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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 20, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR DIANNA G. HOLLAND

FROM:

JOHN G. ROBERTS 

SUBJECT:

Nomination of Sandra O'Connor to the State
Justice Institute Board of Directors

I have reviewed the Personal Data Statement submitted by Sandra O'Connor in connection with her prospective nomination to the Board of Directors of the State Justice Institute. The President's authority to make appointments to this Board, and the qualifications for appointment, were reviewed in Hugh Hewitt's memorandum of January 13, 1986 (copy attached).

Ms. O'Connor is State's Attorney for Baltimore County, an elective position. She is active in the National District Attorney's Association, and appears to be well-qualified for this position. Her PDS discloses no problems, and I have no objection to proceeding with her nomination.

Attachment

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 13, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR DIANNA G. HOLLAND

FROM: HUGH HEWITT

SUBJECT: Nominations to the Board of Directors of
the State Justice Institute of:
James Cameron Lawrence Cook
John Daffron Janice Gradwohl
Daniel Meador Rodney Peeples
Larry Polansky Clement Torbert, Jr.

Public Law 98-620, Section 203(a) et. seq., established the State Justice Institute. The Institute's purpose is to further the development and adoption of improved judicial administration in state courts, and will take the form of an independent, private, non-profit corporation, governed by a Board of Directors consisting of eleven members. Six of these directors are appointed by the President, with the advice and consent of the Senate, from a list of candidates submitted to the President by the Conference of Chief Justices. Personnel did select six, but one has withdrawn, so we are awaiting one additional judicial candidate from the original list. One director is appointed by the President with the advice and consent of the Senate, from a list of state court administrators submitted to the President from the Conference of Chief Justices. The remaining four directors are "public sector members," appointed by the President with the advice and consent of the Senate. No more than two of these four public sector members shall be of the same political party.

The referenced candidates include five of the six judicial appointments, the court administrator appointment, and two of the public sector appointees (one Democrat and one Independent.) The two other public sector appointees have not yet submitted their papers (both are Republicans). The Department of Justice and Presidential Personnel are working to select the sixth judicial candidate from the list already submitted. The law stated that the initial Board was to be appointed by December 30, 1985. Because we are beyond that deadline, I have decided to recommend that the nominations of these eight go forward now.

I have reviewed the responses of these candidates to the questions on the PDS, and these answers present no obstacle to any of the appointments. There is a consideration common to almost all of the candidates. Most of the candidates are active in professional associations (the Conference of Chief Justices, the National Judicial College, etc.) that may in the future have dealings with

the Institute. I have talked to each candidate in order to point out the potential for conflicts if the Institute should ever enter into a grant-giving function. All of the candidates were receptive to this advice, and all agreed to recuse themselves should such a situation arise.

One final note. From the original list submitted by the Conference of Chief Justices, six names were selected for the judicial slots. One of those candidates dropped out due to a state law prohibiting such service, and another candidate on the list is also disqualified under a similar law. That leaves, I think, seven possible candidates. If no one is judged suitable from those remaining on the list, the question arises whether the President can, under the law, request new names for that sixth spot, or whether he must reject the whole list, including the five already agreed upon. The law reads in relevant part: "The President may reject any list of individuals submitted by the Conference under this paragraph and if such a list is so rejected, the President shall request the Conference to submit to him another list of qualified individuals." 42 U.S.C. § 10703(a)(3). I read this to mean that the President must reject the whole list if he does not find on it six suitable candidates. This issue will not arise if the new nominee comes from the list, and I have pointed this out to Kevin Jones, Deputy Assistant Attorney General in the Office of Legal Policy who is working on the alternate selection.

Accordingly, assuming successful completion of all other background checks, I recommend that these nominations go forward. Their files are returned to you for further appropriate action.

Attachment

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 10, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT H. TUTTLE

FROM: FRED F. FIELDING

All necessary clearances have been accomplished with regard to the following individual and she is ready for formal nomination by the President:

Sandra A. O'Connor - Member, Board of Directors, State
Justice Institute

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cc: Amy Weist
Jane Dannenhauer
~~John Roberts~~
Catherine Bedell

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

March 27, 1986

NOMINATIONS SENT TO THE SENATE:

✓ ~~Roger Milton Olsen~~, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General, vice Glenn L. Archer, Jr., resigned.

✓ Sonia Landau, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for a term expiring March 26, 1991. (Reappointment)

The following-named persons to be Members of the National Council on the Handicapped for terms expiring September 17, 1988:

John F. Mills, of Virginia, vice Robert V. Bush, term expired.

Robert S. Muller, of Michigan, vice Hunt Hamill, term expired.

Brenda Premo, of California, vice Henry Viscardi, Jr., term expired.

Phyllis D. Zlotnick, of Connecticut, vice R. Budd Gould, term expired.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

March 26, 1986

The President today announced his intention to nominate Roger Milton Olsen to be an Assistant Attorney General (Tax Division), Department of Justice. He would succeed Glenn L. Archer, Jr.

Since 1983, Mr. Olsen has been serving at the Department of Justice as Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Tax Division. Previously, he served at Justice as Deputy Assistant Attorney General for the Criminal Division in 1981-1983. He was in the private practice of law in Washington, D.C., in 1980-1981 and before that, a principal with Wickham & Craft, P.C., in Washington, D.C., in 1978-1980. He served as an associate with Hassard, Bonnington, Rogers & Huber and as adjunct professor at Golden Gate University in 1977. He was at the Department of Justice in 1972-1976 as Trial Attorney in the Tax Division.

He graduated from the University of California at Berkeley (A.B., 1964; J.D., 1968) and George Washington University (LL.M., 1977). He is married, has one child and resides in Alexandria, Virginia. He was born April 27, 1942 in San Jose, California.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 24, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT H. TUTTLE

FROM: FRED F. FIELDING
COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

All necessary clearances have been accomplished with regard to the following individual, and he is ready for formal nomination by the President:

Roger M. Olsen - Assistant Attorney General,
Tax Division,
Department of Justice


cc: Amy Weist
Jane Dannenhauer
John Roberts ✓

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 24, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR DIANNA G. HOLLAND

FROM: JOHN G. ROBERTS 

SUBJECT: Nomination of Roger Olsen to be Assistant Attorney General, Tax Division

I have reviewed the SF-278 and Personal Data Statement submitted by Roger Olsen in connection with his prospective nomination to be an Assistant Attorney General. The President is given authority to appoint Assistant Attorneys General by 28 U.S.C. § 506.

Olsen submitted a previous SF-278 dated March 12, 1986, and has now submitted a clean revised version. The previous SF-278 was deficient in the information required, and also disclosed that two foreign trips on official business by Mr. Olsen had been paid for by the host organizations, which were not 501(c)(3) organizations. I alerted Olsen to this problem, and he advised that he would correct it by having the Department of Justice reimburse the organizations for the amounts they had paid for Olsen's travel. (This is the course of action that was followed with respect to similar problems on Mr. Meese's SF-278.)

Mr. Olsen's revised SF-278 reveals no problems. His holdings are limited to certificates of deposit and various investment funds. Assuming successful completion of other background checks, I have no objection to proceedings with this nomination.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 20, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT H. TUTTLE

FROM: FRED F. FIELDING ✓

All necessary clearances have been accomplished with regard to the following individual, and he is ready for formal nomination by the President:

Gilbert G. Pompa - Director, Community Relations Service,
Department of Justice

cc: Amy Weist
Jane Dannenhauer
John Roberts ✓

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 17, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR DIANNA G. HOLLAND

FROM: JOHN G. ROBERTS 

SUBJECT: Nomination of Gilbert G. Pompa to be
Director of the Community Relations Service

I have reviewed the SF-278 and PDS submitted by Gilbert G. Pompa in connection with his prospective nomination for another term as Director of the Community Relations Service. The President is authorized to nominate a Director for a four-year term by 42 U.S.C. § 2000g. Pompa has been nominated and confirmed for this post on two prior occasions. His SF-278 and PDS present no problems, and, assuming successful completion of other background checks, I have no objection to proceeding with this nomination.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 3, 1986

Dear Mr. Pompa:

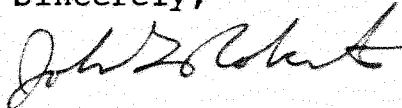
Congratulations on your prospective reappointment as Director of the Community Relations Service. In connection with that reappointment, it will be necessary for you to complete the enclosed Financial Disclosure Report (SF-278) and Personal Data Statement. While you have been filing an annual SF-278, a current one must be completed in connection with the nomination.

With respect to the Personal Data Statement, you may answer the questions in memorandum form, addressed to Mr. Fielding. The questions need not be repeated. If you have any questions about completing the SF-278 or the Personal Data Statement, please do not hesitate to contact me. I can be reached at (202) 456-7953.

I have also enclosed memoranda outlining how the conflict of interest laws apply to one in your position.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,



John G. Roberts
Associate Counsel to the President

CONGRATULATIONS
GIL!
John

Gilbert G. Pompa, Esquire
Director
Community Relations Service
Department of Justice
Washington, D.C. 20530

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 25, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR ROBERT H. TUTTLE

FROM: FRED F. FIELDING

All necessary clearances have been accomplished with regard to the following individual and he is ready for appointment by the President:

Donald B. Rassier - Member, National Security
Telecommunications Advisory
Committee

cc: Amy Weist
Jane Dannenhauer
John Roberts
Catherine Bedell

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

February 21, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR FILE

FROM: JOHN G. ROBERTS



SUBJECT: David Rohr

On February 20 at 2:40 p.m. I provided Senator Danforth with the January 1984 summary and the December 1985 update of the background investigation into David Rohr, who is to be reappointed to the International Trade Commission. Danforth reviewed the material without comment.

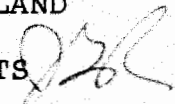
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 25, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR DIANNA G. HOLLAND

FROM: JOHN G. ROBERTS 

SUBJECT: Designation of Robert Searby to be Department
of Labor Representative on OPIC Board

Pursuant to 22 U.S.C. § 2193(b) the President designates four Federal officials to serve on the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation, "including an official of the Department of Labor." Searby meets the statutory requirement for designation, and accordingly may be designated to serve on the OPIC Board.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

March 14, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE

FROM: JOHN G. ROBERTS *JGR*

SUBJECT: FBI Report on [REDACTED]

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I provided the FBI summary memoranda on [REDACTED] to Senator Cranston on March 13 at 5:15 p.m. and to Senator Murkowski at 5:35 p.m. Both Senators pointed to the anonymous letter attached to the memoranda and asked if it were the subject letter; I confirmed that that was my understanding.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date March 19, 1986

Suspense Date _____

MEMORANDUM FOR: John

FROM: **DIANNA G. HOLLAND**

ACTION

- Approved
- Please handle/review
- For your information
- For your recommendation
- For the files
- Please see me
- Please prepare response for _____ signature
- As we discussed
- Return to me for filing

COMMENT

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 12, 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR KATJA BULLOCK/JEANINE CHASE
BETTY CHILES
✓ DIANNA HOLLAND
NANCY KENNEDY/SUZANNE TUSSING

FROM: AMY WEIST *AW*
SUBJECT: Clearance Tracking

Please withdraw the following individuals from clearance:

Eric Brodin - National Graduate Fellows Program Fellowship Board, per Bob Tuttle staff meeting.

Louis "Woody" Jenkins - Advisory Committee for Trade Negotiations and as a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, per Catherine Bedell.

Sarah Tinsley - Assistant Administrator, AID, per Bob Tuttle staff meeting.

James LaRosa - Christopher Columbus 500th Jubilee Commission, per Pam Elmets per Senator Byrd's office.

Alex P. Hurtado - National White House Conference on Small Business, withdrew himself.

William Sittman - American Battle Monuments Commission, per Bob Tuttle staff meeting.

Samuel Armacost - President's Commission on Executive Exchange, per Bob Tuttle/Catherine Bedell.

George Rast - Member, U.S. Parole Commission, per Mark Sullivan

Gilda Bailey - National White House Conference on Small Business per Bob Tuttle per Dick Hauser

DGH Completed
Warren Miller - President's Commission on White House Fellowships. Please delete from W. H. Fellows and indicate his position is to be determined. Bob Tuttle would like his clearance completed.

John F. Weinstein was approved by Senior Staff and the President to be a Delegate to the National White House Conference on Small Business. Please note he will not be submitted into clearance as he is a New York State Delegate to the Conference.

Thank you very much.

