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I am delighted to send greetings to all those gathered to salute Martha Graham as the recipient of this year's Encore Award. By founding and guiding the Martha Graham Dance Company and School, she has established an enduring reputation as a great educator as well as a consummate performer and artist.

I am also pleased to salute the members and supporters of the Arts and Business Council. As matchmakers between the arts and business communities, you deserve the thanks of all Americans for your achievements. Your training programs, Volunteers for the Arts programs, and your efforts to meld the organizational skills of business people with the needs of arts groups are a valuable public service.

Nancy joins me in our best wishes on this occasion and for many more years of success in building these vital partnerships.

Sybil Simon

RONALD REAGAN

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Executive Director
President's Committee on
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Room 603B
150 East 42nd Street
New York, New York 10017

EVENT: October 3

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9/27 Encore Award

(2 of 2 letters)

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PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

150 East 42nd Street, Room 603-B
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* 2 messages *

September 13, 1985

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MEMORANDUM

TO: ANN HIGGINS, DIRECTOR
OFFICE OF WHITE HOUSE CORRESPONDENCE

FROM: DIANE PATON, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
PRESIDENT'S COMMITTEE ON THE ARTS AND
THE HUMANITIES

SUBJECT: Presidential Messages

May I ask your cooperation in arranging for two presidential messages prepared in advance for the annual meetings of two important arts organizations:

* OCTOBER 1, 1985

Ms. Judith Jedlicka, President
Business Committee for the Arts
1775 Broadway, Suite 510
New York, NY 10019

* OCTOBER 3, 1985

Mrs. Sybil Simon, Executive Director
Arts and Business Council, Inc.
130 East 40th Street
New York, NY 10016

Diane J. Paton
Executive Director

Suggested texts for the message are attached. I would be most appreciative if you would send a duplicate of the message to me to be read at the meetings. Will you be good enough to send the messages two days in advance of the meetings, as the BCA event will take place out of town (Pittsburgh).

DJP:ic
Encl.

WHcc: Diane Paton
(above n.y. address)

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Nancy joins me in congratulating Mrs. Graham and all those who join to ~~celebrate a great year for the Arts and Business Council~~ ^{in our best wishes on this occasion and for many more} ~~years of success~~ ^{years of success} in building these vital partnerships.

Send to:
Mrs. Sybil C. Simon
Executive Director
Arts and Business Council, Inc.
130 East 40th Street
New York, NY 10016

*call Keith Donohue
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whcc: Miss Diane J. Paton, Executive Director, The President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities, Room 603B, 150 East 42nd Street, New York, NY 10017

ARTS AND BUSINESS COUNCIL, INC.

(Please deliver to Executive Director Sybil Simon on or before 9/30/85)

I have long admired the art and talents of Martha Graham and therefore join with you in congratulating her on a lifetime of magnificent achievement. She is far more than a great artist and performer, and has become -- through her founding of The Martha Graham Dance Company and School -- a great educator as well. Truly, she has earned the Encore Award you give her today.

My best wishes also to all of you members and supporters at this 21st awards luncheon of the Arts and Business Council. As matchmakers between the communities of the arts and of business, you deserve the thanks of all the country for your programs in Volunteers for the Arts, for your training programs, and for the way you have melded the organizational skills of so many in business with the needs of so many arts groups.

Congratulations to Mrs. Graham and to all of you who join to celebrate a great year for the Arts and Business Council.

Ronald Reagan

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Arts & Business Council, Inc.
130 East 40th Street
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