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WASHINGTON

December 6, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR CHARLIE DEMMON

FROM:

CARLTON E. TURNER

SUBJECT:

Reservation of Room 476

Please reserve Room 476 on the following dates from 10:00am to 11:30am for the Oversight Working Group.

#### MEETING DATE

January 8, 1986

February 19, 1986

March 12, 1986

April 9, 1986

May 14, 1986

June 11, 1986

July 9, 1986

August 13, 1986

September 10, 1986

October 8, 1986

November 12, 1986

December 10, 1986

WASHINGTON

December 3, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR KATHIE REGAN

FROM:

CARLTON E. TURNER

SUBJECT:

Hal Gordon's Resume

Attached is a copy of Hal Gordon's resume. Hal leaves the White House on January 3, 1986 and is looking for a job. I would appreciate any help you can give him.

# HAROLD C. GORDON P.O. Box 17037 Arlington, Virginia 22216

Home: (703) 522-6137 Work: (202) 456-6250

#### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

#### 1982-Present

THE WHITE HOUSE, Washington, D.C.

Policy Analyst/Speechwriter

o Speechwriter for Edwin Meese III, Counsellor to the President; Jack Svahn, Assistant to the President for Policy Development; and Carlton Turner, Deputy Assistant to the President for Drug Abuse Policy.

o Preparation of high-level briefing papers and public

statements.

o Co-author of "Fairness II" — a comprehensive fact book on President Reagan's economic recovery program and budget priorities.

1981-1982

THE HON. JOHN EAST, U.S. SENATOR, Washington, D.C. Legislative Assistant

o Principal advisor on business, economic, and tax issues.

o Researched and drafted legislation.

o Ghosted floor statements, speeches, and articles.

o Liaison with national and North Carolina business groups.

1980-1981

NATIONAL FEDERATION OF INDEPENDENT BUSINESS, San Mateo, CA Director of Education

o Managed department staff and budget.

o Administered grant and scholarship programs.

o Liaison with educational and vocational education groups.

o Edited departmental publications, and one book: Better Government at Half the Price (Caroline House, 1981).

1973-1979

UNITED STATES INDUSTRIAL COUNCIL, Nashville, TN Director of Special Studies

o Wrote editorials, pamphlets, and congressional testimony.

o Cross-country lecture tours on business and free enterprise issues; addressed business, student, and civic audiences.

#### EDUCATION:

<u>Juris Doctor</u>, George Washington University (1973)

<u>Bachelor of Arts</u>, Political Science, Drew University (1970)

#### PERSONAL:

Born: May 30, 1948; Single; Excellent health.

Licensed to practice law in the District of Columbia.

Member, D.C. and American Bar Associations.

References and writing samples furnished on request.

WASHINGTON

December 23, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR CARLTON E. TURNER

FROM:

MARGARET MOORE

SUBJECT:

Annual Leave - December 24, 1985

I would like to request two days of annual leave this week - Tuesday, December 23 and Friday, December 27, please.

Thanks.

WASHINGTON

December 17, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR JUDY JOHNSTON

FROM:

CARLTON TURNER

SUBJECT:

Personnel Action

As a reminder, there are two pending Drug Abuse Policy Office personnel actions.

- 1. Donna Knight's temporary appointment should be extended to June 30, 1986.
- 2. Hal Gordon will depart on January 3, 1986 or earlier if he finds employment before then.

Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information.

Thanks.

cc: Jack Svahn Chuck Hobbs

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WASHINGTON

December 9, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR CARLTON TURNER

FROM:

SUE DAOULAS

SUBJECT:

Leave Request

I would like to take leave December 19, 20, and Christmas week (December 23-27) to travel to Indiana to visit my family for Christmas. In order to get a greatly reduced airfare we must travel on Monday thru Thursday and that is why we are leaving so early. I will be at my parents home the entire time and can be reached there if a need arises.

We will return the morning of December 30th (9:30am) and settlement on our new home is scheduled for 11:00am in Rockville. So, pending your approval, I will return to work on December 30 after 12:00 noon.

Thanks.

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

22 NOV 1985

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FROM: DEBORAH BALFOUR
Deputy Director of Projects
Office of the First Lady
213 East Wing, x7905



### THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

November 25, 1985

Dear Deborah:

Per our conversation, attached is the letter from the Philippines.

Thanks, Margaret



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ATTNTION STATE DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON D C 20036

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PLEASE INFORM MANILA US EMBASSY FOR COURTESY CALL OF OUR STAFF MEMBERS COMING TO NFP MARYLAND HEADQUARTERS AND WE PROCEED PERSONAL AUDIENCE WITH THE FIRST COUPLE AT WHITE HOUSE. THANKS CORDIAL REGARDS TO PRESIDENT RONALD REAGAN.

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### OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON

15 NOV 1985

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November 14, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR CARELTON TURNER

FROM:

CRAIG L. FULLER

SUBJECT:

Bob Taggart

Bob Taggart, an acquaintance of mine in California, was in to see me today. His firm, Southern Pacific Transportation Company, has a very interesting and innovative drug testing program for employees. The results are incredible.

Bob is interested in meeting with you and will be calling you soon. I hope that you will have time to see him.

Many thanks.

Colled 11/21/85

WASHINGTON

November 6, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR OPD STAFF MEMBERS

FROM:

CARLTON E. TURNER

SUBJECT:

Thank you note

Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers. They certainly have helped to improve my spirits while recuperating.

Your thoughtfulness is appreciated.

October 28, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR ANNE HIGGINS

FROM:

CARLTON E. TURNER MM

SUBJECT:

Letter from the President

I would like to request that letters be sent from the President to two of my uncles who are elderly and ill. Their names and addresses are as follows:

> Mr. Rainer Ezell Lisman, Alabama 36912

Mr. Herman Broadhead Needham, Alabama 36915

Mr. Ezell has bone cancer and is in his 70's. Mr. Broadhead is also in his 70's and had a leg removed due to hardening of the arteries. If these conditions do not warrant a letter from the President, I will understand.

Thank you for your help and if you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to call.

THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

November 25, 1985

Dear Maurine:

I spoke with John Finn this morning about this request. He suggested that I send a copy of my original to you as the records show that the letters have not gone out.

I will appreciate your assistance

Thanks,

Margaret Moore

WASHINGTON

October 28, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN A. SVAHN

FROM:

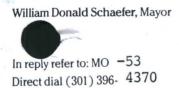
CARLTON E. TURNER

SUBJECT:

Mayor William Donald Schaefer's letter

I have read Mayor Schaefer's letter and looked over the "Blow the Whistle on Drugs" material. This appears to be a good approach and should work very well. Success will depend on how the street dealers are handled after they are arrested.

If you wish to discuss this material further, please let me know.





September 27, 1985

Mr. John A. Svahn Assistant to the President for Police Development The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue Washington, D.C. 20000

Dear Jack:

Your letter regarding the National Aquarium and the marine mammal project was timely and greatly appreciated. We will continue in our efforts to maintain a "premier facility."

It was good to learn of your interest in our new drug abuse project - "Blow the Whistle on Drugs." I am forwarding to you a description of the program together with samples of all the materials which are being distributed in the various neighborhoods. If you need more detailed information or additional materials, please call Mary Ann Willin, tel. (301) 396-4370. She is the Director of my Coordinating Council on Criminal Justice.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Mayor

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#### COMPREHENSIVE SUMMARY

#### BLOW THE WHISTLE ON DRUGS

#### INTRODUCTION

Historically, the task of ridding communities of drug traffic has been left to law enforcement officials. Consequently, Police Departments have been playing a game of "catch-up," when it comes to the tracking and arrests of those who are involved in bringing drugs into our city. Efforts have centered around the arrests of "top" people, those who bring large quantities of drugs into our ports, and across state and city boundaries. Recently however, this has begun to change.

During the past two (2) years, more national attention has been given to drug smuggling and drug trafficking than ever before. As a result, other dimensions of the drug problem have been highlighted as well, e.g., chemical dependence as a treatable disease, the need for substance abuse treatment taking the form of various modalities, and substance abuse prevention strategies.

Baltimore City has been victimized by the drug problem in a way similar to other urban centers. It has been said that 80% of all crimes committed are drug related. This staggering statistic translates into fear, anger and frustration on the grassroots level. Citizens feel that they cannot safely send their children outdoors to play, or walk down the block to visit a neighbor, without fear. Drug activity has virtually taken over neighborhoods. Much of the concern voiced by citizens at community meetings centers around drug trafficking and drug dealers, and what can be done to stop it.

In response to the City's concern about the drug problem, Mayor William Donald Schaefer made the issue a priority. He called for a plan to be designed and implemented that would involve all of the citizens of Baltimore. The following is a description of the "Blow the Whistle on Drugs" campaign, one which attacks the problem on the community level.

#### **PURPOSE**

To reduce/eliminate drug trafficking in Baltimore's neighborhoods, and on street corners.

#### OBJECTIVE

To enlist the community's support in utilizing the Police Department's 24 hour drug hotline, 685-DRUG, to report <u>suspected</u> drug activity, and 911, to report <u>observed</u> drug activity. (911 call results in immediate police response.)

#### THEME

Drug laws are designed to help control the problem, but they do not eliminate or prevent it. The key to success in the battle against drug trafficking is a deep, personal involvement of countless individuals. Government programs can provide a means for encouraging such involvement, and for providing other necessary resources, but without the concern and committment of people in their communities, the battle against drug trafficking cannot be won.

#### PROGRAM DESIGN

As Baltimore is a city comprised of neighborhoods, it was felt that the most effective way to maximize the number of citizens reached is through community associations.

120 non-police city employees were recruited and trained to do 2-3 brief presentations to community associations and neighborhood groups. The presentations include the following:

- a. What drug activity looks like.
- b. What information to report to police, and which telephone numbers to use.
- c. What police do after receiving citizen information.
- d. Telephone numbers and names of city employees who work specifically on drug abuse issues, so that communities can further their involvement.

Materials were also developed to augment and reinforce speakers' presentations for citizens. These include brochures and posters with the slogan "Your Eyes Can Help Stop Drugs in Our Neighborhoods, Blow the Whistle on Drugs, Call 685-DRUG," and whistles, with 685-DRUG printed on them. Materials are being distributed at each community meeting, and presentations are taking place throughout September and October and will continue as needed. MTA buses are also sporting billboards with the logo, slogan, and telephone number.

#### II. Media

Part of the success of the "Blow the Whistle on Drugs" campaign depended on the involvement of the various media. To achieve media support, several avenues were taken. First, approximately one and one-half (1½) weeks before the campaign kickoff Mary Ann Willin, Director of the Mayor's Coordinating Council on Criminal Justice, and Bishop L. Robinson, Police Commissioner, briefed the editorial staffs of the city's three major newspapers on the components of the program. As a result, all three newspapers printed positive editorials and news articles.

Second, press releases were sent to the three major networks, which gave minimal detail regarding the campaign but did notify them of the place, date, and time of the kickoff event. The morning of the event, the stations were again contacted. Radio and television stations gave the kickoff comprehensive coverage.

#### III. Event

To bring the message to the citizens, Mayor William Donald Schaefer and other city officials travelled by trolley to the three street corners identified as known drug "hot spots." Stopping at each corner for approximately fifteen minutes, the Mayor, Police Commissioner Robinson, City State's Attorney Schmoke, and Circuit Court Judge Joseph H.H. Kaplan, and community leaders made remarks to those assembled, telling them that they are a part of the solution to the drug trafficking issue, and asking for their assistance by calling 685-DRUG. Whistles and brochures were distributed at each stop.

#### RESULTS AND CONCLUSIONS

"Blow the Whistle on Drugs" has received widespread community support, through citizens' feedback, and more importantly, the increased utilization of 685-DRUG, and 911. From the kickoff event to date, a period of twenty-two days, 685-DRUG has received over 850 calls, and from those have come 1,012 investigative leads, and numerous arrests. Because of the tremendous support this program has received, three (3) more street corners have been targeted for solicitation of community involvement.

The success of this program has depended on many factors, the most important being the citizens'willingness to come forward and be part of a solution. Community empowerment is an essential ingredient in dealing with any large scale urban problem. Citizens need to learn, and have an opportunity to help themselves. "Blow the Whistle on Drugs" is an example of what can happen when individual citizens identify with an issue, own it, and act in concert. Continued success is predicted for this campaign.

WASHINGTON

September 27, 1985

MEMORANDUM TO DR DONALD MACDONALD

ADMINSTRATOR ADAMHA/DHHS

FROM:

LORAN D ARCHER

DRUG ABUSE POLICY OFFICE

SUBJECT:

ABA Commission on Youth Alcohol and Drug Problems

At the Sep 21, 1985 meeting the ABA Commission, by majority action, requested the ABA rescind its present offical position in support of the legalization of marijuana for therapeutic purposes and also to rescind its earlier (1973) position of support for the decriminalization of marijuana possession and the regulation of marijuana through licensing of its distribution.

The Co-Chairman David Evans will present the action of the commission to the ABA Section of Individual Rights and Responsibilities at their October meeting in Chicago.

WASHINGTON

#### September 27, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR ANNE HIGGINS

FROM:

CARLTON TURNER

SUBJECT:

Letter from the President

Mr. R. Brinkley Smithers, founder and President of the Christopher D. Smithers Foundation, is being honored at a luncheon on Friday, October 4, 1985, for his significant contributions in the field of industrial alcoholism research at Cornell University's New York State School of Industrial and Labor Relations.

I would like to have the letter read at the luncheon. I will be unable to attend but Mr. Loran D. Archer will be attending from my office and will hand carry the letter.

Attached is a proposed draft of a letter. I appreciate your assistance and if you have any questions or need any additional information please contact Margaret Moore on x6554. Also please let Margaret know when the letter is ready and she will pick it up.

Again, thank you for your help.

Mr. R. Brinkley Smithers, President The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation PO Box 67 Mill Neck, New York 11765

#### Dear Brink

I'm sorry that I cannot be present today at the Cornell Award ceremony, but I want to express my deep admiration for your contribution to the alcoholism field. Thousands know you as a pioneer, educator, and philanthropist.

In your foresightedness and generosity you established the Christopher D. Smithers Foundation in 1952 to educate Americans about the devastating disease of alcoholism and to assist suffering alcoholic people. The C.D. Smithers Foundation was the first philanthropic foundation to support alcoholism education and research. Unselfishly you have expended your personal resources to almost singlehandedly attack this serious disease. I want you to know how much I appreciate your devoted and generous private support for these educational and research efforts.

In particular, your generous contributions and support of the National Council on Alcoholism, the Rutgers Center of Alcohol Studies and the School of Industrial and Labor Relations at Cornell University have enabled generations of Americans to become knowledgable about alcoholism and to recognize it as a treatable disease.

Your efforts on behalf of alcoholics have been a major vehicle for introducing compassion and the human side of enterprise into the workplace. You have supported the movement to introduce industrial alcoholism programs into thousands of American businesses. These programs have enabled private industry in increase their productivity through the rehabilitation and retention of thousands of talented and productive workers.

The fruits of your labors have made America a better place for all of us. They will guide future generations in the ongoing battle against the disease of alcoholism. Your generosity is a glowing example of what private enterprise is able and willing to do for America.

May the good Lord bless you and your family in the coming years.

FOR THE SIGNATURE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES



### **Cornell University**

New York State School of Industrial and Labor Relations

Office of the Dean

Ithaca, NY 14851-0952 607/256-2185

16 SEP 1985

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September 12, 1985

Dr. Carlton Turner The White House Washington, DC 20500

Dear Dr. Turner:

I am writing to invite you to join me for a luncheon on Friday, October 4, 1985, as friends and colleagues gather to honor R. Brinkley Smithers for his significant contributions in the field of industrial alcoholism research at Cornell University's New York State School of Industrial and Labor Relations.

For the past thirty three years Mr. Smithers has advanced the cause of alcoholism treatment and prevention in American society. He has devoted his life and his personal resources to this worthy endeavor and his efforts have had a significant effect on the recognition of alcoholism as a treatable disease and on the progress made toward rehabilitation and prevention.

Much of Mr. Smithers' attention has centered on the effect of alcoholism in the workplace. Through his generous support of the research of Professor Harrison M. Trice, a member of our faculty, Mr. Smithers has been able to influence the corporate world's attitude toward troubled workers. It is for this steadfast and far-sighted generosity that Cornell University will honor him next month.

I hope you will be able to join us on this very special occasion. The luncheon will begin at noon on the sixth floor of the Herbert F. Johnson Museum of Art on the Cornell campus in Ithaca, NY. Please respond by September 23 to Assistant Dean Jonathon Levy, 198 Ives Hall, ILR/Cornell, Ithaca, NY 14851-0952 or by calling my office at 607/256-2185.

Sincerely,

Robert E. Doherty

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WASHINGTON

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May the good Lord bless you and your family in the coming years.

FOR THE SIGNATURE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON

September 24, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR MRS. NANCY REAGAN

FROM:

CARLTON E. TURNER

The announcement of your proposed visit to Mexico City ocurred while I was in Venezuela and your actual visit occurred while I was in Costa Rica. Both countries saw your visit as a gesture of good will, exemplary of your concern for humanity and received excellent press coverage.

I have had the opportunity to meet with the First Ladies of Venezuela and Costa Rica to discuss the world-wide drug abuse problem and they share your concern. They appreciate and admire you for the international attention you have brought the issue through your travels, your First Lady to First Lady Conference in April, and your proposed conference at the United Nations General Assembly. As a result of your initiatives, the First Ladies of Venezuela and Costa Rica are excited about the possibilities for fighting drug abuse and recognize they can play an important role. The world is benefiting from your efforts.

(Dictated by phone from San Jose, Costa Rica)

September 18, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR JAMES G. ROSEBUSH

FROM:

CARLTON E. TURNER

SUBJECT:

First Lady videotape

Attached is a letter received from Charles Wick regarding the possibility of a videotape in which Mrs. Reagan would address anti-drug meetings overseas. The possibility of a video for USIS use at their meetings would be terrific.

# THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

July 15, 1985

MEMORANDUM TO JAMES ROSEBUSH

FROM:

CARLTON E. TURNER

SUBJECT:

Invitation for Mrs. Reagan

Please note the two attached letters. I agree with Dr. Macdonald. This is a good group which can be helpful to Mrs. Reagan and save a lot of effort.

#### WASHINGTON

July 3, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR JAMES G. ROSEBUSH

FROM:

CARLTON E. TURNER

SUBJECT:

Resumes

Attached are the three resumes which I promised you. They are labeled A, B and C. Resumes A and B are priorities and C is a last option.

#### August 19, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR MRS. NANCY REAGAN

FROM:

CARLTON E. TURNER

SUBJECT:

International Drug Abuse Initiative

I would like to alert you to an upcoming request for your help. During an electronic dialogue last Thursday with a conference of USIS Public Affairs Officers (PAO's) from thirteen East Asian/Pacific countries, I was asked about your availability to participate in their activities via videotape.

There was heartfelt concensus during the conference that your participation and leadership in the area of drug education is having a recognizable and positive effect on East Asian/Pacific communities. It was noted, for example, that Dr. Siti Hasmah of Malaysia returned from your First Ladies Conference last May and encouraged the formulation of grass-roots parents groups in her country. She has created an organization similar to PRIDE.

Charlie Wick was in Australia at the conference; I suggested that the PAOs discuss their videotape idea with him. My recommendation would be for a generic video which USIA could fit into a special tape tailored to individual countries or meetings.

I assume Charlie will be in touch with you. I will be glad to help.

WASHINGTON

July 17, 1985

Dear Dr. Creed:

Per your request, enclosed is a copy of my curriculum vitae. It is somewhat outdated, but has the title of my current position and the employment history you wanted. I hope it is helpful.

In your absence, Dr. Andy Griffin provided me with a considerable amount of information on alumni. To keep informed, would you please have Dr. Emory Howell place me on his mailing list.

Give my regards to Jay, Dave, Jack and Angie; I talk to Shelby somewhat regularly. When any of you get to Washington, please stop by the office for a visit.

Best wishes,

Sincerely,

Caliton F. Turner, Ph.D.
Deputy Assistant to the President
for Drug Abuse Policy

Dr. David Creed
Acting Chairman
Department of Chemistry
University of Southern Mississippi
Southern Station, Box 5043
Hattiesburg, MS 39406-5043

Billy George Butkin

THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI Leonary R. Clary

CHEMISTRY

How Come Robbin Clark June 27, 1985

12 JUL 1985

Dr. Carlton E. Turner Director Office of Drug Abuse Policy Washington, DC 20013

Dear Dr. Turner:

I am writing to ask your help in an urgent matter concerning the future of the Chemistry Department. The State is supposed to review Ph.D. programs (again) sometime in the Fall and the Ph.D. granting universities (USM, State, Jackson State, Ole Miss) have decided to develop a unified defense of these programs. As part of this defense I am asking you to please provide me with the following information.

- a. Your initial job after graduation.
- b. Your current position/title.
- c. Your accomplishments, limited to important positions held, scholarly activities (books, papers, patents, etc.), awards and honors.

Most of this information would, of course, be in a copy of your current resume. It would also be very helpful to us if you could ask your present and/or former employer(s) to write to us commenting on the quality of the Ph.D. education you received. If you would also comment in your own letter on how you felt the quality of your education at USM compared with that of your contemporaries in similar positions, this too would be extremely useful. Many of you sent this latter type of letter of support in 1982. I will use these older letters unless you feel you would prefer to send a new, updated version.

My deadline for completion of my report to the University for incorporation into the joint universities presentation to the College Board is July 26. I am sorry for the impersonal nature of this letter, there have now been (54) graduates in the 18 years since our first Ph.D. was granted. I am also sorry to have to impose upon you again as part of our efforts to defend a high quality, educationally viable, cost effective program.

Sincerely yours,

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#### THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 7, 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR JOHN A. SVAHN

FROM:

CARLTON E. TURNER

SUBJECT:

Drug Abuse Policy

The successes we have had in combatting drug abuse has raised the level of awareness of the problem, but also generated "horror" stories picturing the situation as "out of control" and therefore, fueling pro-drug arguments. There is a fine line between favorable publicity and destructive sensationalism when reporting on drug issues and the way in which Administration officials describe the drug situation often makes the difference.

Mrs. Reagan's international drug abuse initiatives, the kidnapping of the DEA agent, seizures of large amounts of drugs, seized airplanes and increased focus on the effects of cocaine have resulted in a dramatic increase in media attention given to all aspects of the drug issue. There is every indication that this attention will continue if efforts are taken to assure a flow of information.

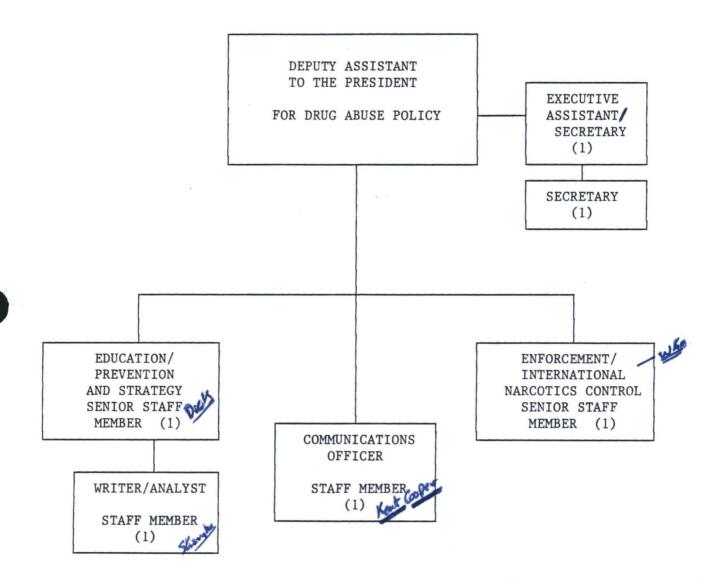
As you know, I will be the moderator for the First Lady's White House meeting in April and will accompany the group to Atlanta. While I do not have a clear crystal ball regarding the future of my office, I know a staff of three, including myself, cannot provide the previous level of support to the National program, provide oversight of the 34 Federal agencies, manage the media, and assist the First Lady.

If the drug abuse policy office is to remain a separate entity there are several options. One would be to deliberately reduce the role of my office to eliminate private sector efforts and alcohol issues. This option would focus on providing staff support to the system and is not consistent with the program established by the President which requires us to provide leadership and serve as a catalyst for national action. A second option would be to assign the entire drug abuse policy function to the Attorney General and make him the overall drug czar. Thus, my office could be eliminated or I could continue to be the White House drug adviser, with my current staff. This option would be consistent with the "drug czar" legislation passed by Congress, but would slight the health-related aspects of the drug issue because of the obvious limitations on education and prevention activities.

If my office is to be continued and we are to continue to provide oversight and policy direction as in the past, I need a comprehensive communication strategy and someone to implement it, a writer/analyst and a professional staff member to coordinate and liaison with the health-related activities, the law enforcement agencies and the international control activities. The staff for these drug abuse policy functions has varied from 7 in 1973 to over 15 during the early Carter years.

Which way do I go? I recommend that we increase the staff -specifically add a communications coordinator, a writer/analyst,
a secretary and an enforcement/international staff member.
(Increase of 4 payroll positions, for a total of 7 -- see
attached chart).

DRUG ABUSE POLICY OFFICE MARCH 7, 1985



PROFESSIONAL STAFF -- 5

ASSISTANT/SECRETARIES -- 2

TOTAL -- 7