OK. to  
invite Walsh

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

You want  
to talk to  
Mr. Schenk  
about inviting  
Lawrence Walsh  
to the Judiciary  
Dinner!



Thursday 11/20/75

1:40 Maria Downs was discussing the list with Ken yesterday. He indicated if there were a cancellation, he felt ABA President Lawrence E. Walsh should be invited.

There has been a cancellation and Maria wanted to check with you to see if that was O.K. Ken indicated it didn't matter how late the invitation was being extended, it would be very welcome.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 20, 1975

DINNER HONORING THE FEDERAL JUDICIARY

Monday, November 24, 1975

8:00 p.m. (2-3 hours)

State Dining Room

Through: Philip Buchen *P.*

From: Kenneth Lazarus *K.*

I. PURPOSE

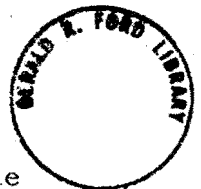
To honor the efforts of the men and women of the Federal judiciary.

II. BACKGROUND, INVITEES & PRESS PLAN

A. Background: For many years there existed the tradition of an annual White House dinner/reception honoring Federal judges. This practice was discontinued in the last Administration, apparently resulting in some adverse comments within the judicial community. The reinstitution of the event should be well received by the judiciary and by Members of Congress and the public interested in the operations of the Federal courts. Particular attention should be given to the event due to the recent retirement of Justice Douglas and public speculation on potential appointees to fill this vacancy. Of course, the dinner was set prior to the resignation of Justice Douglas.

B. Invitees:

1. The invitation list included: (1) the Justices of the Supreme Court; (2) the Chairmen and ranking Republicans on the Senate and House Judiciary Committees; (3) all of the Chief Judges of the various Circuit Courts and other distinguished members of the Federal bench; (4) the Chairman of the Conference of State Chief Justices; (5) the Attorney General,



Deputy Attorney General and Solicitor General; and (6) Phil Buchen, Jack Marsh, Ed Schmults, Ken Lazarus and Dick Parsons of the White House staff. Spouses were included.

2. A list of attendees will be provided by Maria Downs.

C. Press Plan: (1) Anticipate pool coverage of arrivals and toasts; and (2) dinner to be announced.

### III. SCENARIO

1. The President and Mrs. Ford and the Chief Justice and Mrs. Burger will receive guests.
2. Seating arrangements to be provided by Maria Downs.
3. After dinner toast to the Federal judiciary by the President; the Chief Justice will respond with a toast to the President.
4. Dancing in the East Room.

[Details to be provided by Maria Downs.]

### IV. TALKING POINTS

Will be provided by Paul Theis.



Friday 11/21/75

Dinner  
11/24/75

9:00 The Social Office is asking if there should be press coverage  
at the Judicial Dinner on Monday 11/24.

(Linda Baker)



Friday 11/21/75

Dinner  
11/24/75

9:20 Ken is in now so I checked the point of press coverage for the Judicial Dinner with him.

He thinks it would be O. K. to have coverage of the receiving line (for five minutes) and let them "shoot" the toasts.

Is that O. K. with you? ✓

*11/21/75 advised  
Social Office*



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 21, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: DICK CHENEY  
JACK MARSH  
RON NESSEN  
PHIL BUCHEN ✓  
JIM CANNON  
AGNES WALDRON  
KEN LAZARUS

FROM: PAUL THEIS ✓

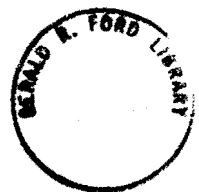
SUBJECT: Proposed Remarks to the  
Judiciary Dinner, Monday  
November 24, 1975

Attached are proposed remarks for the President  
to use at the Judiciary Dinner on Monday,  
November 24, 1975.

May we have your comments and suggestions, as  
well as your initials on the attached clearance form,  
by noon Saturday, November 22?

Many thanks.

Attachments



CLEARANCE FORM FOR PRESIDENTIAL SPEECH MATERIAL

TO: THE PRESIDENT

VIA: ROBERT HARTMANN

FROM: PAUL A. THEIS

SUBJECT: Remarks to the Judiciary Dinner

TIME, DATE AND PLACE OF PRESIDENTIAL USE: \_\_\_\_\_

Monday, November 24, 1975, the White House

BASIC RESEARCH/SPEECH MATERIAL SUPPLIED BY:

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(X) OPERATIONS (Cheney) \_\_\_\_\_

(X) CONGRESSIONAL (Marsh) \_\_\_\_\_

(X) PRESS (Nessen) \_\_\_\_\_

(X) LEGAL (Buchen) \_\_\_\_\_

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( ) OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET (Lynn) \_\_\_\_\_

(X) DOMESTIC COUNCIL (Cannon) \_\_\_\_\_

( ) NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL (Scowcroft) \_\_\_\_\_

( ) ENERGY RESOURCES COUNCIL (Zarb) \_\_\_\_\_

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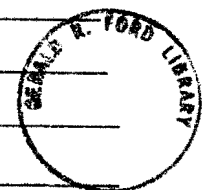
(X) RESEARCH (Waldron) \_\_\_\_\_

( ) MARGITA WHITE (FYI) \_\_\_\_\_

(X) Ken Lazarus \_\_\_\_\_

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November 20, 1975

PROPOSED PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS TO THE JUDICIAL DINNER, MONDAY,  
NOVEMBER 24, 1975

Mrs. Ford and I are delighted and honored by the presence here tonight of so many distinguished jurists.

This dinner revives a custom of the fifties and early sixties -- an annual event at the White House to recognize the vital contribution of the Federal judiciary to our free republic.

It seemed especially very appropriate to restore this custom in the year of our Bicentennial. We are looking back with gratitude to the great Americans who perceived that a strong system of justice is the firmest pillar of this Nation's freedom.

With a clear understanding of history, these men knew that justice was too important to leave solely in the hands of individuals. They knew it was vital to have a rigid framework of justice, carefully constructed and firmly anchored in a written constitution.



Our founders were confident that once this framework of justice was built, individuals worthy of maintaining the structure would be found. In this perception, they were proven right even beyond their most extravagant hopes. A strong judicial system produced giants of the law, and became even stronger in the process. The names of those giants ring out from our history like the sounding of the Liberty Bell itself -- Marshall, Holmes, Brandeis, Learned (LUR-NED) Hand, and many others. They symbolize the genius and wisdom that two centuries of American justice have produced.

Looking back, we can feel pride in this judicial system. Looking ahead to our third century, we must pledge ourselves to make it even better.

I commend each of you for your outstanding work in preserving and extending justice during a troubled and perplexing age. On behalf of all our citizens, I thank you and your colleagues not with us tonight for protecting the judicial structure which has kept Americans free for 200 years -- and which will keep us free.

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November 22, 1975

PROPOSED PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS TO THE JUDICIAL  
DINNER, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1975

It has been said that law is the only profession in which the practitioner can produce something that is 200 pages in length -- and still have it called a brief. Well tonight, let me assure you that the brief I am about to present -- will be very.

This dinner revives a custom of the fifties and early sixties -- an annual event at the White House to recognize the vital contribution of the federal judiciary to the maintenance of a free republic. And tonight Mrs. Ford and I are delighted and honored by the presence of so many distinguished jurists.

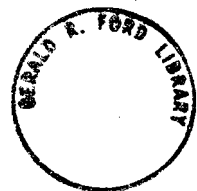
It is also appropriate to restore this custom in the year of our Bicentennial -- a time to renew our gratitude to the great Americans who conceived our system of government and who understood that a strong system of government under law is the firmest pillar of this nation's freedom.

With a clear understanding of history, the Framers knew that an independent judiciary as the guardian of a written Constitution was essential to the preservation of individual liberties under a government of limited powers.



Our strong judicial system has been an example to the world of how an independent judiciary can restrain the other branches of government when they overreach, and, on occasion, prod them to action when they fail to meet their responsibilities. It has produced many whom we think of as giants of the law: Marshall, Holmes, Brandeis, Hand, Frankfurter and others -- including William O. Douglas -- symbolize the genius and wisdom that two centuries of American justice have produced from men and women of widely differing political philosophies. But our greatest pride is not in a few outstanding individuals; it is rather in the legion of able and honest jurists whose daily performance has given our entire judiciary a well deserved reputation for competence and integrity.

I commend each of you for your dedicated work during a troubled and changing time. On behalf of all our citizens, I thank and commend you and your colleagues not with us tonight for keeping alive and vigorous the Constitution, which has kept Americans free for nearly 200 years -- and which is the strongest guarantee of freedom in the centuries to come.



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THE WHITE HOUSE

EXCHANGE OF TOASTS  
BETWEEN THE PRESIDENT  
AND  
WARREN E. BURGER  
CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT  
AT THE DINNER  
IN HONOR OF THE JUDICIARY

STATE DINING ROOM

10:04 P.M. EST

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

December 3, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: TED MARRS  
FROM: JIM CONNOR

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cc: Phil Buchen





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November 26, 1975

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THRU: PHIL BUCHEN

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Subject to administrative approval, and any needed smoothing of the text, I believe the attendees would appreciate these toasts printed as we print proclamations.

Attachments



NOVEMBER 24, 1975

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THE WHITE HOUSE

EXCHANGE OF TOASTS  
BETWEEN THE PRESIDENT  
AND  
WARREN E. BURGER  
CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT  
AT THE DINNER  
IN HONOR OF THE JUDICIARY

STATE DINING ROOM

10:04 P.M. EST

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