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WHITE HOUSE CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

- O - OUTGOING
- H - INTERNAL
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Date Correspondence Received (YY/MM/DD) 82/06/23

Name of Correspondent: John J. Egan

MI Mail Report User Codes: (A) _____ (B) _____ (C) _____

Subject: discusses his circumstances resulting from his service in the U.S. Marine Corps and expresses his views regarding the Hinckley case

ROUTE TO:

ACTION

DISPOSITION

| Office/Agency (Staff Name) | Action Code | Tracking Date YY/MM/DD | Type of Response | Code | Completion Date YY/MM/DD |
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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CS K. Camalier | ORIGINATOR | CS 82/07/09 | | C | 82/07/15 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WH Ed Hickey's Office | Referral Note: | On behalf of James A. Baker, III | | A | CS 82/07/09 |
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ACTION CODES:

- A - Appropriate Action
- C - Comment/Recommendation
- D - Draft Response
- F - Furnish Fact Sheet to be used as Enclosure

- I - Info Copy Only/No Action Necessary
- R - Direct Reply w/Copy
- S - For Signature
- X - Interim Reply

DISPOSITION CODES:

- A - Answered
- B - Non-Special Referral
- C - Completed
- S - Suspended

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- Type of Response = Initials of Signer
- Code = "A"
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Comments: Case has already been decided in the claimant's favor, no action is necessary.

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JL 002
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PRESIDENTIAL REPLY

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- n - 3 - Ron
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- n - 2 - Ron - Nancy

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- P - Photo**
- R - Report**
- S - Sealed**
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Post Office Box 312
Clinton, CT 06413
June 23, 1982.

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James Baker, Esq.
Chief of Staff to the President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20501

Dear Mr. Baker:

I regret not reaching you yesterday but was told you received my message.

Psychiatry, psychology and sociology are not factual occupations and have no place in our Judicial system, particularly when their opinions are accepted as expert. The Hinkley decision was in fact decided by psychiatry and therefor brought discredit on the Judicial system.

Should the President make recommendations to pleas of insanity in criminal and civil cases effecting changes in the Law I suggest he read House Report No 94-557 and Senate Report No 94-1201 which pertain to me.

I was a Captain in the U. S. Marine Corps serving in the South West Pacific when some doubt came about that I had been discharged from the Army as Insane. I was locked in an isolation ward; locked in the brig of the U. S. S. Wright and sent home where I was locked in various Naval Hospitals and finally sent to St. Elizabeths and sent home. Years later I was notified that the medical record that read "verified history reveals the Officer was discharged from the Army as INSANE". In 1948 the Naval Correction Board ruled that my medical records were confused with ANOTHER OFFICER NAMED CAPTAIN JOHN J. EGAN WHO HAD BEEN DISCHARGED FROM THE ARMY AS INSANE.

President Truman apologized, Secretary Sullivan also sent me a written apology and the Commandant had me physically examined and was found "fit for duty with troops". The Surgeon General and the Judge Advocate General refused to accept the Correction board decision of March 17, 1948 and I was left to live with this Badge of Infamy for 39 years. Recently the HONORABLE John Lehman signed the latest decision (there were 9 Navy Board and 3 Court decisions all favorable to me) of the Navy Correction Board and the Commandant placed me on the retirement list March 15, 1982.

The disgraceful conduct of the Surgeon General and the Judge Advocate General in the early 1950 was disgraceful on their reliance of prejudiced psychiatric testimony. Then, only recently was it found out that the Justice Department Attorney who had requested the case and given the assignment by her super-

John J. Egan
June 23, 1982
Attn: JAMES BAKER, ESQ.

visor Saul Gamer WAS THE DAUGHTER OF THE JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL OF THE NAVY 1952-1956 whose prime interest was not justice but the protection of her father, the previous Judge Advocate General who was her fathers friend and later her Law Professor at George Washington Law school in Washington.

I have been seen by over 100 psychiatrists, psychologists and sociologists including the last defense by United States Attorney Frances L. Nunn in her forcing me through the Court to again be examined at the Institute of Living in Hartford which enjoys a tax exempt status and well known for its assistance to the well known and wealthy.

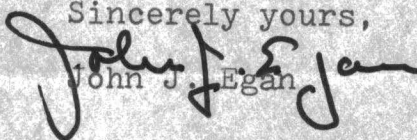
My father was a physician and The HONORABLE Edith Nourse Rogers Committee Chairman stated his death as "administrative murder" as these psychiatrists even hit him.

Living under this "badge of Infamy" for 39 years has been brutal. The harassment, pain, suffering can never be measured. The cost over the years has been beyond comprehension BUT the Naval Correction Board, The Navy Secretary the HONORABLE John Lehman, and the Commandant of the Marine Corps gave me back my HONOR which had been put in doubt by the medical reports and examinations of psychiatrists who practice the phoniest sham in the practice of Medicine.

The Congressional Reference in the Court of Claims is 5-74 and 2-75. If need be I will gladly discuss with anyone the need to remove these occupations as expert witnesses in the Judicial System.

My best wishes to the President and his staff.

Sincerely yours,


John J. Egan