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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 19, 1982

Dear Mr. Abell:

Thank you for your letter. I know that President Reagan will appreciate your support and suggestions as much as I do.

While the volume of mail which the President receives daily does not always allow for an immediate response on his behalf, you can be sure that your letter to him will receive close and careful attention.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Nelson Abell, III
Abell Corporation
Post Office Drawer 4540
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ABELL CORPORATION

March 25, 1982

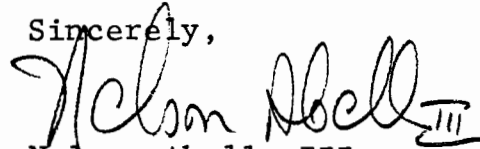
Mr. Michael Deaver
The White House
Washington, DC 20006

Dear Mr. Deaver:

At Bill Moran's suggestion, I am forwarding a copy of my recent letter to President Reagan to you, in hopes that Mr. Reagan can read it to maintain his touch, personally, with the views of productive, young, "middle-class" Americans.

Our companies are fortunate to do business across the United States, with emphasis in the South, Southwest, West Coast and Midwest. The feelings I expressed are representative of people with ambition and a sense of responsibility in all these areas.

Sincerely,



Nelson Abell, III

NDA:1b

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 20, 1982

Dear Mr. Prime Minister:

Thank you for the marvelous assortment of Jamaican products you so graciously bestowed on me during our short trip to Jamaica recently. Carolyn and I are enjoying the culinary delights in the basket.

I was sorry that we were not able to stay longer in your beautiful country.

Thank you again for your thoughtfulness.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

The Rt. Hon. Edward P. G. Seaga, P. C.
Prime Minister of Jamaica
Kingston, Jamaica

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 20, 1982

Dear Christine:

Thank you for your letter describing your concerns over the revocation of Executive Order 11643.

First, I wish to assure you that the President had the benefit of advice from several Cabinet-level officers, the Environmental Protection Agency and the Council on Environmental Quality prior to making his decision to revoke the order. The Interior Department consulted fully with the other agencies in arriving at its recommendation and informed them of its views.

As you note in your letter, the repeal has no practical consequence because EPA has not licensed any chemical agents for predator control.

We believe that the circumstances that gave rise to the need for an absolute prohibition of the type contained in Executive Order 11643 no longer exist. Since promulgation of the order, Congress has enacted the Endangered Species Act and various statutes directing EPA to impose stringent controls on the use of chemical toxicants.

If a chemical predator control agent can meet the EPA's standards, we believe that the environment will not be threatened. Thus, rather than have the President in effect directly regulating the use of substances that are supposedly regulated by EPA, we believed it appropriate to rescind the Executive Order as obsolete and duplicative of the statutes passed subsequent to its promulgation.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Ms. Christine Stevens
Society for Animal
Protective Legislation
P.O. Box 3719 Georgetown Station
Washington, D.C. 20007

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 19, 1982

NOTE FOR MIKE DEEVER

FROM: CRAIG FULLER

I was directly involved in this matter. The decision was made to withdraw the Executive Order so that in the event EPA lifts the ban on the chemical in question -- all attention wouldn't shift to the White House. Such determinations should be made by EPA not the White House. It was a foolish Executive Order.

4/12

Mike
Draft is for
your approval.
C.F.

OFFICE OF CABINET AFFAIRS ACTION TRACKING WORKSHEET

Action resulting from:

☒ document (attached)☐ telephone call☐ meeting (attach conference report if available)Document Date: 82 / 03 / 11From: Christine StevensSociety for Animal Protective
LegislationDate Received: 82 / 03 / 19

Subject: Withdrawal of Ex. Order which kept the Federal Govt.
from using certain poisons on the public lands.

ACTION CODES:

A — Appropriate Action

D — Draft Response

R — Direct Reply w/Copy

B — Briefing Paper

F — Furnish Fact Sheet

S — For Signature

C — Comment/Recommendation

I — Info Copy Only/No Action Necessary

X — Interim Reply

ROUTE TO:

Date Sent	Name	Action Codes	Date Due	Action Taken
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82 / 04 / 02	Andrews	A	82 / 04 / 09	
82 / 04 / 15	Fuller		1 / 1	draft attached
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COMMENTS: (1) Have Khedouri's people draft a reply for Deaver's signature.
CLF knows all the background if there are questions.

Originator: ☐ Dunlop ☐ Faoro ☒ Fuller ☐ Gonzalez ☐ Hart ☐ Hodapp

KEEP THIS WORKSHEET ATTACHED TO THE ORIGINAL INCOMING MATERIAL AND
WHEN THE ASSIGNED ACTION IS COMPLETE,
RETURN TO:


Office of Cabinet Affairs
Attention: Karen Hart (x-2823)
West Wing/Ground Floor

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 5, 1982

MEMORANDUM FOR: Don Crabill

FROM: Chris Andrews 

SUBJECT: Draft Response for Mike Deaver
Signature; re: EO 11643

Attached is the letter to Mike Deaver about which we spoke over the telephone. Our deadline has caught up on us, and I would appreciate it if you could help in expediting the process. If you would draft a response for Deaver's signature and send it back to me it would be a great help.

You can see that Craig Fuller has the background on this subject, and you should direct your questions to him.

SOCIETY FOR ANIMAL PROTECTIVE LEGISLATION

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March 11, 1982

Honorable Michael Deaver
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

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What is this?

Dear Mike:

Thanks for suggesting that I might send you a note on our great concern over the withdrawal of the Presidential Executive Order initiated by President Nixon and reconfirmed with some modifications by President Ford and President Carter. The original Executive Order was No. 11643, should you wish to refer to it. The Order was popularly referred to as "taking the Federal Government out of the poison business." Up until that time the Federal Government was spending millions of dollars each year spreading predator poisons on the public lands. The Executive Order ended use by Federal officials of thallium, 1080, strychnine and cyanide. Wool growers have regularly protested against this Executive Order, however, extensive hearings have repeatedly shown that the Order was a wise one.

It is our understanding that the recommendation came from the Department of the Interior to the President which led him to strike down the Executive Order of three former presidents. Interior officials made a specific effort to keep their plan to make this recommendation secret, as we know from a frank discussion with one of them.

Naturally, the many groups and individuals who have long been interested in this matter and who applauded the Republican initiative which brought about the poison ban, are tremendously concerned.

Loss of the Executive Order itself has no immediate effect, because at present these predacides are not registered, however, an extremely costly and complicated proceeding is now underway at EPA with the apparent intent by the agency of releasing these poisons for use on the public lands.

The EPA hearings are expected to be lengthy. Both sides will lay out arguments. It is regrettable that the Executive Order was stricken even before the formal hearing. Because the poison question unites conservation groups and anti-cruelty groups, very large numbers of people are extremely upset.

We have been given to understand that Interior first planned to recommend to the President only a modification of the Executive Order. Then they decided it would be "simpler" just to wipe out the Order altogether. It appears, therefore, that the President was not given the full information which would have enabled him to make his own decision. I hope it may be possible for him to reinstate the Executive Order with modifications no more wide-ranging than those made by other Administrations.

Best wishes,

Sincerely,

Christine

Christine Stevens
Secretary

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 20, 1982

Dear Mr. Davies:

I am sincerely sorry that my schedule didn't allow us to visit when you were here. I am pleased, however, that you enjoyed the brief tour of the West Wing.

I hope that the next time you are in Washington, D.C., or I am in the Napa Valley, we will be able to arrange a visit.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Jack L. Davies
Schramsberg Winery
Calistoga, California 94515



Mark

Michael Deaver
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20050

April 6, 1982

Dear Mr. Deaver:

Mrs. Davies and I would like to thank you for the courtesy extended to us by Shirley Moore. We appreciated the chance to have a look at the re-decorated White House and to enjoy again the collection of national treasures.

We appreciate greatly the interest shown in our wines and we'll continue to make every effort to merit that confidence. Should you be in the Napa Valley, we hope you'll give us a chance to have you visit Schramsberg.

Sincerely,



Jack L. Davies

JLD/b

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 20, 1982

Dear Mr. Plough:

Thank you for sending the Abstract of activities Eisenhower College sponsored this past fall.

I, too, hope that in the Fall I will be able to join you for continuing dialog.

Thank you again for your thoughtfulness in providing this report.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Thomas R. Plough
Executive Dean
Eisenhower College of
Rochester Institute of Technology
Seneca Falls, New York 13148

Report see to Central file

The President Dwight D. Eisenhower
National Memorial

EISENHOWER COLLEGE

Thank

April 9, 1982

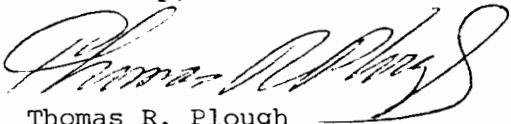
The Honorable Michael K. Deaver
Deputy Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mr. Deaver:

I am proud to send you the enclosed Abstract of activities sponsored this past fall by Eisenhower College. This newly established annual event reflects stewardship of our mission as The National Memorial to President Dwight David Eisenhower.

I know that you will enjoy reading this report. Perhaps you will be able to join us in the Fall of 1982 for this continuing dialogue. Our main theme will feature more about the rich contributions of "Ike" and the transferability of his values and practices to the complex issues of both the United States and our larger global society.

Sincerely,



Thomas R. Plough
Executive Dean
Eisenhower College of
Rochester Institute of Technology

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 20, 1982

Dear Mr. Strober:

Michael Deaver asked that I respond to your March 31 letter to him, requesting permission to author a book that would detail the activities of the President and First Lady during a typical day at the White House. While we certainly appreciate your expression of interest, neither the President nor the First Lady has an interest in a book being written at this early date.

Thank you for your letter. I regret that we could not be of more encouragement.

Sincerely,

Orig. signed by FFF

Fred F. Fielding
Counsel to the President

Mr. Gerald Strober
25 East End Avenue
New York, New York 10028

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bcc: ✓ Michael K. Deaver

25 East End Avenue
New York, New York 10028
31 March 1982

Mr. Michael Deaver
The White House
Washington, D.C.

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Dear Mr. Deaver:

I am writing to you at the suggestion of Mrs. Von Damm.

I am a writer. My books include biographies of Billy Graham and Jerry Falwell. In 1976, Doubleday published my book dealing with a day in the life of Dr. Graham.

May I respectfully ask permission to prepare a book on a day in the lives of President and Mrs. Reagan. The book would be upbeat and positive in nature. I would write from a human interest perspective and from a political and philosophic view compatible with President Reagan.

While I would want to interview the President and Mrs. Reagan, a good portion of the research would result from conversation and contact with staff and persons familiar with the First Family.

In past years books of a similar nature were published about Presidents Kennedy and Johnson. My sense is that a book of this type would be favorably received by a wide range of readers.

I will be happy to provide professional and personal references.

Cordially,
Gerald Strober
Gerald Strober

cc: Mrs. H. Von Damm

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

April 20, 1982

Dear Jim:

Thanks for the editorial from the New York Post. We can sure use more of that kind of thinking and writing.

My best to Mary.

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

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April 8, 1982

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. Fuller".

Mr. Michael K. Deaver
Assistant to the President
The White House
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mike:

Attached is an editorial I clipped from the New York Post dated April 1, 1982.

This is one of the few times I have noted one paper take out after another in such a forceful manner.

If you haven't seen it you may want to acknowledge.

Keep up the good work.

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James W. Fuller".

James W. Fuller
Senior Vice President
Marketing

JWF/jf

Enclosure

NEW YORK POST

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The Times vs. Reagan: distorting the record

The New York Times does itself no service as a newspaper of record by repeating daily its deceptive assertions that President Reagan is maltreating the poor.

It devoted its main editorial yesterday to a farrago of misleading statements designed to show that programs that benefit children are being severely cut, or eliminated. Let us go through the charges:

The *Times* says many poor teenagers will not be able to avoid pregnancies because family planning programs have been cut by 25 per cent. Which programs? What has been cut is a block grant to states in which a single family program is included — and the expectation is that the states running that block grant will save 25 per cent in lower administrative costs.

Further, the *Times* ignores two other family planning programs for teenagers — the Maternal and Child Health Care program, part of another block grant to the states, and the Adolescent Life Program, boosted by \$5.3 million over last year to \$16 million and dealing specifically with teenage pregnancies.

The *Times* says the WIC (women, infants, children) program of special food and care for nursing mothers and their babies has been cut 30 per cent. Not so. The program is being merged with the Maternal and Child Health Care program to save \$180

53 per cent of all school children in the country, are getting some form of subsidized school lunch. Families with \$16,000 or more either pay a small fee or have their kids "brown bag" it.

The *Times* says the Administration wants to chop \$1.1 billion from Aid to Families with Dependent Children, the main welfare program, and claims that "while the cost of living is going up 10 per cent, assistance would go down 18 per cent."

Nonsense.

First, the typical welfare family — accounting for 85 per cent of the program — has not been touched.

Second, that 18 per cent is not the reduction for a typical recipient but the reduction on the federal share of a national average.

Third, the cost of living is not going up by 10 per cent but coming down: the drop in inflation means a family of four at the poverty level has \$375 more purchasing power than it would have had if inflation had continued at its rate under the Carter Administration.

Finally, the welfare benefit level is not set by the federal government but by the states.

By tightening eligibility the Administration enables the states to provide larger benefits to the needy. So far 21 states have done just that.

The *Times* says 2 million needy students will be hurt by cuts in loan

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

File

April 20, 1982

Dear Mr. Isaac:

Mr. Deaver has asked me to thank you for the record "J. Ben-Isaac - Only Human", which you recently sent him. He is enjoying it very much.

That was very thoughtful of you to remember Mr. Deaver and he appreciates it.

Sincerely,

Shirley Moore
SHIRLEY MOORE
Staff Assistant to
Michael K. Deaver

Dear Shirley - Thank you for letting me know that Mr. Deaver received the record, and I'm glad he's enjoying it. Please let me know if he'd like a cassette copy, or if you'd like a copy for yourself. Also please let me know if there's anything I can be of service with as a performer or song writer (any kind of campaign or whatever). Hope to be through D.C. this summer.
- Jim Terr.

Mr. Ben Isaac
563 Loganberry Drive
San Rafael, CA 94903

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 20, 1982

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Sincerely,

SHIRLEY MOORE
Staff Assistant to
Michael K. Deaver

Mr. Ben Isaac
563 Loganberry Drive
San Rafael, CA 94903

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 20, 1982

Dear Carol:

Thank you for alerting Mr. Deaver to the fact that your broadcasting network will be airing a special on the plight of Afghanistan next week.

I have noted April 26th at 8:00 P.M., Channel WTTG on Mr. Deaver's schedule.

Thank you again for your thoughtfulness.

Sincerely,

SHIRLEY MOORE
Staff Assistant to
Michael K. Deaver

Carol S. Holt
Foundation Director
The Christian Broadcasting Network, Inc.
CBN Center
Virginia Beach, VA 23463



A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Michael K. Deaver', written in a cursive style.

April 9, 1982

The Honorable Michael K. Deaver
Assistant to the President and
Deputy Chief of Staff
The White House Office
1600 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Deaver:

The Christian Broadcasting Network will be airing a special on the plight of Afghanistan on April 26 at 8:00 p.m. on channel WTTG.

Dr. Robertson, the president of CBN, visited Afghanistan along with a film crew and found a people desecrated by a foreign power but sustained by their determination to uphold their personal and national right to freedom.

I believe you will find this special extremely thought provoking, both personally and professionally. The special has been produced in an effort to heighten the national public awareness to the needs of the Afghans and to stimulate benevolent action in their behalf.

I would value your evaluation.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Carol S. Holt', written in a cursive style.

Carol S. Holt
Foundation Director

CSH/etw

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 21, 1982

Dear Dick:

Thanks for your thoughtfulness in sending on the book for the Reagans. I gave it to them personally and am sure they will enjoy it when they get a minute.

Again, thank you.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

The Honorable Richard Helms
4649 Garfield Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20007

RICHARD HELMS

April 12, 1982.

Dear Mike,

Would you please be so kind as to give this book to The President and Mr. Reagan on my behalf and at a convenient moment.

There is no special occasion. I simply thought to provide what I

hope will be welcome diversion
as pressures, domestic and foreign,
tighten on the White House.
This book is brand new. It is
a good read, and possibly instructive.

Thank you.

The warmest to Carolyn,

All the best,

Dick

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 21, 1982

Dear Rita:

Thanks for sending a copy of your new book The Economics and Politics of Health. I certainly appreciate your thoughtfulness and hope that it will prove useful as future speech material.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEEVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Ms. Rita Ricardo-Campbell, Ph.D.
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Stanford, California 94305



April 16, 1982

Michael K. Deaver
Deputy Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, DC

Dear Mike:

Enclosed is my new book, The Economics and Politics of Health, published by the University of North Carolina Press. The book has a wealth of material, some of which might prove useful in speeches.

Unfortunately, the index was done by a fee-lancer and leaves something to be desired. I am having it re-done.

I hope you enjoy the book.

Sincerely,
Rita

Rita Ricardo-Campbell, Ph.D.
Senior Fellow

RRC/lm
Enc:

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

April 21, 1982

Dear Mrs. Loeb:

Thank you so much for your thoughtfulness in sending the Max Hugel article. It was most interesting and most supportive.

I certainly appreciate your continuing support and your continuation of the good work that Bill did. I took the liberty of forwarding a copy of Max's article to Mrs. Reagan, who enjoyed it very much.

Again, many thanks.

Sincerely,

MICHAEL K. DEAVER
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mrs. William Loeb
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April 8, 1982
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Mr. Michael K. Deaver
Assistant to the President
Deputy Chief of Staff
The White House
Washington, DC 20510

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Dear Mr. Deaver:

Enclosed is a copy of our newspaper which carried a column by Max Hugel. I thought you might be very interested in reading this and I think what Max has said is very important for those at the White House to understand.

After all, the rest of the country is counting on all of you to carry on the battle and it cannot be done without exhausting every possible method of gaining support.

I think the President handled himself extremely well at the press conference and I hope he continues to stay in front of the American people as much as possible.

All of us here at the paper, as well as the entire country, are depending on you!

Best wishes,

Nackey S. Loeb
Mrs. William Loeb

NSL:Mrs. B. Morin

(column is back page skyline)

THE LARGEST DAILY AND ONLY SUNDAY COVERING THE NEW HAMPSHIRE MARKET



April 20, 1982

Dear Mrs. Gray:

Nancy and I send our heartfelt condolences on Dr. Gray's passing. His loss is felt by all of us who admired his indomitable spirit and faithful support of Party and principle over the years.

While words are inadequate in the face of your great loss, please know of our prayers for the Lord's peace and strength during this sorrowful time.

God bless you today and always. With our deepest sympathy,

Sincerely,

RR

Mrs. Jessie S. Gray
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Santa Cruz, California 95602

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CHARLES F. GRAY, JR.
RICHARD L. THURN

April 12, 1982

Mr. Michael Deaver
c/o The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Mike:

I regret to advise you that my father Dr. Charles F. Gray passed away on April 1, 1982 at age 85, and I am taking the liberty of enclosing the obituary notice which appeared in the San Francisco Chronicle.

My father was a life-time supporter of the Republican Party and a great admirer of President Reagan.

At the risk of imposing upon you, may I request that you arrange for the President to send a brief letter of condolence to my mother, Mrs. Jessie S. Gray, who resides at 1140 East Cliff Drive, Santa Cruz, California 95602. She is 85 years of age, and a letter from the President would be the source of great joy and comfort to her at this particular time.

With your one million responsibilities I certainly will understand if you are unable to comply with this request.

With every best wish for the future of the Republican Party, and with warmest personal regards, I remain

Sincerely yours,


CHARLES F. GRAY, JR.

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