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November 8, 1988

Dear Mr. President:

My office has already been in touch with the social secretary, but I wanted to let you know personally how sorry Nancy and I are to miss your lunch on November 10. I have a contractual luncheon engagement in Philadelphia that I have not been able to change.

Nancy and I look forward to seeing you and Mrs. Reagan on November 16 at dinner.

Warm regards,

Henry A. Kissinger

The Honorable
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President of the United
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The White House
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

November 9, 1988

Dear Ray:

My thanks for that magnificent collection of art in the duck stamp book. I guess I've been completely unaware of the size of the movement and the variety of paintings it has taken to keep the program going.

Ray, with reference to your letter, I was never informed about your proposal and that someone in the Administration took it upon themselves to respond. I have told my staff to look into this and, if it's too late for my term, to see that George Bush is informed of this. I'm sorry about the "snafu."

Again, thanks for the book and best regards,

Sincerely,

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

November 9, 1988

Dear Mr. Masters:

I'm sorry to be so late in responding to your letter of October 6, which I have only just received. It sometimes takes a while before mail reaches my desk.

I want to thank you for writing as you did, and I'm truly grateful for your generous words. You are right that we still have some things to do, but you'll be pleased to know I just signed legislation dealing with the homeless situation yesterday morning. It also provides additional funds.

With regard to fair trade, we have made and are making real progress with our trading partners. They have come a long way in curbing their protectionist policies.

Again, my thanks to you, and very best wishes.

Sincerely,

RUNALD REAGAN

Mr. Craig V. Masters President Digitronix, Inc. Suite 108 270 Regency Ridge Road Dayton, Ohio 45459 To Craig V. Maaters - Digitronix Inc., Suite 108, 270 Regency Ridge Rd. Dayton Ohio.

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October 6, 1988

President Ronald Reagan The White House Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. President,

It is not a habit of mine to write letters to public figures. However, I feel compelled to let you know how I feel about your term in office.

In January, when this country gets a new leader I will turn 34 years old. I have been a salesman since Jimmy Carter took office in 1976. This year I started a new business and things are going well so far. I don't believe a new business would have had a chance under the democratic administration of Jimmy Carter. And I want to thank you for providing the economic opportunity for my new company. It is true, we have a few more things to work on such as fair trade, the environment and perhaps some sort of head-start program for the homeless families. But, the country was in such a mess when you took over, you couldn't have done everything in eight years unless you were Houdini. Hopefully, George and Dan can continue where you left off and act on some of these issues.

You are a champion, with the unusual combined qualities of peasant toughness and old fashion classic charm. You are going to be a tough act to follow. To bad you can't stick around for another eight. I wish the best for you and Nancy in your new ventures.

Sincerely,

Craig V. Masters President

PS: I was homeless during the month of December 1974.

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

November 9, 1988

Dear Ms. Nelson:

What a surprise you and those remarkable students of yours gave me with their letters and yours. Thank you for your generous words and good wishes.

Would you please tell those young people how much I appreciate their writing me. I truly enjoyed reading each and every letter. Could I ask you to do something else for me? Some of them asked questions of me. I'm including the answers in this letter and would be most grateful if you would read them to the class.

Dave and Mike asked if I would stay in government after I retired as President. The answer is no. I think eight years as Governor of California and eight years in the Oval Office in Washington are enough. I will, however, be helpful in any way I can to those in government.

Sara Miller: After I finish my term and the new President takes office, I have in mind writing a book about my years in the White House.

Natasha Flores: I very much want peace between the Soviet Union and the United States. We've made considerable progress in this direction, and I know the Russian people want peace. Now we must convince the Soviet government to do what their people want. Question Number 2 -- Yes, I want, and I know our people want, a drug-free America. "Just say no" to drugs.

Thomas Betts: Yes, our plans for exploration of space continue to go forward and a permanent space station is a major part of our plan. It is essential if we are to explore other planets such as Mars. Down the road, development of a plane capable of traveling in space is part of our planning.

Matthew Sanchez: I've been very happy as President even though it is hard at times. What I liked best was being able to bring about such things as lowering people's taxes and doing other things I've always believed in. A wise man once said, "Life begins when you begin to serve." Well, being President is serving the people of our country, and I like doing that.

Gwyndolyn Snyder: I'm sorry none of your letters until this one has reached me. You see, about 400,000 letters a month are sent to the President, and they are handled by a department with more than a hundred employees.

Melanie: In such spare time as I have, I like riding a horse. We have horses at our ranch in California. As for what I do each day in the Oval Office, yes, there are decisions that must be made almost every day. Some have to do with measures the Congress is considering. Others involve other countries and our relationship with them.

Natalie: I love to read and do so much of it I just can't pick out an author I favor above all others. As for music -- I love the music of the "big band era," songs by Irving Berlin, and the other songwriters of that time. I never played a musical instrument, but was Drum Major of the boys' band in Dixon, Illinois. Yes, it's hard to be President; so much depends on the decisions you make. I find myself asking for the Lord's help more than I ever have in my life. To become President you have to convince the people you will look out for their freedom and welfare.

Gautam: I have enjoyed being President; but if I'd lost elections to those others you mentioned, I probably wouldn't have run again because I would feel the people didn't agree with the course I thought the government should take. I'm happy that I've been President and think I'm better off because of that experience.

I'm happy with the choice I made in who would be Vice President. I believe George Bush was one of the greatest Vice Presidents this country has ever had. I honestly don't know if I would have run for a third term. I do know I feel that law against a third term is a denial of the people's right to vote for whoever they want to vote for and the law should be changed.

Kristen and Michelle: I believe we'll see a day when women will serve as President and Vice President. Maybe it will start with a

woman being chosen V.P. Today, the Prime Minister of Great Britain, Margaret Thatcher, is one of the truly great national leaders in the world. I admire her greatly.

Ms. Nelson, as you can see, I've sent an autograph for each one of your students, another imposition on your time for which I apologize. My heartfelt thanks to you and very best regards.

Sincerely,

HUWALD REAGAN

Ms. Susan Nelson Room 811 Black Mountain Middle School 9353 Oviedo Street San Diego, California 92129

P.S. David Blakey asked for some Bush campaign material, which I have attached to his autograph, but I'm also enclosing a bundle of material in case any of the others would like some souvenirs.



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October 27, 1988

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

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FROM: KATHY OSBORNE

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THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

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Mr. President:

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Joseph Dehaven from Clinton, Iowa
who you supposedly used to play with?

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Kathy O.

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