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# WITHDRAWAL SHEET

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January 8, 1986

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INAUGURATION OF GOVERNOR AND LT. GOVERNOR OF MARIANA ISLANDS:

1 - 3/4" copy  
1 - VHS copy

Send bill to:

Government of Northern Marianas Islands  
c/o Office for Micronesian Status Negotiations  
Suite 3356  
Main Interior Building  
18th & C St. N.W.  
Washington D.C. 20240

Invoice must be in the name of: Government of Northern Marianas Islands.

Contact person is: Mr. Dolan #343-9143 or 2367

Deliver Today, WED. 1/8

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NATIONAL RETAIL MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION:

2 - 3/4" copies  
1 - VHS copy

Send tape and bill to:

Tracy Mullin #223-8250  
Senior Vice President  
Government Affairs  
National Retail Merchants Association  
1000 Connecticut Avenue N.W. Suite 700  
Washington D.C. 20036

TAKE 2

want Thursday 1/9

contact Mike Altier 223-8250

3

JAYCEES OUTSTANDING YOUNG AMERICANS DINNER

1-3/4" copy

Federal express - event 1/17

send bill and tape to:

Gram Hopkins 918 584 2481  
U.S. Jaycees Headquarters  
4 West 21st St.  
Tulsa, Ok. 74114

4

TRIBUTE TO IRVING BERLIN

1-1" copy

Send bill to:

Jo Ann Young 212 685-7880  
Camera 3 Productions  
One Madison Avenue  
New York, N.Y.  
10010

Federal Express - went  
Friday 1/10

TO: E-Board

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# WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM

DATE: 1/7/86 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: 2:00 P.M. TODAY

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: TRIBUTE TO IRVING BERLIN

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REMARKS: Please provide any comments/recommendations directly to Ben Elliott by 2:00 p.m. today, with an info copy to my office. Thanks.

RESPONSE:

David L. Chew  
Staff Secretary

*Not longer than 1972*

(Dolan/BE)  
January 7, 1986  
11:30 a.m.

PRESIDENTIAL TAPING: TRIBUTE TO IRVING BERLIN  
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1986

Irving Berlin is the embodiment of almost a century of America's history. As a boy, he was part of that poor but proud immigrant's world on Manhattan's Lower East Side. In Tin Pan Alley, he got his start, and, with Alexander's Ragtime Band, became the first to make jazz acceptable and successful. From then on, it was one delightful musical success after another. He had brilliant careers in two uniquely American cultural institutions: the musical comedy stage and, as you've seen and I can't forget, the movies.

So it was that Irving Berlin became a national institution, a living legend; celebrate Christmas or Easter or sing about America and Irving Berlin is there. He and his music are a reflection of all the decency and goodness and heart in the American past: the sometimes zany quest for anything new, the dreams of true love, an attachment to hearth and home for the holidays and love of country -- freedom and fellowman.

Yes, America owes Irving Berlin -- for helping us to understand who we are and reminding us to live up to what's best about ourselves. As long as 30 or 40 years ago, Irving Berlin was getting gold medals from the United States Congress and the President of the United States, so I won't give him another one today. But I will say what millions of Americans would say if they had the chance; millions of Americans who, for almost a century, have been comforted and inspired and lifted up by his

*Stephan Chedevy  
212 685-7880*

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music: thank you, Irving Berlin -- for the happiness, for the  
dreams, for the songs, for yourself.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

1/6/86

MEMORANDUM

TO: BEN ELLIOTT/ELIZABETH BOARD  
FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FJR*  
SUBJECT: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: The following tapings have been added  
to the schedule for 1:30 on January 8:  
DATE: 1. Inauguration of Governor and Lt. Governor  
of the Northern Mariana Islands (Daniels)  
2. Jaycees Outstanding Young Americans  
Dinner (Chavez)  
TIME: 3. Tribute to Irving Berlin (Buchanan)  
DURATION: 5 minutes each  
LOCATION: Diplomatic Reception Room  
REMARKS REQUIRED: Yes  
MEDIA COVERAGE: No  
FIRST LADY  
PARTICIPATION: No

NOTE: PROJECT OFFICER, SEE ATTACHED CHECKLIST

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Government of  
Northern  
Marianas  
Islands  
in care of

Bill: Office for Micronesian  
Status Negotiations  
Suite 3356  
Main Interior Bldg.  
Wash DC 20240

Hotel Dick  
Inaugural 13<sup>th</sup>  
NEED This ~~Time~~ - call  
→ evening + arrange  
18th & C St. N.W.

WEDNESDAY  
Wed This Evening

Deliver on Thursday  
Retire Merchants 2 3/4" copies and 1 VHS  
Chavez 2 3/4"

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343-9143  
on the Sam Thompson  
Graham Horstius  
918 584 2481

Irving Berlin 1"  
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Jaycees Dinner - Mariana Carl  
3/4" Carl Anderson  
Mark Landman

303 576-9073  
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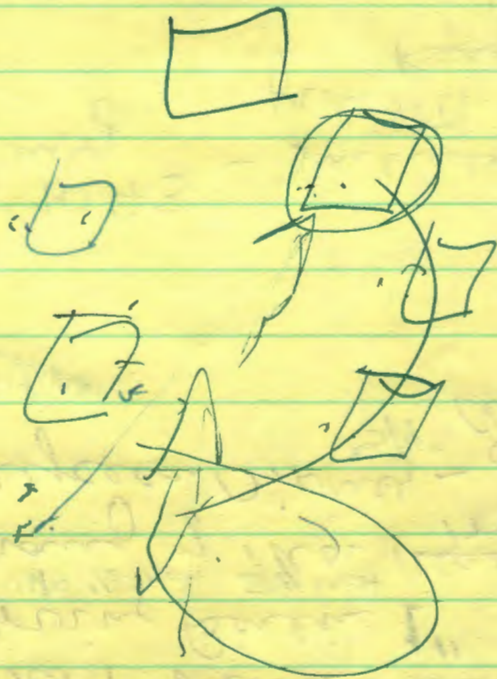
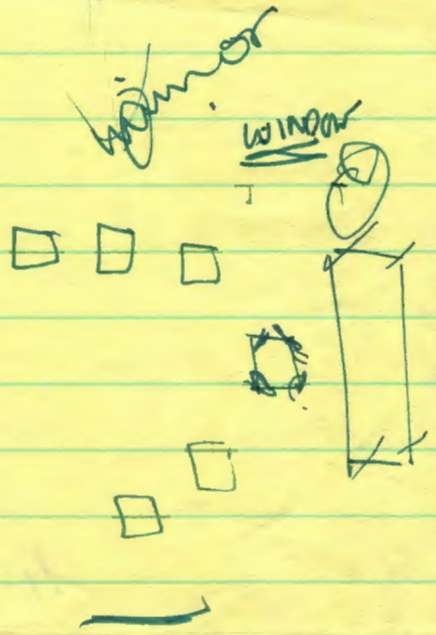
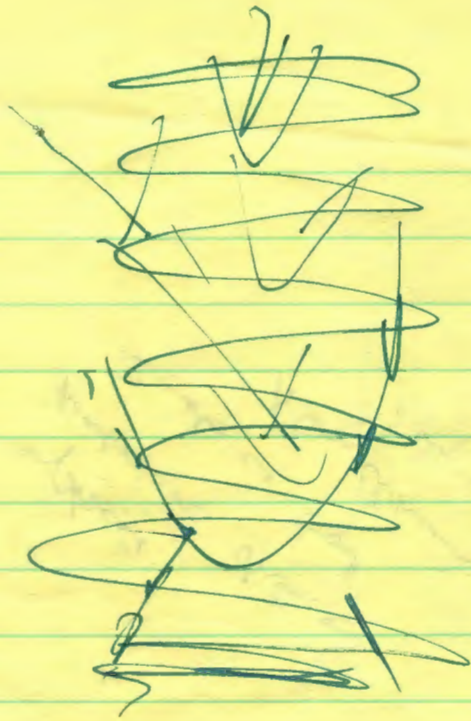
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from "This is The Army"  
Reagan film

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Camera Office

tape + bill

~~10,000~~

upbeat  
Palmolive  
ends w/ God  
slow American  
sing in



→ Mike #223-  
Altier 8250

Nat. Retail Merchants  
Assoc.

Caroline

Michael Altier - 223-8250  
Nat'l Retail Merch. Assn.

① TO whom it should be billed:

Tracy Mullin  
Senior Vice President  
Gov't Affairs  
Nat'l Retail Merch. Assn.  
1000 Ct Ave NW  
Suite 700  
W, DC 20036

- Tape addressed to some person  
+ same address above
- Need to receive tape on 8th or 9th
- Tape or Film → Film is  
answer

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Natl Retail Merchants  
Taping on 8<sup>th</sup>

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223-8250

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

12/9/85

MEMORANDUM

TO: BEN ELLIOTT/ELIZABETH BOARD (Coordinate with  
Linda Chavez)

FROM: FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR. *FR*

SUBJECT: APPROVED PRESIDENTIAL ACTIVITY

MEETING: Videotape message for 75th Anniversary Convention  
of the National Retail Merchants Association

DATE: January 8, 1986

TIME: 1:30 pm

DURATION: 5 minutes

LOCATION: Diplomatic Reception Room

REMARKS REQUIRED: Yes

MEDIA COVERAGE: No

FIRST LADY  
PARTICIPATION: No

NOTE: PROJECT OFFICER, SEE ATTACHED CHECKLIST

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VIDEO TAPE


THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

1-8-86  
1:30  
5 min  
12/5/85

November 20, 1985

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

**TO:** FREDERICK J. RYAN, JR., DIRECTOR  
PRESIDENTIAL APPOINTMENTS AND SCHEDULING

**FROM:** LINDA CHAVEZ 

**REQUEST:** The President to address in person or provide a video-taped message for the 75th Anniversary Convention of the National Retail Merchants Association.

**PURPOSE:** To acknowledge and encourage the continued support of this large association for the President's trade, budget and tax initiatives.

**BACKGROUND:** The National Retail Merchants Association is the Nation's largest trade association for the general merchandise retail industry. Members operate 45,000 stores in the U.S. and more than 5,000 stores in 50 countries abroad. U.S. members employ 3 million Americans and distribute \$150 billion in goods and services to consumers annually. Most member firms are small, independent retailers.

The Association has been and continues to be an active supporter of the President's economic initiatives. It is a member of the Deficit Reduction Coalition and one of the founding members of the Tax Reform Action Coalition. It is also most supportive of the President's international trade policy. The President can use this opportunity to mobilize grassroots support for these initiatives and, in the case of trade, head off protectionist measures now before the Congress.

**PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION:** None

**DATE:** January 12-15, 1986

**LOCATION:** New York Hilton Hotel, New York City

**PARTICIPANTS:** Approximately 3,000 owners or senior executives of member retail firms.

**OUTLINE OF EVENT:** President addresses 75th Anniversary Convention either in person or on videotape.

**MEDIA COVERAGE:** Open

**RECOMMENDED BY:** Linda Chavez

**PROJECT OFFICER:** Merlin Breaux



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Carol - 7750 } Bid to } Both in Gov. records  
Mike Altier } Nat'l Retail Merchants  
223 8250 }

1000 Conn. Ave. NW  
Suite 700 2  
DC 20036

3/4" video tape need 9th if possible

(DOLAN)

JANUARY 8, 1986

TAPING: TRIBUTE TO IRVING BERLIN

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IRVING BERLIN IS THE EMBODIMENT OF ALMOST A CENTURY OF AMERICA'S HISTORY. AS A BOY, HE WAS PART OF THAT POOR BUT PROUD IMMIGRANT'S WORLD ON MANHATTAN'S LOWER EAST SIDE. IN TIN PAN ALLEY, HE GOT HIS START; AND, WITH ALEXANDER'S RAGTIME BAND, BECAME ONE OF THE FIRST TO MAKE JAZZ ACCEPTABLE AND SUCCESSFUL. FROM THEN ON, IT WAS ONE MUSICAL DELIGHT AND SUCCESS AFTER ANOTHER. HE HAD BRILLIANT CAREERS IN TWO UNIQUELY AMERICAN CULTURAL INSTITUTIONS: THE MUSICAL COMEDY STAGE AND, AS YOU'VE SEEN AND I CAN'T FORGET, THE MOVIES.

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AND HOME FOR THE  
HOLIDAYS, AND LOVE OF  
COUNTRY -- FREEDOM AND  
FELLOWMAN.

YES, AMERICA OWES  
IRVING BERLIN --  
FOR HELPING US TO  
UNDERSTAND WHO WE ARE,  
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"GOD BLESS AMERICA"  
AND GOD BLESS IRVING  
BERLIN.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 20, 1985

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

TO: FREDERICK J. RYAN, Jr., Director  
Presidential Appointments and Scheduling

FROM: PATRICK J. BUCHANAN

REQUEST: A videotaped message in tribute of Irving Berlin.

PURPOSE: "Irving Berlin's America" is a 90-minute PBS television special in tribute of Mr. Berlin's great patriotism and musical contributions to popular American culture. One of Berlin's many philanthropic efforts was his assignment of all royalties from the song "White Christmas" to the Boy Scouts.

The PBS special will air during Pledge Week in March, 1986. Sandy Duncan is host of the program featuring celebrity interviews and newsreel/archive footage illustrating the lively relationship between Berlin's music and the spirit of 20th-century America. To meet the production deadline the taping must be done in early January.

PREVIOUS PARTICIPATION: The President sent birthday cards in 1982 & 1983. He also worked with Irving Berlin in 1943 while making the movie version of "This is the Army".

DATE: January 8th taping session.

LOCATION: Diplomatic Reception Room

PARTICIPANTS: The President

OUTLINE OF EVENT: Standard videotaping session set-up

REMARKS REQUIRED: Yes

MEDIA COVERAGE: None

PROJECT OFFICER: Elizabeth Board

12/18

Caroline :

Here is another copy  
of the letter. Please  
let me know if you  
need more information.

December 8, 1985

Miss Elizabeth Board  
Special Assistant to the President  
Director of the Television Office  
Room 170 - OEOB  
White House  
Washington D.C. 20500

Dear Miss Board:

I am writing to you to ask your assistance in arranging for a television appearance by President Reagan in conjunction with our PBS documentary special honoring the accomplishments of Irving Berlin.

The program, entitled IRVING BERLIN'S AMERICA, was commissioned by the Public Broadcasting Service for broadcast during its March 1986 Pledge Week period, during which the PBS stations encourage public contributions to help support their operations and programming. The 90-minute special, to be widely promoted and broadcast nationally, will combine celebrity interviews, film and television clips, and newsreel/archive footage to illustrate the lively relationship between the music of Irving Berlin and the spirit of 20th-century America.

Some of the people already interviewed about Mr. Berlin's work are: BOB HOPE, MARY MARTIN, ROSEMARY CLOONEY, HOWARD KEEL, PATTY ANDREWS, NANETTE FABRAY, SIDNEY SHELDON and a special musical tribute by MARVIN HAMLISCH and MAUREEN MCGOVERN.

Because of Mr. Berlin's passionate patriotism and singular contributions to American popular culture in this century, and because of his personal connection with President Reagan through the movie version of THIS IS THE ARMY (1943), we are hoping that the President will consider a brief appearance on the program, in recognition of Irving Berlin as the "songwriter" laureate of America.

If we were allowed to tape a segment with the President, or were given a tape of his remarks, before the end of December, we could include it in the program itself. If the taping was done between January 1 - March 1, the segment would be used after the broadcast, as a special ~~segment~~ <sup>feature</sup> before the next program.

Last March, Camera Three Productions produced RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN: THE SOUND OF AMERICAN MUSIC for PBS and raised 1.5 million dollars on the first airing. We hope to do as well, and better, for PBS with our Berlin special, and we know that an appearance by President Reagan would be a wonderful addition to our program.

I hope this letter ~~has~~ provided enough background information for you to go forward with this request. Please call me if there is anything else that we can do from here. Thank you for your efforts on behalf of IRVING BERLIN'S AMERICA.

Sincerely,

Jo Ann Young





CAMERA THREE PRODUCTIONS INC., is an independent company which evolved from the production unit responsible for the weekly CBS Television series "Camera Three." That series of performance specials and documentaries in the arts and sciences won several Emmy and Peabody Awards, before finally bowing off the CBS Network, after 27 years, as one of the longest running program series in world television.

Negotiations with CBS and grants from the Atlantic Richfield Company and the National Endowment for the Arts enabled the company to initiate a new series "Camera Three" on PBS, released in association with WGBH, Boston. This new series ran for a year, presenting a wide range of arts programming.

Since 1982, Camera Three has produced three major PBS "Pledge Week" specials which have raised over \$4 million for public television in the United States.

Reunion: The Kingston Trio and Friends -- This huge concert at Magic Mountain, Los Angeles, brought the original singing group together for the first time in 20 years.

Mario Lanza: The American Caruso -- Biography of the troubled film star, whose extraordinary voice brought opera to more people worldwide than any other performer in history. Host: Placido Domingo.

Rodgers and Hammerstein: The Sound of American Music  
A celebration of America's most popular musical theatre team, and one of PBS' most successful Pledge Week Specials.  
Host: Mary Martin.

Recently completed for Metromedia and running on commercial television stations nationwide is Liberty Minutes, a syndicated series of public service spots for the Statue of Liberty centennial.

Currently in production is Portrait of Philip Johnson, an incisive profile of the architect for the forthcoming WNET series "American Masters."

Starting production this summer is Only One New York, a weekly arts magazine series for The Municipal Broadcasting Corporation (New York City).

And slated for start-up this fall is a new Pledge Week PBS special, produced by JoAnn Young, on 20th-century American History as seen and heard through the music of Irving Berlin.

The principals of CAMERA THREE are John Musilli and Stephan Chodorov, who founded the company after collaborating for fifteen years on the production of the CBS "Camera Three" series.



PRODUCTIONS, INC.  
ONE MADISON AVENUE  
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10010  
(212) 685-7880

*one-inch*

December 8, 1985

Miss Elizabeth Board  
Special Assistant to the President  
Director of the Television Office  
Room 170 - OEOB  
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Washington D.C. 20500

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Last March, Camera Three Productions produced RODGERS AND HAMMERSTEIN: THE SOUND OF AMERICAN MUSIC for PBS and raised 1.5 million dollars on the first airing. We hope to do as well, and better, for PBS with our Berlin special, and we know that an appearance by President Reagan would be a wonderful addition to our program.

I hope this letter has provided enough background information for you to go forward with this request. Please call me if there is anything else that we can do from here. Thank you for your efforts on behalf of IRVING BERLIN'S AMERICA.

Sincerely,

*Jo Ann Young*

Elizabeth - FYI this went  
to Ryan 12/24

THE WHITE HOUSE  
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December 20, 1985

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JANUARY 8, 1986

TAPING: JAYCEES DINNER

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GREETINGS TO KEN  
ZIMMERMAN AND ALL MY  
JAYCEE FRIENDS. I HOPE  
YOU ARE HAVING A  
PRODUCTIVE AND ENJOYABLE  
TIME THERE IN TULSA.

I APPRECIATE THIS  
OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE A  
FEW THOUGHTS WITH YOU,  
AND TO GIVE YOU A  
WELL-DESERVED PAT ON THE  
BACK FOR ALL THE FINE  
WORK THE JAYCEES HAVE  
BEEN DOING.

THE COMMUNITY SERVICE YOU  
PROVIDE IN THE TOWNS AND  
CITIES ACROSS OUR COUNTRY  
IS ONE OF THE BEST  
EXAMPLES OF VOLUNTARISM  
THAT I CAN THINK OF.


THE JAYCEES HAVE THE  
ENERGY AND HAVE THE  
SPIRIT, THE AMERICAN  
SPIRIT. YOU SHOULD ALL  
BE PROUD TO BE PART OF

A TEAM THAT PROVIDES  
LEADERSHIP TO THOSE  
GRASSROOTS EFFORTS THAT  
MAKE THIS THE KIND OF  
COUNTRY WE ALL WANT IT TO  
BE.



YOUR PRESIDENT,  
KEN ZIMMERMAN, IS A GOOD  
EXAMPLE OF THE HIGH  
ENERGY AND PERSONAL  
DEDICATION FOR WHICH THE  
JAYCEES ARE FAMOUS.  
IF ANY OF YOU HAVE HAD  
TROUBLE GETTING HOLD OF  
KEN, IT COULD BE BECAUSE  
HE HAS BEEN TRAIPSING THE  
COUNTRY IN HIS VAN,  
RAISING MONEY FOR THE  
RESTORATION OF THE STATUE  
OF LIBERTY. THE JAYCEES  
HAVE COMMITTED HALF A  
MILLION DOLLARS TO THE  
RESTORATION. KEN'S BEEN  
IN THE DRIVER'S SEAT IN  
MORE WAYS THAN ONE TO SEE  
TO IT THAT THE GOAL IS  
REACHED. WHEN THE STATUE  
OF LIBERTY IS AGAIN  
PROUDLY HOLDING HIGH ITS  
TORCH. THE JAYCEES WILL

KNOW THEY DID THEIR PART.



AMERICA HAS ALWAYS BEEN ABLE TO COUNT ON THE JAYCEES. I ESPECIALLY WANT TO THANK YOU FOR THROWING YOUR SUPPORT TO THE STRUGGLE TO CUT THE WASTE OUT OF THE FEDERAL BUDGET. DURING YOUR ANNUAL SEMINAR IN WASHINGTON LAST SEPTEMBER, YOU DECIDED TO PUT TOGETHER A PROGRAM TO BRING THE MESSAGE OF THE GRACE COMMISSION TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. THERE ARE FAR TOO MANY POLITICIANS WHO WOULD CURB DEFICIT SPENDING BY RAISING YOUR TAXES. WITH YOUR HELP, THE WORD IS OUT THAT THERE IS STILL FAT IN THE FEDERAL BUDGET. I'VE OFTEN SAID THERE IS ENOUGH FAT IN THE FEDERAL BUDGET THAT IF WE RENDERED IT INTO SOAP, WE COULD WASH THE WORLD.

I HOPE YOU AGREE

WITH ME THAT THE WAY TO  
REDUCE DEFICIT SPENDING  
IS TO REDUCE SPENDING.  
UNFORTUNATELY, IT IS  
DIFFICULT FOR PEOPLE  
WHO'VE BEEN LIVING NEAR  
THE PUBLIC TROUGH TOO  
LONG TO UNDERSTAND THIS.  
IF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT  
WERE AS RESPONSIBLE AS  
THE JAYCEES, OUR PROBLEMS  
WOULD DISAPPEAR.

OVER THE YEARS,  
YOU'VE TAKEN IN YOUR  
HANDS THE RESPONSIBILITY  
FOR HELPING THE LESS  
FORTUNATE AND FOR  
BETTERING YOUR  
COMMUNITIES. GOVERNMENT  
COULDN'T AFFORD TO PAY  
FOR THE SERVICE YOU AND  
OTHER VOLUNTEERS DO FOR  
FREE. AMERICA WOULD NOT  
BE HALF AS GOOD A LAND  
WITHOUT HER JAYCEES.  
I WISH ALL OF YOU LUCK IN  
THE MONTHS AHEAD AS YOU  
"MARCH FORTH" TO KEEP THE  
JAYCEES WHERE THEY SHOULD  
BE. LEADING THE PACK.



THANK YOU FOR GIVING ME  
THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SPEAK  
WITH YOU THIS EVENING.  
GOD BLESS YOU.

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(ELLIOTT)

JANUARY 8, 1986

TAPING: INAUGURATION OF THE GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR  
OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

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A WARM (HAH-FAH DAY)  
TO GOVERNOR PEDRO P.  
TENORIO AND LIEUTENANT  
GOVERNOR PEDRO A.  
TENORIO.

I EXTEND MY  
CONGRATULATIONS TO BOTH  
OF YOU ON YOUR HISTORIC  
RE-ELECTION TO SERVE IN  
THE HIGHEST ELECTIVE  
OFFICE IN THE  
COMMONWEALTH OF THE  
NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS.  
YOUR DECISIVE VICTORY IS  
A CLEAR MANDATE OF YOUR  
CONSTITUENTS' CONFIDENCE  
IN YOUR PROFOUND  
LEADERSHIP AND YOUR  
ABILITY TO FURTHER THE  
DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES OF  
GOOD GOVERNMENT.

I AM UNABLE TO  
ATTEND YOUR INAUGURAL  
CEREMONIES DUE TO OTHER



COMMITMENTS. HOWEVER,  
VICE PRESIDENT BUSH HAS  
TOLD ME OF THE WARM  
HOSPITALITY YOU SHOWED  
HIM AND HIS PARTY DURING  
THEIR RECENT VISIT.  
WE ARE CONFIDENT THAT YOU  
WILL CONTINUE TO PROVIDE  
THE QUALITY LEADERSHIP  
THAT THE PEOPLE OF THE  
COMMONWEALTH DESERVE.  
AS FELLOW AMERICANS,  
WE ARE PROUD OF YOUR  
ACHIEVEMENTS AND WE LOOK  
FORWARD TO WORKING  
CLOSELY WITH YOU AS WE  
HAVE DURING YOUR FIRST  
4 YEARS OF  
ADMINISTRATION.

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To \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

**WHILE YOU WERE OUT**

M. Mr. Dolan

of Micronesia States

Phone 343-9143/1267

Area Code      Number      Extension

TELEPHONED	<input type="checkbox"/>	PLEASE CALL	<input type="checkbox"/>
CALLED TO SEE YOU	<input type="checkbox"/>	WILL CALL AGAIN	<input type="checkbox"/>
WANTS TO SEE YOU	<input type="checkbox"/>	URGENT	<input type="checkbox"/>

RETURNED YOUR CALL

Message \_\_\_\_\_

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Operator