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*Pres.
Personnel
Ackermann
Wm*

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 14, 1975

Dear Margaret:

It was a delight to receive your letter and to learn of Bill's impressive qualifications. I have immediately passed on the information to the Office in charge of Presidential Personnel with my own note of recommendation.

My very best to you and Bill.

Sincerely,



Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mrs. William K. Ackermann
701 Hamilton Drive
Champaign, Illinois 61820



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 12, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: WILLIAM WALKER
FROM: PHILIP BUCHEN *P.W.B.*
SUBJECT: Appointment to Board
of Tennessee Valley
Authority

Attached is a copy of a letter sent to the President concerning Dr. William Ackermann, a duplicate of which was sent to me.

Bill Ackermann has an impressive record, and from my recollection of him when we were boyhood friends, I would like to add my commendations.

Attachment



Pres. [unclear]
Ackermann
Dr. Wm
Ted

June 25, 1975

*Pres.
Appointments
(Hand)*
*Adams
Charles
Francis*

MEMORANDUM FOR:

ALAN WOODS

FROM:

PHILIP BUCHEN

SUBJECT:

Mr. Charles Francis Adams

Attached is a duplicate set of material we sent earlier to Doug Bennett on Mr. Adams.

I also checked with Dave Belin about men who served on the Rockefeller Commission. He thinks either Shannon or Connor would make a good chairman for PFIAB. While he thinks Connor would be the stronger leader, he believes Shannon would be more sensitive to the conflicting interests involved.

Attachment



Allen
Charles

10/1/74

To: Don Rumsfeld
From: Phil Buchen
Subject: Charles E. Allen

**Here is a recommendation from
Bill Whyte.**



5132 Rockwood Parkway
Washington, D.C. 20016

GOOD
CANDIDATE!
W.G.W.

August 29, 1974

Mr. William Whyte
5124 Rockwood Parkway
Washington, D.C. 20016

Dear Bill:

In our telephone conversation yesterday, you suggested that I provide you copies of a brief current resume. Three copies are enclosed.

As you know, I have served in the Administration as General Counsel of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board since May 1972. I believe that I have an excellent relationship with Chairman Bomar, and expect to continue with the Board unless there is an opportunity to serve the Administration in another position having substantially greater responsibility.

In June 1974 I was considered for a Presidential appointment as General Counsel of the Treasury Department. During the consideration, Chairman Bomar contacted Secretary Simon to recommend me for the position. In this connection, I dealt with Allen Parmenter at the White House.

I would prefer to serve the Administration as General Counsel of an appropriate Cabinet Department. I would also be interested in serving as a commissioner of an independent regulatory agency having broad areas of responsibility or as a member of the White House staff.

I appreciate your interest and assistance.

Sincerely,

Charles E. Allen
Charles E. Allen



CHARLES E. ALLEN

Current Appointments: Since May 1972 - General Counsel of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board; General Counsel of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation; and Senior League Advisor to the Board of Directors of the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation; 320 First Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20552; (202) 386-5328. Appointed by Chairman of Board; GS-18 classification.

The Board, an independent agency in the Executive Branch, regulates, insures, and finances through advances approximately 4,200 Federal and State-chartered savings and loan associations having aggregate assets of about \$250 billion. The Board also charters all Federal associations and through an affiliate provides a secondary market for mortgages.

Nature of Responsibilities at Board: Directs the Office of the General Counsel which is responsible for providing all legal advice and services, including the conduct of litigation, for the Board. Works closely with Chairman and Board Members; attends almost all Board meetings; actively participates in decisions through preparation of proposed legislation and regulations; is in charge of litigation and enforcement actions (cease and desist orders). The Office of the General Counsel has a staff in Washington, D.C. of approximately 85, of whom 55 are attorneys; also utilizes various fee counsel outside of Washington, D.C.; and coordinates legal matters with counsel at the 12 regional Federal Home Loan Banks.

Prior Law Practise.

Hogan & Hartson, a large Washington, D.C. law firm, from October 1968 through April 1972, partner since January 1, 1971; general corporate and securities practise for various corporate clients, including financings, mergers and acquisitions, and representation of a savings and loan association and a commercial bank.

Sullivan & Cromwell, a New York Wall Street law firm, from August 1962 through September 1968; general corporate, securities and banking practise specializing in domestic and international financings (primarily as underwriters' counsel) and acquisitions.

Education.

Harvard Law School, J.D. degree 1962 with scholarship;

Jesus College, Cambridge University (England) during 1958-59, reading history and international law, under Rotary International Fellowship;



Education (Cont'd.)

Yale University, A.B. degree 1958 in history, with full scholarship; and
Miami Edison High School (Miami, Florida), graduated 1954.

Bar Related Activities:

Federal Bar Association - member of National Council; Chairman of Savings and Loan Law Committee; and member of Executive Council of Banking Law Committee;

Member of Advisory Committee to the Special Committee on Uniform Land Transactions Code; and

Member of Banking Law Committee of the American Bar Association.

Other Memberships:

Member of the Metropolitan Club, the City Tavern Association, the Foreign Policy Discussion Group (Washington, D.C.), and The University Club of New York City. Trustee of The Norwood School, Bethesda.

Personal Details:

Residence 5132 Rockwood Parkway, Washington, D.C., 20016 (202) 966-7723.
Born August 19, 1936, Miami, Florida. Married to former Gloria Seaman, 1965; two sons and a daughter.

Party Affiliation: Republican

September 1974



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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Anders
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October 29, 1974

MEMORANDUM FOR:

PHILIP W. BUCHEN

FROM:

WILLIAM N. WALKER *Walker*

SUBJECT:

Waiver of Conflict of
Interest and Security
Investigation for Pur-
poses of Announcement.
William A. Anders

The President wishes to announce William Anders as his nomination for the Chairman of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. Anders is currently a member of the Atomic Energy Commission and went through clearances just 18 months ago. The timing of this announcement is very important. I request that you waive the normal procedures for the purposes of announcement only.

151 PWB Agree

_____ Disagree

Attachment - resume



Curriculum Vita

William Alison Anders
6703 Wemberly Way
McLean, Virginia 22101

A. Professional Experience

1973-Present: Commissioner, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission.

Appointed by the President with Senate confirmation. Responsible for the research and development of the Civilian Reactor Program with special involvement in the Nation's Breeder Reactor Program; Space Nuclear Systems; Naval Reactors; Controlled Thermonuclear Reactors; Applied Technology; Regulatory Standards. Alternate U.S. Representative to the Seventeenth General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency in Vienna, Austria, in September 1973. Presently serves as Chairman of the U.S. Delegation of the US/USSR Joint Committee on Cooperation in the Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy established under Article 5 of the US-USSR Atomic Energy Agreement of June 21, 1973. Security Clearance TS and others.

1969-1973: Executive Secretary, National Aeronautics and Space Council.

Appointed by the President with Senate confirmation as director of an independent agency within the Executive Office of the President. Responsible to the President, the Vice President, and Cabinet-level members of the Council for the development of Administration policy options concerning research, development, operations, and planning of aeronautical and space systems. Provided for interagency coordination on national and international space and aeronautics matters among Council member agencies (Departments of State, Defense, and Transportation, NASA, and AEC). Participated as a senior member of U.S. negotiating teams developing programs with the USSR, Japan, and Europe. Maintained close working relationships with government and industry contractor teams and with the CAB and air transport industry. Provided technical and policy support on major issues to senior White House staff members, National Security Council, Domestic Council, Council on International Economic Policy, and Office of Management and Budget. Acted as a spokesman to Congress and industry on many R&D policy areas. Planned and helped implement the highly successful legislative strategy for funding the space shuttle and other space and aeronautical R&D programs. Directed extensive policy studies in such fields as applications satellites, the aerospace and air transport industries, foreign military sales, international cooperation in space,

and launcher licensing. Worked with the Vice President, Cabinet officers, key White House staff members, and agency heads to insure successful implementation of Presidential policy throughout the aeronautics and space fields.

1964-1969 NASA.

Engineering duties - Gemini and Apollo spacecraft responsibilities for environmental control systems design, test, and procedures; research and development on spacecraft radiation shielding and detection systems; and safety procedures and operational requirements for space nuclear power generators and other radiation sources. Participated in the management process of these large system acquisitions. Maintained a close working relationship with industry research, development, management, and production teams.

Aircraft Operations duties - Jet instructor pilot.

Space Operations duties - Back-up crew for Gemini 11.

Lunar Module Pilot for Apollo 8 (1st lunar flight)-spacecraft systems experiments specialist.

Back-up Command Module Pilot for Apollo 11 (1st lunar landing).

1962-1964 Nuclear Engineer-USAF Officer.

Primary duty - Engineering design and test support for USAF space nuclear power reactors and isotope power sources while at the Air Force Weapons Laboratory; management of the technical program and performance of approximately 140 contract engineers and scientists using three research reactors and over \$12M of related laboratory equipment on a broad program of basic science, radiation effects research, and nuclear power development.

Secondary duty - Instrument instructor and check pilot.

1960-1962 Graduate Student-Nuclear Engineering-USAF.

1957-1960 USAF Officer.

Primary duty - All weather interceptor pilot in the U.S. and overseas - Nuclear Weapons responsibilities.

Secondary duty - Maintenance Officer responsible for all base jet engine overhaul and test facilities and the performance of over 40 technicians.

1955-1957 Commissioned in the USAF and completed jet pilot training.

B. Education

Undergraduate Study:

1951-1962 - U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland, B.S.-Engineering

Graduate Study:

1960-1962 - Air Force Institute of Technology, Dayton, Ohio

M.S. Nuclear Engineering - with Honors

M.S. degree research area: Solid State Physics (Edge Emission of Cadmium Sulfide) - Aeronautical Research Laboratory

1961-1962 - Additional graduate study from Ohio State University (extension) - Aeronautical Engineering, Stability and Control

C. Aeronautical Ratings and Experience

Military - USAF Reserve - Command Pilot-Astronaut. 4,000+ flying hours in jet fighter and transport aircraft, helicopters, and rocket vehicles (currently qualified and active in T-38 jet trainer and OH58, H13, and UH1 helicopters).
Civil - Commercial Pilot (Certificate #1407861). Ratings: Single engine land and sea. Multi engine land, and helicopters. Instrument qualified. Considerable flight time in many types of aircraft.

D. Membership

Professional:

American Nuclear Society
American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics
American Astronautical Society (Fellow)
Society of Experimental Test Pilots.

Academic/Scientific:

Tau Beta Pi National Engineering Honor Society
Explorers Club (Board of Directors)
National Space Club (Board of Governors)
Naval Academy Alumni Association (Trustee)

Service:

Yosemite Institute (Environmental/Conservation - Board of Directors)
National Exploring Committee, Boy Scouts of America

E. Honors

Past co-holder of several world speed and altitude records
National Geographic Society Hubbard Medal for Exploration
Collier, Harmon, General Thomas D. White, and Robert H. Goddard Trophies
AAS Flight Achievement Award
NASA and USAF Distinguished Service Awards-Spaceflight
USAF Commendation Medal (1963) - Research and Engineering
Several Honorary Doctoral Degrees

F. Publications

"Temperature Dependence on Edge Emission in Single-Crystal Cadmium Sulfide" - Kulp, Detweiler, and Anders, Physical Review, 1 September 1963

Articles for the popular press
Various Governmental Reports.

G. Miscellaneous

Testimony before House and Senate Committees on Space and Aeronautics
Numerous Speeches and Public Appearances
Civic Activity - Road Commissioner (unpaid) of the City of El Lago, Texas - 1965-1969; School Lectures.

H. Personal Data

Born - October 17, 1933, Hong Kong, China (Bcc), U.S. Citizen
For Mature Years - La Mesa, California, and La Grange, Texas
Spouse - Valerie Elizabeth (Hoard) Anders - Born - San Diego, California
Children - Alan-1957; Glen-1958; Gayle-1960; Gregory-1962; Eric-1964;
Diana-1972.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

January 23, 1976

Pres. Appointments
Angevina,
James

MEMORANDUM FOR: DOUGLAS BENNETT

FROM: PHIL BUCHEN *P.*

SUBJECT: James Angevine

Attached is a resume concerning the above individual. It came to me from Congresswoman Heckler's office with the request that he be given consideration for an appointment.

It occurs to me that inasmuch as he is known to Elliot Richardson, the new Secretary of Commerce may want to consider him for an appointment within his Department.

Attachment



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

January 8, 1976

*Personnel
Presidential
appointments*

*Armstrong
Anne*

MEMORANDUM FOR: PHILIP W. BUCHEN

FROM: DOUGLAS P. BENNETT *DPB*

SUBJECT: Waiver of Conflict of Interest
and Security Investigation for
Purposes of Announcement--
Ambassador to the Court of
St. James

The President wishes to announce his intention to appoint Anne Armstrong as Ambassador to the Court of St. James. I request that you waive the normal procedures for the purposes of nomination.

P.W.B. Agree

_____ Disagree



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

ANNE ARMSTRONG, (Mrs. Tobin)

Anne Armstrong served as Counsellor to Presidents Nixon and Ford and as a member of the Cabinet from February 1973 to December 1974. In this position she served as liaison to women, young people and hispanic Americans. She also served as Chairman of the Federal Property Council, member of the Wage and Price Stability, member of the Domestic Council, and a member of the Commission on the Organization of Government for the Conduct of Foreign Policy (The Murphy Commission). She also served as the President's liaison to the American Revolution Bicentennial Commission.

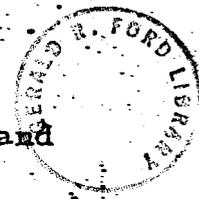
She was a member of the U.S. Delegation to the World Food Conference in Rome, Italy, in 1974 and to the Conference for International Women's Year in Mexico City in 1975.

Currently, Mrs. Armstrong is a member of the National Advisory Council of the American Revolution Bicentennial Administration and also of the National Commission on the Observance of International Women's Year.

She is a member of the Board of Directors of American Express, Union Carbide Corp., First City Bancorporation of Texas, Inc., the Boise Cascade Corp., and the International Harvester Co. She served on the University of Texas, College of Business, Advisory Council and for several years as a member of the Kenedy County School Board (Tex.) She is a Director of Stratford Hall and of the Taft Institute of Government.

(*** to use in Texas -- she a member of the Philosophical Society of Tex.)

Mrs. Armstrong, a native of New Orleans, La., resides on the Armstrong Ranch, Armstrong, Texas, with her husband, Tobin, and their five children.



She is a graduate of Foxcroft School in Middleburg, Va., where she was president of the student body and Valedictorian of the Senior Class. She received her B.A. degree from Vassar College where she was elected to Phi Beta Kappa in her Junior year.

*Pres.
Appointments.*

*Asija
Dr. S.P.*

February 18, 1975

Dear Dr. Asija:

Thank you for your letter expressing an interest in this Administration.

I have passed your information on to the Director of the Office concerned with Presidential appointments, where your impressive qualifications will be given careful consideration.

Sincerely yours,

Philip Buchen
Counsel to the President

Dr. S. P. Asija
Executive Director
MINCIS
309 State Administration
Building
St. Paul, Minnesota 55155

PBuchen:sk 2/18/75



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

*Pres.
Appointments
Bangert
Charles*

June 20, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: CURT FEE

FROM: PHILIP BUCHEN *P.W.B.*

SUBJECT: Charles Bangert
for FTC

Attached is a note sent to me today by Phil Hart. This is a subject on which we talked before, but I wanted you to know about the continuing strong interest in this appointment on the part of the two Senators.

Attachment



United States Senate

SELECT COMMITTEE TO
STUDY GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS WITH
RESPECT TO INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

(PURSUANT TO S. RES. 21, 94TH CONGRESS)

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

Mr. Phil Bucher

6/20

Charles Baugert -

name is among
those surviving the
FTC consideration.

Sen. ~~Honka~~ and I
recommended him -

Phil Hart



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

*Pres
App*

March 27, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: WILLIAM WALKER

FROM: PHILIP BUCHEN *P.W.B.*

SUBJECT: FTC Appointment

To be sure you get a copy of this letter from Roman L. Hruska to the President in support of Charles Bangert, I have attached a duplicate of the copy his office sent to me.

Attachment



OFFICE OF
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL



5/30/75

The Attorney General asked me
to be sure that you received
copies of the attached.

Douglas R. Marvin

Rich Parson
ok
5/30





THE ADMINISTRATOR
DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20537

*Bartels
John R.*

May 30, 1975

The President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

Pursuant to the request of the Attorney General yesterday, I hereby submit my resignation as the Administrator of the Drug Enforcement Administration to be effective upon your acceptance.

The challenge of stopping the flow of drugs to our youth will continue to require high-level support by all Americans. The Drug Enforcement Administration sought to meet this challenge through the merger of Treasury and Justice drug abuse enforcement agencies into one effective effort to combat drug abuse at home and abroad. I know we have come a long way toward achieving the goals of that merger including the total cooperation of many foreign countries, such as Mexico, which now have the institutions and capability to reduce the world-wide traffic. We have also made great progress working with many dedicated state and local police forces to prevent interstate traffic.

I appreciate the opportunity to serve you and the American people and extend my sincere hopes for the future of this Agency and its dedicated Agents.

Yours respectfully,

John R. Bartels, Jr.

John R. Bartels, Jr.



UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : All DEA Employees

DATE: May 30, 1975

FROM : John R. Bartels, Jr.
Administrator

SUBJECT:

Today, at the request of the Attorney General, I have submitted my resignation to The President.

In leaving DEA, I wish to express to each of you my pride in the accomplishments of this young agency in its first 22-months of operation. Your professionalism and dedication have made this possible.

I commend you for the job you have done and accept, more easily, this decision which I truly regret, because I know you will continue the proud record of DEA.

The high degree of effectiveness you are achieving both domestically and overseas has been made possible by the cooperation accorded DEA by police agencies around the world. Of this, I am also proud.

I believe DEA will receive the support needed to continue to accomplish the effectiveness made possible by Reorganization Plan Number Two.

I am sorry to leave you but I take with me the satisfaction of knowing that the job is being done. I wish you well and look forward to seeing you in the months and years to come.



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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 31, 1976

Appointments

*Bemis,
Judson*

MEMORANDUM FOR: DOUG BENNETT
FROM: PHIL BUCHEN *P.*
SUBJECT: Board of the National
Council of the Arts

Attached is a copy of a letter to me recommending the appointment of Judson Bemis to this Board. I think it would be helpful to consider the willingness of Mr. Bemis to make a rather large commitment of time.



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 31, 1976

*Appointments
Personnel*

*Bemis,
Judson*

Dear Don:

Many thanks for your letter of May 24 recommending Mr. Judson Bemis for appointment to the Board of the National Council of the Arts. I am passing on your recommendation to the Office of Presidential Appointments here in the White House, where I know it will be given careful consideration.

I welcome the opportunity of seeing you on the 17th of June.

Sincerely,



Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. Donald H. Freeman
President
AGM Industries, Inc.
450 Union Bank Building
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49502





AGM INDUSTRIES, INC.
DONALD H. FREEMAN
PRESIDENT

May 24, 1976

Mr. Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20013

Dear Phil:

I understand Mr. Judson Bemis, Chairman - Bemis Corporation, is a candidate for appointment to the Board of the National Council of the Arts. This appointment, I believe, comes from the Executive Office and so I am writing you to urge his appointment on the theory that you will know where this can be done most effectively.

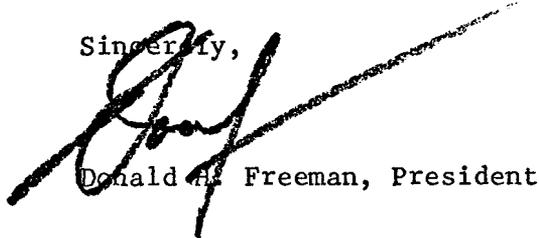
Mr. Bemis and his wife over many years have been active in leadership and sponsoring rolls for all of the Arts in the Minneapolis area. They have done an outstanding job in a community that is noted for the quality and vigor of its symphony, art, dance and other cultural activities.

Furthermore, I understand that Mr. Bemis is devoting less time to business and would be interested in making a larger commitment of time to his artistic and cultural interests.

I will appreciate anything you can do that will be helpful to this worthwhile project.

Looking forward to seeing you at the June 17th dinner honoring you, Bill Seidman and Jim Zumberge at Grand Valley.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'D. Freeman', written over a horizontal line. The signature is slanted and has a long, sweeping tail that extends to the right.

Donald H. Freeman, President

DHF/mjm



*Personnel
Bentley
Helen*

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 21, 1974

Dear Mr. Mayer:

Thank you very much for your letter of September fifth, urging consideration of Mrs. Helen Bentley for a high-level position in President Ford's Administration.

Although I have not personally had the opportunity to meet Mrs. Bentley, I do indeed know of her great service to our country and the maritime industry. I very much appreciate your bringing her name to my attention, and please be assured that your kind suggestion will be brought to the President's attention at the first opportunity.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

Philip W. Buchen

Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. Robert E. Mayer
Vice President
States Steamship Company
320 California Street
San Francisco, California 94104

cc: Bill [unclear]



Wednesday 9/4/74

4:45 Mr. Bob Mayer called from San Francisco. He's very close personal friend of the President's. He and his wife have been house guests of theirs in Alexandria and the Fords have visited them in San Francisco. Wants very much to get his personal recommendation in to the President in considering Mrs. Helen Bentley for a position in the administration. He wants her to be retained in some appointment by Mr. Ford.

SEP 11 1974

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September 5, 1974

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

Dear Mr. Buchen:

In trying to reach you yesterday I caught Mrs. Buchen on the phone and you will be glad to know that I told her to take the rest of the week off.

This letter is being directed to you at the suggestion of Mildred Leonard whom I phoned yesterday after noting that the Administration is beginning to make some appointments. I told her that I had a name to suggest in case the President is going to consider a woman for the Cabinet.

The name I have in mind is Mrs. Helen Delich Bentley, Chairman of the Federal Maritime Commission, appointed to that post in 1969.

Before assuming that position she was the Maritime Editor for the Baltimore Sun for 15 to 20 years and is known throughout the maritime industry in the United States, and to some extent in other countries, as one of the best informed people, male or female, on the maritime industry and affairs of the United States.

I have known Mrs. Bentley for many years before she was appointed and observed her writing, production of television programs concerning the Port of Baltimore, etc., and as of my own personal knowledge can attest that her knowledge and grasp of maritime affairs and transportation in general is exceptional.

Since going on the Maritime Commission in 1969 she has been a tireless worker and a staunch defender of American Flag Shipping in world shipping circles. She has displayed a very good knowledge of the 1916 Shipping Act, the enforcement of which is the province of her Commission. She has displayed courage and decisiveness in matters vitally affecting the industry and its ability to survive in world competition. In this

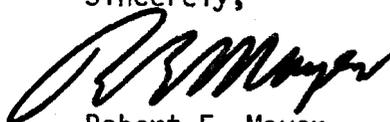
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Mr. Philip W. Buchen
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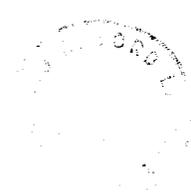
respect I have specifics and details which I can furnish in the event the Administration indicates an interest. In enforcement of the laws as respects domestic shipping she has of a necessity become familiar with the entire transportation system.

In short, if the Administration wishes to consider a woman for the Cabinet, here is one who is "ready made" for Commerce or Transportation. The White House undoubtedly has a complete file on her but I will be happy to answer any questions if someone wishes to phone me.

Sincerely,



Robert E. Mayer
Vice President



Personnel

Bentley
Helen

October 22, 1974

To: Bill Walker

From: Phil Buchen



October 21, 1974

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Philip W. Buchen
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Mr. Robert E. Mayer
Vice President
States Steamship Company
320 California Street
San Francisco, California 94104

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September 5, 1974

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

Dear Mr. Buchen:

In trying to reach you yesterday I caught Mrs. Buchen on the phone and you will be glad to know that I told her to take the rest of the week off.

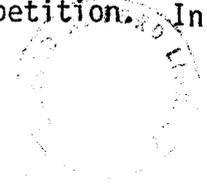
This letter is being directed to you at the suggestion of Mildred Leonard whom I phoned yesterday after noting that the Administration is beginning to make some appointments. I told her that I had a name to suggest in case the President is going to consider a woman for the Cabinet.

The name I have in mind is Mrs. Helen Delich Bentley, Chairman of the Federal Maritime Commission, appointed to that post in 1969.

Before assuming that position she was the Maritime Editor for the Baltimore Sun for 15 to 20 years and is known throughout the maritime industry in the United States, and to some extent in other countries, as one of the best informed people, male or female, on the maritime industry and affairs of the United States.

I have known Mrs. Bentley for many years before she was appointed and observed her writing, production of television programs concerning the Port of Baltimore, etc., and as of my own personal knowledge can attest that her knowledge and grasp of maritime affairs and transportation in general is exceptional.

Since going on the Maritime Commission in 1969 she has been a tireless worker and a staunch defender of American Flag Shipping in world shipping circles. She has displayed a very good knowledge of the 1916 Shipping Act, the enforcement of which is the province of her Commission. She has displayed courage and decisiveness in matters vitally affecting the industry and its ability to survive in world competition. In this



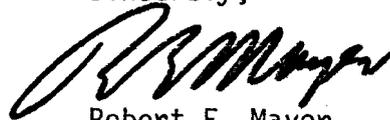
STATES LINE

Mr. Philip W. Buchen
Page 2

respect I have specifics and details which I can furnish in the event the Administration indicates an interest. In enforcement of the laws as respects domestic shipping she has of a necessity become familiar with the entire transportation system.

In short, if the Administration wishes to consider a woman for the Cabinet, here is one who is "ready made" for Commerce or Transportation. The White House undoubtedly has a complete file on her but I will be happy to answer any questions if someone wishes to phone me.

Sincerely,



Robert E. Mayer
Vice President



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 15, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Bill Walker

FROM:

Bill Casselman

Spencer Beresford is very much interested in appointment as General Counsel of ERDA. You may recall Spence from his days as NASA General Counsel (1969-1973). He left NASA in 1973, and with the support of then Minority Leader Ford, became Counsel to the House Select Committee on Committees. He now serves as Special Counsel in the Office of Technology Assessment. Last March Spence met with then Vice President Ford and explained his interest in ERDA. At that time, the Vice President indicated that he would support Beresford's appointment to ERDA and Beresford put his papers in with Dave Wimer and Dick Fairbanks. With Wimer and Fairbanks having left Government, and the materials of the Nixon Administration having been impounded by Order of Judge Richey, Spence's application appears to have been lost in the shuffle. Any chance of rekindling this matter? I feel certain that the President, if asked, would again back Beresford for this post.

cc: Philip W. Buchen ✓
Robert T. Hartmann

January 22, 1975

Personnel
file
Bergsma
file for
attachments)

Dear Mr. Bergsma:

Following receipt of your letter to the President and the information you enclosed, I have referred your expression of interest to the Director of the Presidential Personnel Office for his review and recommendations to the President.

Thank you very much for your interest, and I welcomed learning of your association with Carl Johnson.

Sincerely yours,

Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. Ralph T. Bergsma
President
Property Development Group, Inc.
Three Twenty North Main Street
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48104

PWBuchen:ed



Personnel

January 22, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: Bill Walker
FROM: Phil Buchen
SUBJECT: Ralph Bergsma --
For a position in HUD

I attach a letter addressed to the President, which came to me for delivery. I have no independent knowledge about the applicant and I assume he is being overly ambitious when he thinks in terms of being Secretary of this Department. However, it may be suitable to pass on information about him to the new Secretary so that he might be given consideration for a subordinate position.

PWBuchen:ed



Black,
Shirley Temple

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Several women of the Cabinet were there and one of them came to her and said that on "Sixty Minutes" last night there was a statement made that Shirley Temple Black might be nominated to take Mr. Moynihan's place. They're shocked!! Many of them were very upset at the possibility. Mrs. Buchen felt the approach might be -- if the President could come up with as great a nomination for the United Nations as the one he put i n the Supreme Court -- then it could do nothing but help his campaign. But they feel it would be a disaster at this time to appoint Shirley Temple Black to the UN.

She hopes that something can be done ----- before things are set in motion -- in case someone might really be thinking about it.



Pres. Appointments
Blackburn,
Ben

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WASHINGTON

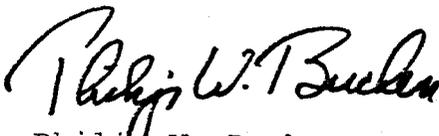
October 31, 1975

Dear Mr. Vonk:

Many thanks for your support of the Ben Blackburn nomination. It will be most helpful that you have written letters to members of the Senate Committee on Banking, Urban Affairs and Housing.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,



Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. Paul Kenneth Vonk
President Emeritus
Oglethorpe University
4484 Peachtree Road, N.E.
Atlanta, Georgia 30019



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President Emeritus
PAUL KENNETH VONK
209 West Jones St.
Savannah, Georgia 31401

October 27, 1975

The White House
Pennsylvania Ave.
Washington D. C.

Attention: Mr. Phil Buchan
Counsel to the President

Dear Mr. Buchan:

I have just written each member of the Senate Committee on Banking, Urban Affairs and Housing. I am enclosing a copy of that letter. I would like to endorse the appointment of the President.

The criticism of Ben Blackburn is similar to some of the criticism of the President regarding his educational records and his competence. As a classmate of President Ford for five years at Grand Rapids South High School, I know that Gerald Ford was an outstanding student and is one of the most qualified presidents this country has had. Through my personal acquaintance with Mr. Blackburn I believe that he is also well qualified for the position to which the President has appointed him.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Paul Vonk", written over a horizontal line.

Paul Kenneth Vonk



October 27, 1975

Senator Jake Garn
Dirksen Building
Washington D. C. 20510

Dear Senator Garn:

The editorial in the October 27 issue of Business Week raising a question about the competence of Ben B. Blackburn to serve on the Federal Home Loan Bank Board has come to my attention. I think the editorial is unfortunate because it is my impression that the Senate has never served as a rubber stamp of the President's nominations. I know Mr. Blackburn, and because of his high competence and integrity it was my privilege to confer upon him an honorary degree on behalf of Oglathorpe University. I can assure you that, in my judgment, Mr. Blackburn has demonstrated sound leadership and that he does understand major economic issues. He is highly regarded by citizens who are well acquainted with the savings and loan associations and the problems related to mortgage money and the mortgage market. Those who know Ben Blackburn may disagree with him, but I do not believe they can sincerely question his integrity.

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to correct what I regard as an injustice.

Sincerely,

Paul Kenneth Vonk



March 27, 1975

*Pres.
appointments*

*Blumrosen
Alfred W.*

Dear Bill:

Many thanks for your letter about Alfred W. Blumrosen.

I am passing it on immediately to the Office in charge of Presidential Appointments and I know your recommendation will be given careful consideration.

I very much appreciate your interest in this matter and I welcomed receiving your letter.

Sincerely,

Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

The Honorable William P. Rogers
200 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10017



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March 21, 1975

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

Dear Phil:

I understand that Alfred W. Blumrosen is under consideration as General Counsel for the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission. I recently have had occasion to work closely with Mr. Blumrosen on a matter within this area and was very impressed with his qualifications and ability. Mr. Blumrosen's dedication to the cause of equal employment has spanned his legal career and yet he is fair and reasonable in his approach to problems and persons involved. He has been a consultant to the New Jersey Civil Rights Commission, the Office of Equal Opportunity of Housing and Urban Development, and to the Office of Federal Contract Compliance of the Department of Labor. He is, moreover, intimately familiar with the administrative workings of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, having served as Chief of Federal-State Liaison and Chief of Conciliations.

He has also served on the New Jersey Mediation Board, the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service and the panel of arbitrators of the American Arbitration Service.



Mr. Blumrosen has willingly shared his knowledge in the field of equal employment opportunities with others and is the author of numerous articles on employment discrimination and of BLACK EMPLOYMENT AND THE LAW. Mr. Blumrosen is highly regarded by all who know him. I certainly feel that he would make an excellent choice as General Counsel.

With warm personal regards.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bill", written in dark ink.

William P. Rogers



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

March 27, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: BILL WALKER

FROM:

PHILIP BUCHEN

P.W.B.

Attached is a recommendation from Bill Rogers suggesting Alfred Blumrosen for the position of General Counsel for the EEOC.

Attachment

FOR

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 16, 1975

*Personnel
President's
1975*

*Boorstin,
Daniel J*

Dear Mr. Boorstin:

I have your letter of June 13 setting forth your understanding of the limitations applicable to your anticipated service as Librarian of Congress. The principles set forth in your letter are in accord with the views of the Counsel's office.

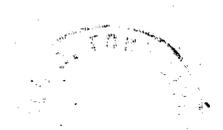
I trust this satisfies your inquiry.

Sincerely,

Philip W. Buchen

Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. Daniel J. Boorstin
3541 Ordway Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20016



DANIEL J. BOORSTIN

3541 Ordway Street, N.W.
Washington, D. C. 20016

June 13, 1975

Mr. Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. Buchen:

About a month ago I was highly honored to be asked by Mr. Walker on behalf of the President to accept nomination to be Librarian of Congress. After careful consideration I advised Mr. Walker that I could give an affirmative reply only if I were assured that, at the same time I fulfilled my responsibilities as Librarian of Congress, I could also, much as Archibald MacLeish did, continue my scholarly activities. Indeed I stated my belief that the Office of Librarian of Congress was perhaps unique in the Government in being a position which could be more effectively filled in the interest of Congress and the Nation by a person who was an active scholar. The Librarian must, of course, spare no time or effort to run the vast Library efficiently and imaginatively. But in addition he should also try to enhance the stature of the Office -- and so of the Library -- in the intellectual world; and to this end it is advantageous that he maintain and develop his contributions as a scholar.

I was pleased to be informed that the President is in full accord with this view of the Office. During the past month, while the security investigation was proceeding, I have had many conferences and conversations with your colleagues in the White House about the proper scope of my personal activities if I should be nominated and confirmed as Librarian of Congress. Throughout I have fully disclosed, both orally and in writing, my plans and intentions.

Now that you have apparently reached the stage of wanting to send my name forward to the Senate, I wish to confirm my understanding of the President's and the White House counsel's position as to the appropriate scope of my personal activities. Generally, I would be guided by the principles set forth on pages 31 and 32 of the 1975 edition of LC and You: A Handbook of Information for the Staff. It is there stated that one may engage in other employment not in the federal government, provided the work does not conflict with one's

duties and obligations to the Library and that one does not make use of special information obtained as a result of one's Library employment.

Specifically, as to my non-official writing, editing, or other activities:

1. I will, of course, disclose the essential elements of all such activities to which I have already been committed, to the appropriate Congressional Committee at the time of my confirmation hearings.
2. As long as I discharge my official responsibilities, I can carry on my research, can write, or edit, at any time or place.
3. I will not in any way use my official position, nor make use of special information obtained as a result of my Library employment, to promote my personal activities.
4. There would be no restrictions on my receiving remuneration for the research, writing, or other activities carried on in accordance with the guidelines laid out above.

If the above accurately reflects the view of the White House, then I am agreeable to having my nomination go forward to the Senate. If in any respect the above is not an accurate statement of the proper scope of my outside personal activities, I would request that the White House not send my nomination forward or make any announcement of it, until we have been able to discuss the matter further and then confirm our understanding in writing.

Sincerely yours,


Daniel J. Boorstin



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 17, 1975

Dear John:

Many thanks for your letter of June 11 expressing your interest in serving on a Board or Commission dealing with educational matters.

I suggest that you write to Mr. Douglas Bennett, Director of the Office of Presidential Personnel, stating the details of your background, qualifications and particular interest.

Very best regards.

Sincerely,



Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. John K. Boerema
Director of Placement
Grand Rapids Junior College
143 Bostwick, N. E.
Grand Rapids, Michigan 49502

*Boerema,
John*
*Pres. Personnel
(Ken)*



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Brehm
William K.

March 3, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: PHILIP W. BUCHEN
FROM: DOUGLAS P. BENNETT *DB*
SUBJECT: Waiver of Conflict of Interest
and Security Investigation for
Purposes of Announcement--
Assistant Secretary of Defense,
Legislative Affairs

The President wishes to announce his intention to appoint William K. Brehm as Assistant Secretary of Defense for Legislative Affairs. I request that you waive the normal procedures for the purposes of nomination and announcement.

P. W. B. Agree

_____ Disagree



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

~~September 30~~ October 4 1976

Press
~~*Never sent*~~

MEMORANDUM FOR:

RON NESSEN

FROM:

PHILIP BUCHEN *P.*

The Wall Street Journal ^{has.} ~~will be carrying~~ a story ^{today} ~~tomorrow morning~~ about one of the White House fellows who has been serving as Special Assistant to Secretary Carla Hills.

The man involved is B. Porter Briggs who is an owner of Briggs Associates, Inc., in Little Rock, Arkansas. Apparently, this affiliation was not deemed to involve a conflict of interest, but it now appears that the firm has attempted to exploit, to its advantage, the presence of Porter Briggs in the Department of HUD. The basis for this finding is in the attached ad which appeared in the Sunday issue of a Little Rock paper.

After this ad came to Carla's attention, she immediately got in touch with Bruce Hasenkamp who is the Director of the President's Commission on White House Fellowships. The result was that Bruce Hasenkamp asked for and received the resignation of Briggs.

Attachment

cc: Dick Cheney
Jim Connor



PRESIDENT'S
COMMISSION ON WHITE HOUSE FELLOWSHIPS
THE WHITE HOUSE

September 30, 1976

Dear Mr. Hasenkamp:

I hereby resign my appointment as a White House
Fellow, effective immediately.

Sincerely yours,


B. Porter Briggs

Bruce H. Hasenkamp, Director
President's Commission on
White House Fellowships
Washington, D. C. 20415



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DATE

TO :

FROM: Carla A. Hills



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Honorable Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President
The White House
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June 11, 1976

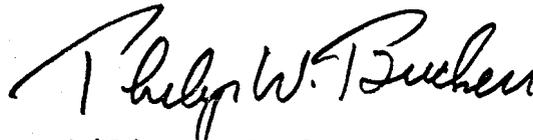
*Received by
Mr. Brunger
(10/11/76)*

Dear Mr. Brunger:

Thank you very much for your letter in which you express an interest in working at the White House or in one of the Federal departments after you have completed your work for admission to the Texas Bar.

My own staff in the White House is a very small one, and I do not anticipate that there will be any vacancies in the near future. However, I am passing on the information you have sent to the Office of Presidential Personnel, where I know it will be given careful consideration.

Sincerely,



Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. Mark A. Brunger
1921 Moser, Apt. 123
Dallas, Texas 75206



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 11, 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: DOUG BENNETT

FROM: PHIL BUCHEN *P.*

Attached is material concerning Mark A. Brunger, which includes his incoming letter, his resume and my reply letter.

I would very much appreciate your having someone in your office contact Mr. Brunger to advise him of what opportunities there may be.

Members of Mr. Brunger's family are good friends of the President and mine.

Attachments



Mark A. Brunger
1921 Moser, Apt. 123
Dallas, TX. 75206

June 7, 1976

The White House
Counsel to the President
Mr. Buchen
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Buchen:

I am a resident of Grand Rapids who has recently graduated from Southern Methodist University School of Law. My career interests lie in international corporate law.

My uncle, William W. Idema, and his father, Walter D. Idema, suggested that I inquire with you as to possible employment as a lawyer in the White House or with a federal department in my area of interest. My family has been long-time supporters of President Ford, and my cousin, Myron Aldrink, was elected a Republican delegate for the President in the May 18th Michigan primary.

If you could provide some assistance in my search for a legal position, my family and I would be deeply appreciative. Currently I am preparing to take the Texas Bar in July, but I would be happy to interview at your convenience after that date. I have enclosed my resume.

Sincerely yours,

Mark A. Brunger
Mark A. Brunger





MARK A. BRUNGER

Graduation

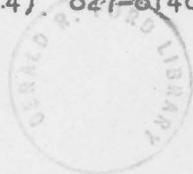
May, 1976

Southern Methodist University
School of Law

Present address:

1921 Moser, Apt. 123
Dallas, Texas 75206

Telephone: (214) 827-8146



DEGREE:

Juris Doctor, Southern Methodist University School of Law, May, 1976

PROFESSIONAL PREFERENCES:

Corporate and Commercial Law Area; General Civil Trial Practice

LAW SCHOOL RECORD:

Dates Attended: August, 1973 through May, 1976.

Professional organizations: Delta Theta Phi Law Fraternity, Criminal Law Association, International Law Society.

Law School Grades: 1st Year - 76.0; 2nd Year - 79.9; 3rd Year - 82.7
Final Cumulative Average - 79.4

: Commercial and Corporate Law Courses:

Business Associations I	- 78	Negotiable Instruments	- 85
Business Associations II	- 81	Sales and Secured Transactions	- P
Securities Regulation	- 84	Personal Injury Litigation	- 85
Income Taxation	- 81	Workmen's Compensation	- 87
Creditor's Rights	- 77		

: Probate, Procedural, Criminal and Constitutional Law:

Wills and Administration	- 79	Federal Criminal Trial Practice	- 85
Trusts	- 76	Criminal Justice Administration	- 82
Texas Pre-Trial Procedure	- 84	Constitutional Law I	- 91
Federal Courts	- 89		

PREVIOUS EDUCATION:

College: Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Michigan
From June, 1970 to June, 1973

Degree Received: Bachelor of Arts in Political Science
G.P.A.: 3.59/4.0

College Activities: Dean's List

High School: Grand Rapids Christian High School, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1970. Key Club

PERSONAL DATA:

Date and Place of Birth: Chicago, Illinois, November 3, 1952

Height: 6'5"

Weight: 160 lbs; Health excellent

Marital Status: Single

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brunger, 2150 Cambridge, SE,
Grand Rapids, Michigan. Father's occupation:
Commercial Illustrator



WORK EXPERIENCE:

Arsulowicz & Meana, Attorneys at Law, 1126 McKay Tower, Grand Rapids, Michigan 49502

Employed: May, 1975 - August, 1975 as summer clerk.

Work experience has been writing complaints, filing and making motions in court, interviewing clients, legal and factual research and the voir diring of a jury in a misdemeanor case.

REFERENCES:

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Mr. Lionel Wernick
Vice-President, Law Department, Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn
383 Madison Avenue (212) 355-5800
New York, N.Y. 10017

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Hobbies and Sports: Tennis, Water skiing, Golf, Handball.

Special Skills: Fair typing speed, good conversationalist and enjoy meeting people.



*Pres.
Appointments*

*Browell
Robert*

January 21, 1975

Dear Mr. Browell:

My apologies to you for not having acknowledged your earlier letter of December second. However, as my files show, I did pass on your original letter to the Director, Office of Presidential Appointments.

I believe you will be hearing from that office in due course.

Sincerely yours,

Philip W. Buchen
Counsel to the President

Mr. Robert R. Browell
Director
Big Brothers of Sheboygan County, Inc.
604 Michigan Avenue
Sheboygan, Wisconsin 53081

PWBuchen:ed



*Bryant
D. Tenant,*

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

7/29/76

Phil --

We do not have any material as yet on D. Tenant Bryant as he is only now under preliminary consideration. The appointment would be to the U. S. Advisory Commission on Information, authorized by 22 U.S.C. 1466, copy attached.

Basically, the Commission is empowered to recommend policies to carry out the mission of the U. S. Information Agency.

Ken



Similar Provisions. Similar provisions were contained in the following prior Appropriations Acts:

1962—Oct. 18, 1962, Pub.L. 87-943, Title V, § 501, 76 Stat. 1104.	1958—June 30, 1958, Pub.L. 85-474, Title IV, § 401, 72 Stat. 258.
1961—Sept. 21, 1961, Pub.L. 87-264, Title IV, § 401, 75 Stat. 558.	1957—June 11, 1957, Pub.L. 85-49, Title IV, § 401, 71 Stat. 68.
1960—Aug. 31, 1960, Pub.L. 86-678, Title IV, § 401, 74 Stat. 569.	1956—June 20, 1956, c. 414, Title IV, § 401, 70 Stat. 312.
1959—July 13, 1959, Pub.L. 86-84, Title IV, § 401, 73 Stat. 194.	1955—July 7, 1955, c. 279, Title IV, § 401, 69 Stat. 279.
	1954—July 2, 1954, c. 456, Title IV, § 401, 68 Stat. 432.

§ 1462. Policies governing information activities

In authorizing international information activities under this chapter, it is the sense of the Congress (1) that the Secretary shall reduce such Government information activities whenever corresponding private information dissemination is found to be adequate; (2) that nothing in this chapter shall be construed to give the Department a monopoly in the production or sponsorship on the air of short-wave broadcasting programs, or a monopoly in any other medium of information. Jan. 27, 1948, c. 36, Title V, § 502, 62 Stat. 10.

Library references: International Law ©=10; C.J.S. International Law § 16.

Historical Note

Transfer of Functions. The functions vested in the Secretary of State by this section and section 1461, together with so much of the functions as is incidental to or is necessary for the performance of such functions were transferred to the Director of the United States Information Agency by 1953 Reorg. Plan No. 8, eff. Aug. 1, 1953, 18 F.R. 4542, set out as a note under section 1461 of this title.

SUBCHAPTER VI.—ADVISORY COMMISSIONS TO FORMULATE POLICIES

§ 1466. United States Advisory Commission on Information and United States Advisory Commission on Educational Exchange; creation and duties

There are created two advisory commissions, (1) United States Advisory Commission on Information (hereinafter in this subchapter referred to as the Commission on Information) and (2) United States Advisory Commission on Educational Exchange (hereinafter in this subchapter referred to as the Commission on Educational Exchange) to be constituted as provided in section 1467 of this title. The Commissions shall formulate and recommend to the Secretary policies and programs for the carrying out of this chapter: *Provided, however,* That the commissions created by this section shall have no authority over the Board of Foreign Scholarships or the program created by sections 1619 and 1641 of Appendix to Title 50, or the



United States National Commission for UNESCO. Jan. 27, 1948, c. 36, Title VI, § 601, 62 Stat. 10.

Library references: United States 29; C.J.S. United States §§ 34, 62.

Partial Repeal

Pub.L. 87-256, § 111(a) (2), Sept. 21, 1961, 75 Stat. 538, repealed sections 1466-1468 of this title insofar as they relate to the Advisory Commission on Educational Exchange. See chapter 33 of this title.

Historical Note

References in Text. Sections 1619 and 1641 of Appendix to Title 50, referred to in the text, were repealed by Acts June 30, 1949, c. 288, Title VI, § 602(a) (1), 63 Stat. 399, eff. July 1, 1949, renumbered Sept. 5, 1950, c. 849, § 6(a), (b), 64 Stat. 583, and Sept. 21, 1961, Pub.L. 87-256, § 111(a) (1), 75 Stat. 538.

Continuation of Certain Executive Orders, Agreements, Determinations, Regulations, Contracts, Appointments, and Other Actions. Continuation in full force and

effect, and applicability to the appropriate provisions of the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act of 1961, set out as chapter 33 of this title, until modified or superseded by appropriate authority, of all Executive orders, agreements, determinations, regulations, contracts, appointments and other actions issued, concluded, or taken under authority of these sections, see section 111(b) of Pub.L. 87-256, set out as a note under section 2451 of this title.

§ 1467. Commissions—Composition and membership qualifications

(a) Each Commission shall consist of five members, not more than three of whom shall be from any one political party. Members shall be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. No person holding any compensated Federal or State office shall be eligible for appointment.

Representation of the public interest on Commission on Information

(b) The members of the Commission on Information shall represent the public interest, and shall be selected from a cross section of professional, business, and public service backgrounds.

Representation of the public interest on Commission on Educational Exchange

(c) The members of the Commission on Educational Exchange shall represent the public interest and shall be selected from a cross section of educational, cultural, scientific, technical, and public service backgrounds.

Term of office

(d) The term of each member appointed under subsection (a) of this section shall be three years, except that the terms of office of such members first taking office on each Commission shall expire, as designated by the President at the time of appointment, two at the

end of one year, two at three years from January 1, 1961, a vacancy occurring prior to the end of his predecessor is appointed for the unexpired term of such term. Upon the expiration of such term, he may continue to serve until he is reappointed or his term is otherwise qualified.

(e) The President shall select members from among members of the Commission.

(f) The members of the Commission shall be entitled to compensation for their services, including reimbursement for travel expenses, including the expense of meetings of the Commission, as provided in section 5305 of Title 5, United States Code.

(g) The Commission shall submit recommendations as they may deem appropriate to be referred upon them by the President.

(h) The Department of State shall provide the material and clerical assistance necessary for the Commission. 36, Title VI, § 602, 62 Stat. 10.

Library references: United States 29; C.J.S. United States §§ 34, 62.

Pub.L. 87-256, § 111(a) (2), Sept. 21, 1961, 75 Stat. 538, repealed sections 1466-1468 of this title insofar as they relate to the Advisory Commission on Educational Exchange. See chapter 33 of this title.

Continuation of Certain Executive Orders, Agreements, Determinations, Regulations, Contracts, Appointments, and Other Actions. Continuation in full force and effect, and applicability to the appropriate provisions of the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act of 1961, set out as chapter 33 of this title.

§ 1468. Recommendations

The Commission shall submit recommendations to the President at least once a month during the first



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Designation of chairmen

(e) The President shall designate a chairman for each Commission from among members of the Commission.

Compensation; travel allowances

(f) The members of the Commissions shall receive no compensation for their services as such members but shall be entitled to reimbursement for travel and subsistence in connection with attendance of meetings of the Commissions away from their places of residences, as provided in subsection (6) of section 1471 of this title.

Rules and regulations

(g) The Commissions are authorized to adopt such rules and regulations as they may deem necessary to carry out the authority conferred upon them by this subchapter.

Secretarial and clerical assistance

(h) The Department is authorized to provide the necessary secretarial and clerical assistance for the Commissions. Jan. 27, 1948, c. 36, Title VI, § 602, 62 Stat. 10.

Library references: United States 35; C.J.S. United States §§ 35, 37, 62-64.

Partial Repeal

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§ 1468. Recommendations and reports

The Commissions shall meet not less frequently than once each month during the first six months after their establishment, and

thereafter at such intervals as the Commissions find advisable, and shall transmit to the Secretary a quarterly report, and to the Congress a semiannual report of all programs and activities carried on under the authority of this chapter, including appraisals, where feasible, as to the effectiveness of the several programs, and such recommendations as shall have been made by the Commissions to the Secretary for effectuating the purposes and objectives of this chapter and the action taken to carry out such recommendations. Jan. 27, 1948, c. 36, Title VI, § 603, 62 Stat. 11.

Library references: United States Ⓢ40; C.J.S. United States §§ 38-40.

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SUBCHAPTER VII.—ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE

§ 1471. Authority of Secretary of State

In carrying out the purposes of this chapter, the Secretary is authorized, in addition to and not in limitation of the authority otherwise vested in him—

(1) In carrying out subchapter II of this chapter, within the limitation of such appropriations as the Congress may provide, to make grants of money, services, or materials to State and local governmental institutions in the United States, to governmental institutions in other countries, and to individuals and public or private nonprofit organizations both in the United States and in other countries;

(2) to furnish, sell, or rent, by contract or otherwise, educational and information materials and equipment for dissemination to, or use by, peoples of foreign countries;

(3) whenever necessary in carrying out subchapter V of this chapter, to purchase, rent, construct, improve, maintain, and operate facilities for radio transmission and reception, including

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

May 19, 1975

*Butterfield
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MEMORANDUM FOR: PHIL BUCHEN
FROM: DUDLEY CHAPMAN *DC*
SUBJECT: Alex Butterfield Pension

I recommend that we take no position on this, other than to indicate to Congressman Rooney that the President would sign the bill if it reaches his desk.

Butterfield's problem is that he resigned from the military to take the position as Administrator of the FAA consistent with the separation of the military and civilian roles. As a result, he gave up his military pension rights. The sacrifice involved appears unfair, but this must be weighed against a strong Congressional policy and his willingness to take this step.

If the Administration were to endorse this legislation, it would seem party to a scheme directed at circumventing the military-civilian separation. There might also be the appearance of a deal that the Administration agreed to support this request in return for his resignation. (I do not know whether this was, in fact, the case.)

If Congress, on its own initiative, passes the private relief legislation, there would be no objection to the President signing it, and this degree of support could be indicated to Congressman Rooney now.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 16, 1975

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For your handling.

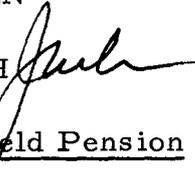
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 15, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: PHIL BUCHEN
FROM: JACK MARSH 
SUBJECT: Alex Butterfield Pension

Congressman Fred Rooney would like to be helpful in reference to obtaining the pension rights Alex Butterfield had earned as an Air Force officer but which were forfeited after 18 years of service. I gather that he accepted the FAA post at President Nixon's request prior to qualifying for 20 years service.

Rooney would like to help remedy this through a private bill but will await our guidance and instructions.

cc: Don Rumsfeld



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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Byington, John

Dear Phil -

This is the letter I discussed with you by phone yesterday. I hope it helps.

John's first "official" interview in the Personnel office is set for tomorrow (9-24-75) with Jack Shaw and I presume a meeting with Doug Bennett will follow.

Thanks for mentioning your interest in John to Rod Mills and Paul Mac Avey. John and I will keep you informed about any major progress or problems. Cordially -
Virginia



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 23, 1975

Dear Mr. President:

Since you may very well decide on your nominee for the Chairmanship of the Consumer Product Safety Commission while I am in China during the next few weeks, I want to be strongly and personally on record supporting my Deputy, S. John Byington, for that position.

John and I have worked closely together during these past 20 months and I am pleased to report that he is the brightest, most competent young man I have had on my staff in these past six years. He is an outstanding manager with an ability to motivate people and cut quickly to the heart of an issue. His experience, enthusiasm, and cool steady head and hand under pressure -- plus his political savvy and thorough understanding of the governmental system as well as his practical, common sense approach to problem solving have made him an invaluable associate and the key person in the development of your Departmental Consumer Representation plans.

John's prior experience and record of excellence in business and law as well as politics and government at all levels make him by far the best possible choice in my estimation for the Chairmanship of the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

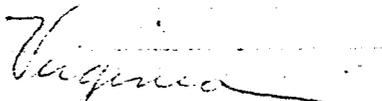
I can assure you that the CPSC's present and most unfortunate reputation for "arrogance" would swiftly disappear. In addition to John's outstanding qualifications for the Chairmanship, it is this important need for a significant and complete break with the past that I would not recommend the naming of any present Commissioners to the Chairmanship.



Although I will miss him greatly, I deeply believe that John's extraordinary talents can best be utilized in providing the necessary strong leadership, moderate tone and regulatory fairness so essential at this time at the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

John has the essential skills and the necessary credibility among industry and consumer leaders. He is highly confirmable. Also Sally and the children will be supportive of him in this most important endeavor. So all things considered, Mr. President, I urge you to name S. John Byington to the CPSC Chairmanship.

Sincerely,


Virginia H. Knauer

The Honorable Gerald R. Ford
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

