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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

July 31, 1981

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Senior Policy Advisor

Mr. Gordon P. Ralph  
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*Ralph Gordon*

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*Answer  
7-31-81*



GORDON P. RALPH  
Vice President  
Corporate Legal Counsel

July 20, 1981

#4312

Carlton E. Turner, Ph. D.  
University of Mississippi  
Research Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences  
School of Pharmacy  
University, MS 38677

Dear Carlton:

Congratulations! The new administration showed great good judgment in asking the top man in the drug field to join the battle where he can do the most good - in Washington, D. C.!

If I, or the National Association of Independent Insurers, can be of help to you at any time, please let me know.

On word of advice. Don't get discouraged. Washington, D. C. has people who will frustrate you, give you the run-around, disagree with you, misquote you, and perhaps even ignore you. But your integrity will rise above all that, and you have a lot of friends throughout the nation that may not have had the guts or skills to tackle your job, but they will support you when you need them.

Best wishes for a large measure of exciting and happy times.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gordon P. Ralph', is written over the typed name.

Gordon P. Ralph  
Vice President  
Corporate Legal Counsel

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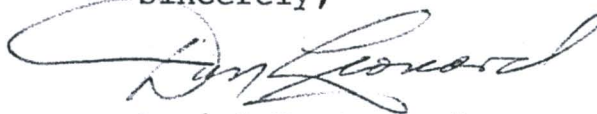
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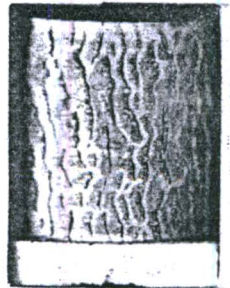
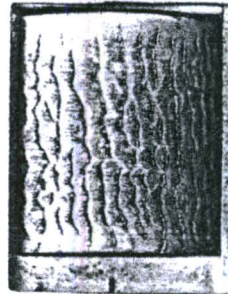
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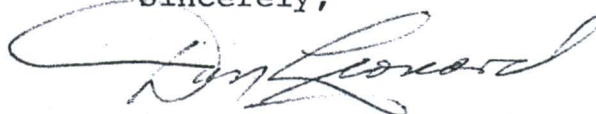
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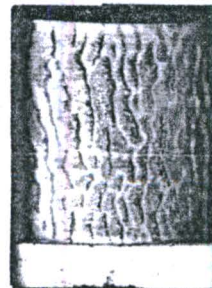
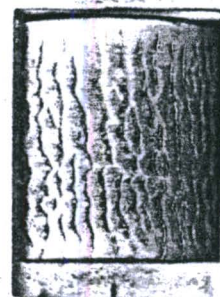
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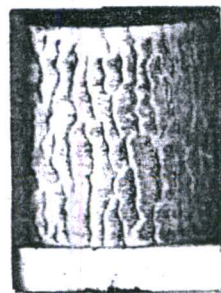
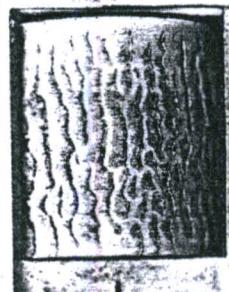
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When your travels bring you to the D.C. area, please stop by and visit with us.

Sincerely,

Carlton E. Turner, Ph.D.  
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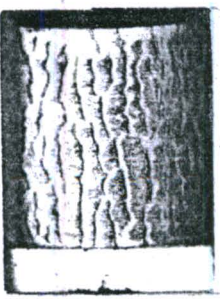
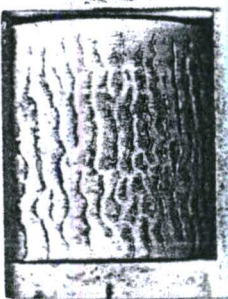
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R. GRAHAM REEDY, M.D., P.S.

August 18, 1981

Carlton E. Turner, Ph.D.

Dear Dr. Turner,

For the past two and half years, I have been actively involved in working in the area of drug abuse. We have been actively involved in the school system where we have had a pilot program in terms of educating both teachers and children as to the problems of marijuana, alcohol, and any of the psychoactive-type drugs.

As a result of this, we have had a very significant impact upon our community, a service area of about 35,000-45,000. The information we have received from many sources has been a major contribution to that success.

I have obtained frequent assistance and help from you with information either in particular articles I have seen and/or programs which have been given by you or your group.

Juneau, Alaska, has asked me to set up a community-wide parent, school, and physician information program. Likewise, I have been invited to speak to the Narcotics Officers Association of California in October.

I am asking for the three most significant articles, journals, or books you feel would make a major contribution to me and my group; that is, the most up-to-date information as it relates to both marijuana and other psychoactive drugs, as well as alcohol. Please send a listing of the articles and/or the books or, if you have copies of these, I would be glad to pay for them as soon as they are received.

Lee Dogoloff advised me to make these kinds of communications when I spoke with him in Washington, D.C. He felt those involved in this area needed to keep close contact with one another so as to keep away some of the "hilarity" but not to apologize for being direct and aggressive in terms of trying to reduce this problem in our various communities.

I am looking forward to hearing from you and appreciate very much your help in the past, in the present, and working with you in the future.

Sincerely yours,

*R. Graham Reedy*

R. Graham Reedy, M.D.

*Note of thanks, tell him I can not  
recommend any that Sanchez  
by American Council on  
Individuals can give him  
& recommend extra.  
Please stop  
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July 31, 1981

Dear Mr. Rinehart:

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My office is Room 424 Old Executive Office Building. When you get a chance, drop by and visit with us.

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Senior Policy Advisor

Mr. Virgil W. Rinehart  
Director  
U.S. Department of Commerce  
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Washington, D. C. 20230

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Rinehart, Virgil

**VIRGIL W. RINEHART**

DIRECTOR

OFFICE OF ~~ADVANCED SHIP OPERATIONS~~

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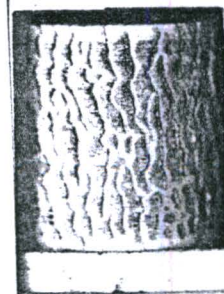
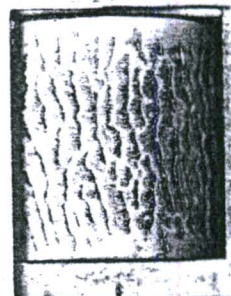
Larry, keep us informed on your prevention activities, and come by to visit with us. My home phone number is 703-780-9120.

Regards to all.

Sincerely,

Carlton E. Turner  
Senior Policy Adviser  
for Drug Policy

Honorable Larry S. Roberts  
Commonwealth's Attorney  
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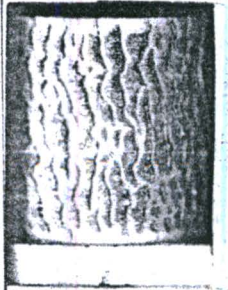
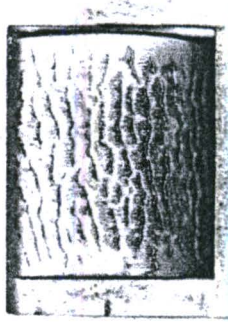
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BENJAMIN P. HICKS

August 7, 1981

Dr. Carlton E. Turner  
Senior Policy Adviser  
Drug Abuse Office  
Old Executive Office Bldg., Room 426  
The White House  
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Carlton:

Please find enclosed a copy of the drug brochure which we recently printed and are distributing in Lexington. We had 50,000 copies of this printed and are placing them in all of the schools and churches in Fayette County. Please let me know if you are coming to Lexington, and don't hesitate to let me know if I can be involved in the national drug picture through my position as chairman of the National District Attorneys Drug Abuse Committee.

Sincerely,

Larry S. Roberts  
Commonwealth's Attorney

LSR:cb

Enclosure

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University of Mississippi  
School of Pharmacy  
University, Mississippi 38677

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**R.I.P.S.**

Dear C. T.:

By the time this letter reaches you, I am sure you are going to be long gone, but CONGRATULATIONS! Please let me know your address in Washington. I have enclosed a copy of a letter that David Armstrong sent to Ed Meese on your behalf. I have informed David about your appointment and he is delighted. Good luck in your house-hunting efforts. As soon as you get settled, I will get you some information about the status of our Drug Abuse Committee with the National District Attorneys Association. Please give my best to Mary Anne.

Sincerely,

Larry S. Roberts  
Commonwealth's Attorney

LSR:cb

Enclosure





**NATIONAL DISTRICT ATTORNEYS ASSOCIATION**  
666 Lake Shore Drive, Suite 1432, Chicago, Illinois 60611, Phone: (312) 944-4610

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT

June 3, 1981

David L. Armstrong  
Commonwealth's Attorney  
30th Judicial District  
Jefferson Hall of Justice  
Louisville, Kentucky 40202  
Phone 502: 581-6040

Mr. Ed Meese  
Counsel to the President  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Meese:

It has recently come to my attention that Dr. Carlton E. Turner is presently being considered for the position of Drug Abuse Policy Adviser to President Reagan. With this letter, I would like to express my personal endorsement of Dr. Turner for this position and I would greatly appreciate it if you would place my letter in the file of correspondence which will be considered by President Reagan.

Dr. Turner is an outstanding scientist who has a PHD in Organic Chemistry. He is presently the Director of Research for the Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences which is a project sponsored by the National Institute of Drug Abuse. He is responsible for the international study of marijuana and is as knowledgeable about drug abuse as any person in America. He is not only a highly qualified chemist, but he also possesses the ability to effectively communicate with audiences ranging from elementary school children to highly experienced scientists.

As a member of the Attorney General's Task Force on Violent Crime, I am acutely aware of President Reagan's interest in the drug problems of our country. I know from mutual friends of your great concern for this country's problem of drug abuse and the future impact it will have on our society and its people. I personally know that many prosecutors and other law enforcement officials throughout our country hold Dr. Turner in high esteem and I do not hesitate in recommending him to you as President Reagan's drug abuse adviser.

I enclose a copy of Dr. Turner's curriculum vitae for your review.



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Mr. Ed Meese  
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With warm personal regards, I remain

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "DLA".

DAVID L. ARMSTRONG  
President-Elect

DLA/mb

Enclosure

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 4, 1981

Dear George:

Just a quick note to respond to Olivia's letter to me of July 29th. The manuscript The Marijuana Controversy is O.K. by me. George, to be honest with you, I have not had an opportunity to go through the manuscript with a fine-tooth comb. I trust you, I know it's a good manuscript if you put your approval on it.

Hopefully this manuscript will make a good paper for the ACM and will do a lot of good on turning the tide on drug abuse.

When your travels bring you to the D.C. area, stop by and visit with me.

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Senior Policy Adviser

George K. Russell, Ph.D.  
The American Council on Marijuana  
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767 Fifth Avenue  
New York, N. Y. 10022

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON  
August 11, 1981

Dr. George K. Russell  
RD Box 107-B  
East Chatham, N.Y. 12060

Dear Dr. Russell:

In accordance with the telephoned request today of Ms. Faith Ball of the American Council on Marijuana, I am sending you, herewith, the page proofs of "The Marijuana Controversy" by Dr. Carlton E. Turner.

Sincerely,

Gladys Hook  
Secretary to Dr. Turner

P.S. In case you have not received it, also attached is a copy of a letter Dr. Turner wrote to you under date of August 4th.

Enclosures

