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September 29, 1989

THE PRESIDENT

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FROM: DANIEL MCGROARTY *DMG*

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THANK YOU, DON [SEN. NICKLES] -- AND THANK YOU FOR
THE FINE WORK YOU'RE DOING AS CHAIRMAN OF THE INNER
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SENATE WHO HAVE TURNED OUT TONIGHT. TO MARY HART. AND
TO ANOTHER FINE ENTERTAINER -- LEE ATWATER.

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BARBARA AND I ARE DELIGHTED TO BE HERE -- DELIGHTED
TO SEE SO MANY FRIENDLY FACES.

AND I'M DELIGHTED TO BE IN WASHINGTON. IN THE PAST
TEN DAYS I'VE BEEN TO NEW JERSEY, MAINE, MASSACHUSETTS,
NEW YORK, VIRGINIA, SOUTH CAROLINA, AND MARYLAND.

I TOLD JOHN SUNUNU I'D DONE ENOUGH TRAVELLING FOR AWHILE -- AND HE PROMISED HE'D KEEP ME OFF AIR FORCE ONE. THAT'S WHY I GOT A LITTLE BIT SUSPICIOUS WHEN HE TOLD ME TONIGHT I'D BE GOING TO UNION STATION....

[PAUSE]

I'VE KNOWN MANY OF YOU ACTIVE IN THE INNER CIRCLE FOR YEARS, AND I'VE ALWAYS VALUED YOUR FRIENDSHIP AND SUPPORT.

I AM PLEASED TO SHARE THIS EVENING WITH YOU AND SO MANY SPECIAL GUESTS. [[I HEARD I MISSED A GREAT ROUTINE BY FRED TRAVALENA -- BUT BARBARA TELLS ME IT'S NOTHING I HAVEN'T SEEN BEFORE.]]

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BUT IT'S THE NEXT TEN YEARS I WANT TO TALK ABOUT TONIGHT -- AND HOW WE CAN MAKE THE 1990s THE DECADE THE GRAND OLD PARTY BECOMES THE MAJORITY PARTY IN AMERICA.

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WELL, THE REPUBLICAN PARTY HAS A MAGIC NUMBER OF ITS OWN, AND THAT NUMBER IS 5: 5 SEATS STAND BETWEEN US AND A SENATE MAJORITY. AND WE'VE GOT A LUCKY NUMBER, TOO: 13 -- 13 MONTHS UNTIL THE 1990 ELECTIONS.

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FROM: ROGER B. PORTER *RBP*

SUBJECT: Presidential Remarks: Republican Senatorial
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cc: James W. Cicconi

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Deputy Assistant to the President
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FROM: BRENT O. HATCH 
Associate Counsel to the President

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