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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 17, 1987

MEMORANDUM FOR COLIN POWELL

FROM: RHETT DAWSON *RD*
SUBJECT: Embassy Security

Tom Griscom and I discussed today upcoming reports on Embassy security and the planning for Presidential consideration of any recommendations.

As you and your staff are doubtless coordinating the various activities, would you please have prepared for Senator Baker a summary of the status of these reports, and the probable recommendations flowing from each?

cc: Tom Griscom
cc: John Tuck for HHB/KD ✓

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 29, 1987

MEMORANDUM FOR RHETT DAWSON

FROM:

JOHN C. TUCKER

SUBJECT:

WHITE HOUSE PASS SYSTEM

I don't think Steve got your message.

Recommended action:

- 1) Reissue the all hands memo that went out over Jim Baker's signature in 1983.
- 2) Communicate with the head of the uniformed division about certain exemptions in the West Wing for certain individuals.

Conclusion:

Then every Assistant to the President not listed on the the attached (like Bill Henkel) won't go for your jugglers.

TO: Rhett B. Dawson

June 26, 1987

FM: Stephen J. Harrison

Subject: White House Pass System

Per our most recent conversation I have attached a rework of the proposed White House Pass System Memo. I simply listed the names you mentioned as exemptions. The Secret Service's desire is to limit the exemptions and have all passholders wear their passes at all times. I would be happy to brief others or answer questions anyone may have regarding these procedures. The important point is that whatever formula is agreed upon we would like to get a memo out as soon as possible as their appears to be confusion.

JCT
Try this one
Rhett

6-29

Rhett

- I don't think Steve got your message -

- Recommended action -

- 1.) Revise the all hands memo that went out over Jim Baker's signature in 1983

- 2.) Communicate with the head of the Uniformed Division about certain exemptions in the West Wing for certain individuals

Conclusion - Then every ASST to the President not listed on the attached (like Bill Hinkley) won't go for your juggler

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

July 2, 1987

MEMORANDUM FOR RHETT DAWSON

FROM: JOHN C. TUCK 

SUBJECT: Attached

Secretary Pierce discussed this matter with Senator Baker during their meeting last week.

At first blush, the Senator is impressed with this proposal; however, he is seeking your views and recommendations.

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The Honorable Samuel R. Pierce
Secretary of Housing and Urban Development
c/o Miss Starr Eckert
451 7th Avenue S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20410

March 24, 1987

Dear Mr. Pierce,

I seek your kind assistance in bringing a matter of historical and social significance to the attention of The President. Please permit me to introduce myself. I am a member of the Harvard Medical School Faculty and Director of The Harvard Foundation. I have served Harvard University for the past sixteen years as a science professor and administrator.

I recently wrote President Ronald Reagan to seek his support for my campaign to have an American hero given his due recognition and a resting place commensurate with his patriotic contributions to our nation. This American hero is Matthew Henson (1866-1955) co-discoverer of the North Pole. I asked President Reagan to please consider transferring Henson's remains from their present site to a place of honor among other American heroes in Arlington National Cemetery. Under the new eligibility rules for burial only the President can order Henson's remains transferred to their rightful place in Arlington National Cemetery. This official act would have tremendous support from the American people, and would serve to further demonstrate The President's commitment to racial justice.

As you probably know, on April 6, 1909, two Americans discovered the North Pole and, in so doing, won a great honor for the United States. They were Robert Edwin Peary, a White man, and his associate of 23 years, Matthew Alexander Henson, a Black man. By all accounts, Henson deserves equal credit for the success of the North Pole discovery, but was denied proper recognition because of his race and the racial attitudes of the era. According to historical biographers, when they reached the North Pole, Peary agreed that Henson, the first to arrive, should plant the American Flag at the top of the Earth. Peary was officially recognized for the North Pole discovery by the United States Government and promoted to the rank of Rear Admiral in the U.S. Navy. When he died in 1920, he was buried with honors in Arlington National Cemetery. Henson, on the other hand, was given the paltry appointment of "messenger boy" in the New York Customs House by President Taft. He was finally given a medal by the Navy in 1936, but died broke, and was buried without national honors in New York City's Woodlawn Cemetery in 1955.

I have already received an unsatisfactory response from an Assistant Secretary of the Army who maintains that under the new rules Henson is ineligible for burial in Arlington National Cemetery because he was not officially in the military. This is incorrect and unfair. The United States Navy had documented restrictions on the number of Black Americans in its ranks in the period that Henson worked for Naval Officer Peary (1891-1909). Minorities in the Navy were generally confined to duty as valets. Henson served as Lieutenant Peary's valet in 1887 and later on Government payroll as Peary's assistant at the League Island Navy Yard in Philadelphia (1888-1891). He continued to serve as assistant to Commander Peary over the next eighteen years of Arctic exploration.

Mr. Secretary, I would greatly appreciate your support of this effort, and your help in bringing this matter to the attention of The President. I am certain that this long overdue recognition for Matthew Henson will have historic import and will please patriotic Americans of all races, colors, and creeds. It will be especially important to Matthew Henson's surviving 80 year old Amer-Eskimo son who will make his first visit the U.S.A. on June 1, 1987 to meet his American relatives and visit the birth and resting places of his father.

Respectfully yours,

Dr. S. Allen Counter

SAC/rc
Enclosures

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date: _____

10/26

TO:

JCT

FROM

RHETT B. DAWSON
Assistant to the President
for Operations

file

☒ Information

☐ Action

☐ Let's Discuss

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RESUME

WORK HISTORY:

Assistant Administrator for Hospital Services
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Administrative responsibility for Hospital Service departments including Laboratory Medicine, Pathology, Infection Control, Social Work, Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, Respiratory Therapy, Pharmacy and clinical divisions of Neurology and Nephrology, with combined operating budget in excess of \$16 million.

Responsible for hospital's contract services, including preparation, negotiation and administration of all managed care contracts. Coordination of JCAH accreditation survey and local licensure inspection. Administrative representative to District of Columbia Hospital Association. Preceptor for administrative residents, 1983 to present.

Management Assistant to the Administrator
Georgetown University Hospital July, 1978 - July, 1980

Management staff assistant to the Administrator, with responsibility for coordinating assignments for administrative staff. Coordination of hospital accreditation surveys and licensure inspections. Preparation of annual report. Monitoring operational activities on hospital-wide basis. Development of position papers. Analysis of legislative and regulatory material.

Utilization Coordinator
Georgetown University Hospital November, 1971 - June, 1978

Directed the Department of Utilization and Admission Review. Set up hospital-wide PSRO program. Responsibility for hiring, training and evaluation of employees. Budget preparation. Administrative duties included coordination of all Utilization Review Committee activities, writing proposals, policies and procedures. Acted as liaison with outside agencies and third party payors. Classroom presentations to medical students and orientation of others as required.

WORK HISTORY: (continued)

Medical Record Analyst 1968 - 1970
General Rose Memorial Hospital
Denver, Colorado

Medical Record Assistant 1961 - 1964
John A. Andrew Memorial Hospital
Tuskegee Institute, Alabama

EDUCATION:

Bachelor of Science, Business and Management
University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS:

National Association of Health Service Executives
Seminar Leader

District of Columbia Hospital Association
Committee on Hospital Management
DCRA Licensure Regulation Advisory Group
Task Force on AIDS

Montgomery County Medical Care Foundation
Advisory Group

Tri-State Hospital Association
Program Committee

FACULTY APPOINTMENT:

Adjunct faculty appointment, Department of Health Service
Administration, George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

June, 1983 - June, 1984

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:

Metropolitan Washington Board of Trade
Prep Club Instructor

Christmas In April

References furnished upon request.