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WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM

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REMARKS:

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RESPONSE:

PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President
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Ext. 2702

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

91 APR -3 PM 8:34

April 3, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH: TONY SNOW *TS*
FROM: BETH HINCHLIFFE *BH*
SUBJECT: U.S.O. LUNCHEON

On Friday, April 5, at 2:40 p.m., you will address 850 attendees at a fundraising luncheon for the U.S.O. Your remarks, 4 minutes in length, will be on cards.

Hinchliffe/Blymire
April 3, 1991 7 p.m.
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Los Angeles, CA
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Whenever freedom has demanded sacrifice, our young men and women have answered its call. And for the last half century the USO has followed, extending the hand and the heart of America.

We're all pleased to honor the thousand points of light who have given their time and talent to the USO. These men and women, bright beacons in the American constellation of caring, deserve our love, our support, our thanks. They entertain, inspire, and move us all.

May God bless you as you have blessed us.



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**50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE USO
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

THANK YOU, TOM [TOM SELLECK].

50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE USO \ UNIVERSAL AMPHITHEATER
APRIL 5, 1991

Thank you Tom

YOU KNOW, JAMES MICHENER ENDS HIS WAR NOVEL THE BRIDGES AT TOKO-RI BY ASKING: "WHERE DID WE GET SUCH MEN?" WELL, I LOOK OUT AT THESE THOUSANDS OF FACES -- VETERANS FROM WORLD WAR II TO THE PERSIAN GULF -- AND ALL I CAN DO IS ECHO HIS ADMIRATION AND PRIDE: "WHERE DID WE GET SUCH MEN AND WOMEN?" \ \ THE ANSWER -- FROM THE HEART OF AMERICA. YOU ARE THE HEART OF AMERICA.
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THAT'S WHAT THE USO HAS KNOWN ALL THESE YEARS. FROM THE SKIES OVER PEARL HARBOR TO THE SKIES OVER KUWAIT, THE USO HAS KNOWN WHAT HOMESICK, WEARY WARRIORS HAVE NEEDED. SOMETHING VERY SIMPLE. A TOUCH OF HOME.
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THE MOST IMPORTANT THING THE USO HAS DONE FOR 50 YEARS IS TO SAY TO OUR TROOPS, ON BEHALF OF AMERICA: HEY, WE MISS YOU. WE'RE THINKING ABOUT YOU. WE CARE ABOUT YOU.

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YOU CAN'T BE HOME WITH US, SO WE'RE SENDING A LITTLE BIT OF HOME TO YOU. MAYBE IT'S A PHONE CALL TO YOUR FOLKS. OR A FRIENDLY STRANGER JUST TO TALK TO. OR BOB HOPE IN A VIETNAMESE HOSPITAL. BUT WHAT WE'RE REALLY GIVING YOU IS A SMILE AND A THOUGHT FROM YOUR GRATEFUL COUNTRY. \\

THE USO SUMS UP WHAT'S BEST ABOUT THIS NATION.

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FOR THE USO IS MADE UP OF VOLUNTEERS -- THERE FOR THE SIMPLEST, MOST LOVING REASON OF ALL: BECAUSE THEY SEE A HUMAN NEED AND WANT TO HELP. \\

THE USO IS FAMILY -- THE MOST IMPORTANT WORD IN THE AMERICAN VOCABULARY -- OUR COUNTRY'S FAMILY CARING ABOUT -- AND CARING FOR -- EACH MEMBER. \\

AND THE USO IS AMERICA -- SHOWING THE WORLD THE OPTIMISM, DECENCY, AND GOOD-HEARTED GENEROSITY THAT FILLS THIS LAND FROM COAST TO COAST.

FOR, AS ITS FOUNDER FRANKLIN ROOSEVELT SAID: "WHEREVER MEN AND WOMEN OF GOOD WILL GATHER TOGETHER TO SERVE THEIR COMMUNITY -- THERE IS AMERICA." \\ AND THE MEN AND WOMEN OF USO BRIGHTEN THE DARK, LONELY CORNERS OF OUR TROOPS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. THESE USO VOLUNTEERS ARE OUR POINTS OF LIGHT. TORCHBEARERS FOR AMERICA'S FINEST BEACON -- THE ONE OF CARING. \\

WHEN OUR TROOPS WENT TO THE GULF, THE USO WENT WITH THEM.

IT INSPIRED THOSE LEFT BEHIND TO JOIN IN ITS SPIRIT -- THE PROUD, YELLOW-RIBBON SPIRIT OF THINKING ABOUT EVERY SINGLE SON, DAUGHTER, BROTHER, SISTER, FATHER, MOTHER OVER THERE. \\

EVEN THOUGH TODAY'S USO IS IMMENSE, MY FATHER WOULD RECOGNIZE IT AS THE SAME ORGANIZATION PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT ASKED HIM TO HELP START IN 1941. FOR 50 YEARS, THE USO HAS PROVEN THAT YOU DON'T HAVE TO WEAR A STAR OR A STRIPE TO BE A HERO.

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ITS VOLUNTEERS HAVE LIFTED THE SPIRITS AND ENNOBLED THE HEARTS OF GENERATIONS OF LONELY KIDS ABROAD, AND THEIR LONELY FAMILIES HERE AT HOME. \\

I'D LIKE TO SHARE WITH YOU SOME WORDS A SOLDIER IN THE SAUDI DESERT WROTE TO COMEDIAN STEVE MARTIN AFTER HIS USO TOUR. CAPTAIN TODD O'BRADOVICH OF THE 82ND AIRBORNE SAID:

"WE TRAIN CONTINUALLY ... WE MUST BE READY TO FIGHT AND DO OUR JOB. THANKSGIVING MADE A LOT OF US HOMESICK ... (BUT) TO KNOW THAT PEOPLE LIKE YOU BACK HOME CARE ABOUT US MAKES ALL THE HARDSHIPS WORTHWHILE." \\

WELL, FOR NEARLY 50 YEARS THE MAN WHO HAS SYMBOLIZED THE CARING OF PEOPLE BACK HOME HAS BEEN BOB (MR. USO) HOPE. WEARING BAGGY CAMOUFLAGE AND SWINGING A GOLF CLUB TO MAKE SOLDIERS LAUGH HALF A WORLD AWAY.

TRAVELLING ON BEHALF OF ALL OF US TO COMFORT OUR SONS AND DAUGHTERS. BOB HAS TURNED DISTANT BATTLEFIELDS INTO TINY PIECES OF HOME.

BEFORE WE CONCLUDE TONIGHT'S CELEBRATION, I'D LIKE TO BRING OUT THIS MAN, WHO HAS SPENT MUCH OF HIS LIFE SERVING THOSE WHO SERVE THEIR COUNTRY. LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, BOB HOPE. \\\

BOB, IT IS MY PLEASURE TO PRESENT YOU WITH THIS LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FOR SERVICE TO THE USO.

IT IS FOR MILLIONS OF GRATEFUL AMERICANS THAT I SAY -- THANK YOU, BOB. AND CONGRATULATIONS FROM US ALL. \\\

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**USO FUNDRAISER LUNCHEON
ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

**THANK YOU, HEINZ [HEINZ PRECHTER, CO-CHAIR USO
SALUTE] AND THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU'VE DONE FOR THE USO.**

**ALWAYS GOOD TO SEE ALEX SPANOS [USO SALUTE CO-
CHAIR] WHO'S DONE SO MUCH TO PULL THIS EVENT TOGETHER.**

**AND TO EVERYONE ELSE THANK YOU FOR THE SUPPORT
YOU'VE GIVEN TO THIS WORTHY CAUSE.**

USO FUNDRAISER LUNCHEON \ LOS ANGELES, CA
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RESPONSE:

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MEMORANDUM FOR TONY SNOW

The NSC staff concurs with the draft presidential remarks.


Brent Scowcroft

PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary
Ext. 2702

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cc: Phillip D. Brady

(Hinchliffe/Blymire)

April 2, 1991 3 p.m.

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[ANECDOTE TO COME] For all these years, Bob's travelled on behalf of all Americans. We couldn't go abroad to comfort our sons and daughters so we sent Bob. He's a big chunk of our hearts and our heartlands. Our gift to those who spoke with their presence and their lives for principle -- for liberty -- for us.

For whenever freedom has demanded sacrifice, our young men and women have answered its call. And wherever they have gone the

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RESPONSE:

PHILLIP D. BRADY
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 Ext. 2702

(Hinchliffe/Blymire)

April 2, 1991 3 p.m.

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RESPONSE:

Minor comments

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(Hinchliffe/Blymire)

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

91 APR 3 P2:00

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MEMORANDUM FOR TONY SNOW
DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR
COMMUNICATIONS

FROM: JAY S. BYBEE *JB*
ASSOCIATE COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Presidential Remarks -- USO Luncheon

Counsel's office has reviewed the above-referenced matter. We have no legal objections. We note, however, that on page three, line five, the word "entertainment" should read "entertain."

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this matter.

WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM

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RESPONSE:

NO COMMENTS. THANKS.

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