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October 11, 1991

MEMORANDUM TO TONY SNOW

FROM: MIKE DELAND

RE: PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS FOR "TEAM 100" DINNER

- On page 2, paragraph 3 of the current draft, the President's strongest suit, foreign policy, should be expressed more strongly. I might delete the lackluster sentence which begins "I have and will promote policies..." and insert something along the lines of Pat Buchanan's recent response to the question "Are Americans better off today than they were four years ago?": "Of course we're better off: the Communist empire is in ruins, the dictators know we've kicked the Vietnam syndrome, and Americans are safer because Republican foreign policy has been a success."

accepted

- On clean air, bottom of page 2, these insertions: "We broke the Congressional stalemate and won pioneering legislation to combat smog and acid rain and protect the ozone layer."

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- Top of page 3, the Americans with Disabilities Act does not aid people with disabilities; it guarantees their rights.

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- Page 3, paragraph 2, concerning the environment, most people aren't familiar with the "America the Beautiful" program. The lines we proposed for the Senatorial Trust remarks, which were inserted in the final draft, were more effective: "The Democrats won't provide the funds for our efforts to preserve wetlands, plant trees, protect coastlines, and clean up toxic waste sites."

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I might add: "Nor will they vote on my proposals to adopt a balanced national energy strategy or give the environment a seat at the Cabinet table."

Yet another great job by you + your team!

cc: Dab

WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM

DATE: 10/10/91 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: TUESDAY, 10/15/91 10:00

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: TEAM 100 DINNER

SUBJECT: EAST ROOM/STATE FLOOR, THURSDAY, OCT. 17, 1991

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Please forward your comments directly to Tony Snow, Rm. 122, x2930, no later than ~~10:00 a.m.~~ TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15, with a copy to this office. Thank you.

RESPONSE:

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Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary
Ext. 2702

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October 10, 1991
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Mike (Harper), thank you for that introduction -- and the superb job you've done as Dinner Chairman for tonight's dinner. // Senators __. Larry Bathgate -- I salute you, too, for all you're doing as Chairman of the Finance Committee. // It's also wonderful to have __ here. Above all, my thanks to each of you tonight for your support of the Republican National Committee. //

On Barbara's behalf, thank you for that generous reception. [[I was telling her earlier today how the Atlanta Braves have become "America's Team." // She said she was glad we get to meet with the Republicans' team.]] //

((Actually, I want to make sure I'm in the right place, because I hear there's a meeting of another "Team 100" in Washington. / It's a gathering of the 100 Americans from all over the country who support Eugene McCarthy for President.)) //

((This is a special group -- and we meet this evening in a special week. Monday was Columbus Day. There are some in Congress who think Columbus should not only be honored as the discover of America -- but as the inventor of the junket.)) //

We are here tonight not merely to honor but to support Republican candidates / candidates on the local, state, and

national level / candidates who know -- as we do -- what the Election of 1992 is all about. //

It's about leadership -- decisive / courageous / proven / strong. It's about keeping the peace abroad -- and ensuring prosperity at home. // These are great goals -- but only Republican policies can make them a reality. // One agenda -- ours -- wants to move ahead -- working, creating, investing, dreaming. / The other agenda -- theirs -- is shopworn / timeworn / and has worn out its welcome. //

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Abroad, a President enjoys great freedom of action. I have, and will, promote policies which spur democracy, free enterprise, and individual liberty. / At home, a President cannot govern without cooperation from Congress. Unfortunately, many in Congress have no desire to help advance our domestic agenda. Their only agenda is to block ours. /

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energy

We need Congress, next, to act on the environment. I have challenged it to fund our America the Beautiful program. Congress is missing the forest for the trees. // It's the same with civil rights. I want a bill that nurtures equal opportunity. Ask Congress why it wants a quota bill. // Then, there's the capital gains tax cut that would unleash a new wave of opportunity.

Senate leaders won't even permit a vote on it. // I call on Congress to do the people's business by helping American business create new jobs. //

((Now, I know. Congress can't do everything -- it's busy with other matters. // Recently, one of my grandkids complained that the old pogo stick we gave him didn't work very well. / I'd like to give him something that would bounce higher -- but I couldn't get hold of a Congressman's check.)) //

Tonight, I ask you to help put a check on the Democrats. //
Your support can keep America No. 1 in all of the fields I have
talked about. It can especially help when it comes to education.

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the action to help them, Congress flunks the test. Here are some
chapters in that story. / Last month, SAT scores were released -
- down for the fourth straight year. / Verbal scores have
tumbled to an all time low. // We stand twelfth among
industrialized nations in math and science -- dead last. //

The Democrats measure progress made in terms of dollars and
bureaucracies. // Well, spending from all sources on public
education jumped from \$110 billion to \$400 billion over the last
ten years -- yet scores have fallen. // It's not a matter of
dollars spent / but how they're spent. / That's why I need your
support to make Congress pass our Educational Excellence Act. //

For two years we have prodded Congress to help make America
No. 1 in education by the year 2000. Congress has responded by
playing hooky. We need the radical reform of our Educational
Excellence Act. Reform like school choice, greater
accountability, and more competition. Only then will schools
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heavy hand of the state to the hands that run the home and raise
the family. //

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overheard one of his youngsters telling a playmate that Columbus came to America in three ships -- the Nina, Santa Maria, and the Love Boat.) We want our kids to stop turning on the TV and start turning on their minds. Revolutionary reform can produce revolutionary results. //

Our agenda can change America -- but only if we can break the gridlock in Congress. // Republican control of Congress would avoid the vicious character assassination of great Americans like Clarence Thomas and Bob Gates. // Today, Congress has replaced the process of advise and consent with the politics of revise and attack. Help me bring decency and fair play back to the United States Congress. // Let's elect Republicans to Congress, to State Houses, to offices at every level in our great country.

Perhaps the great poet, Ralph Waldo Emerson, said it best: "I sing the infinitude of the private man." // We want to unleash the energies of every man and woman. Not so that government can make decisions for people -- but so that government can help people make decisions for themselves. //

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REMARKS:

The attached has been forwarded to the President.

RESPONSE:

PHILLIP D. BRADY
 Assistant to the President
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October 15, 1991

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THOUGH: DAVID DEMAREST
 TONY SNOW *TS*

FROM: CURT SMITH *CS*

SUBJECT: TEAM 100 DINNER

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(Smith/Grossman)
October 10, 1991
Draft Five
TEAM

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THURSDAY, OCT. 17, 1991
7:00 p.m.

Alec Courtelis, National Chairman of Team 100. // Senator Seymour. Larry Bathgate -- I salute you, too, for all you're doing as Chairman of the Finance Committee. //

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POINTS ON THE ECONOMY

The Economy is Moving in the Right Direction and Consumers Have Reason to be Confident:

- Industrial production has risen for five straight months.
- Housing starts are up 26 percent since January.
- The unemployment rate in September fell to 6.7% from 6.8% in July and August and 7.0% in June.
- After the last recession, an unemployment rate this low was not achieved until 1986, the fourth year of the economic expansion.
- The index of leading economic indicators has been steady or increasing for seven straight months. The index has increased by about five percent since January.

Inflation and Interest Rates are Low:

- Inflation is down to an annual rate of 2.7%.
- Mortgage interest rates are down to the lowest level since 1977.
- The prime rate for corporate borrowers has fallen to 8.0%.

The President Has Offered Proposals to Promote Growth:

- Incentives for savings, investment, entrepreneurship;
- Expanding trade and opening markets abroad for American goods and services;
- Maintain the fiscal discipline established by the budget agreement;
- Increasing Research and Development and providing a permanent R&D tax credit;
- Strengthening the quality of our work-force through the America 2000 education reforms;
- Reforms for a safer and more internationally competitive banking system;
- Promoting tort reform.

October 9, 1991

TALKING POINTS ON REFORMS TO EASE THE CREDIT CRUNCH

o The President yesterday approved several recommendations from the EPC for easing the "credit crunch." They include:

- Expanding the lending capacity of banks by removing the 25% limit on Preferred Stock in Tier One capital, which will conform U.S. capital requirements with those of other countries.

- Streamlining the appeal process for bankers who believe examiners have made an error.

- Changes in real estate policies. Issuance of a new, comprehensive set of guidelines for valuation of real estate, with a random audit process to make sure that they are followed; and an increase in the minimum loan size which triggers an appraisal requirement from \$50,000 to \$100,000.

- National meeting of examiners. Convening a national meeting of examiners in mid-November to discuss the economy and relevant policy changes and guidelines.

o The President also called on the Congress to take action on a series of proposals that could help ease the "credit crunch," including:

- Banking reform;
- Lender liability legislation;
- The President's proposed growth package of capital gains tax rate reduction, personal savings incentives, establishment of a permanent R&D tax credit, increased investment in science, technology and infrastructure, and education reform;
- Confirmation of nominees to leadership positions in the bank and thrift regulatory agency.

o These actions build on previous steps the Administration has taken to address this problem. Examples of actions taken previously include:

- On March 1, 1991, the Treasury Department issued a series of policy changes and clarifications for bank examiners. The Department has subsequently issued guidelines for their implementation;

- On June 24, 1991, the EPA issued a proposed rule to clarify the limits on the liability of lenders for Superfund cleanup costs, when their participation is merely that of lenders and not long-term operators.

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October 17, 1991

Dave/Tony

For Team 100 I'll ad lib. These events don't need formal text especially if press not covering.

Please give me simple outline along lines suggested on attached cover sheet.

just list

General Remarks on Economy--- one orb two or three specifics then also list priority items to discuss.

gb

FROM THE PRESIDENT

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

October 15, 1991

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THOUGH: DAVID DEMAREST
TONY SNOW ^{TS}

FROM: CURT SMITH *CS*

SUBJECT: TEAM 100 DINNER

On Thursday, October 17, at 7:00 p.m., you will deliver remarks (12 minutes/cards) at the Team 100 Dinner in the East Room. Your speech focuses on Administration accomplishments, and on policy initiatives waiting to be passed. You also stress the importance of electing more Republican politicians.

*For this one
no prep - I prefer
to ad-lib -*

*Give me outline
of domestic initiatives*

*all on
one card
single
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if needed*

For example

- I Economy -
our proposal
c. gains
R & D - IRA*
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PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS: TEAM 100 DINNER
EAST ROOM/STATE FLOOR
THURSDAY, OCT. 17, 1991
7:00 p.m.

Alec Courtelis, National Chairman of Team 100. // Senator Seymour. Larry Bathgate -- I salute you, too, for all you're doing as Chairman of the Finance Committee. //

Thank you for that generous reception. ~~[[I'm especially grateful in light of our last meeting. // I was telling Barbara this morning: "Discussing the economy with Team 100 is almost as hard as appearing before the Senate Judiciary Committee."]] //~~

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We come next to the economy -- a subject on which I know you have some pretty clear opinions. \\ We talked a few weeks ago, and I listened. I didn't just listen. We've begun to act. Our administration recently proposed a package to ease the credit

crunch. If Congress will pass it, your ideas will have become policy -- and I thank you for your advice.

We also have promoted a growth package over the past year, and we continue to promote those programs: a cut in capital gains rate, banking reform, personal savings incentives, the creation of a permanent R&D tax credit, and increased investment in science, technology and infrastructure.

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That's why I need your support to make Congress endorse America 2000. //

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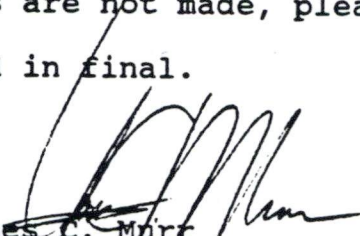
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If our proposed substantive changes are not made, please let us know before the material is prepared in final.


James C. Murr
Associate Director for
Legislative Reference
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WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM

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RESPONSE:

See comments

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Assistant to the President
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October 11, 1991

MEMORANDUM TO TONY SNOW

FROM: MIKE DELAND

RE: PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS FOR "TEAM 100" DINNER

- On page 2, paragraph 3 of the current draft, the President's strongest suit, foreign policy, should be expressed more strongly. I might delete the lackluster sentence which begins "I have and will promote policies..." and insert something along the lines of Pat Buchanan's recent response to the question "Are Americans better off today than they were four years ago?": "Of course we're better off: the Communist empire is in ruins, the dictators know we've kicked the Vietnam syndrome, and Americans are safer because Republican foreign policy has been a success."
 - On clean air, bottom of page 2, these insertions: "We broke the Congressional stalemate and won pioneering legislation to combat smog and acid rain and protect the ozone layer."
 - Top of page 3, the Americans with Disabilities Act does not aid people with disabilities; it guarantees their rights.
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- I might add: "Nor will they vote on my proposals to adopt a balanced national energy strategy or give the environment a seat at the Cabinet table."

Yet another great job by
you + your team!

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The President has commented that this group has been critical of our economic policy. I think he should acknowledge that he has heard their complaints; that although he doesn't agree with all of them he is very aware of the problem.

He has met with the CFC 3 times. New set of regulations on the credit crunch, and he's determined to get economy moving faster which will help everybody.

The laundry list approach of domestic agenda items has been heard by this group time and again

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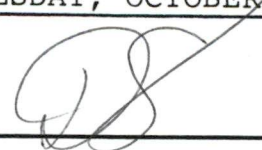
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RESPONSE:

*-MASTER -
JEE P.S DARMAN,
SMITH COMMENTS +
CEQ - all attached.*

*MORE PRO-GROWTH!
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Yes

yes

yes

NO

NO

NO
should we say this? (OMB)

NO

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(McClure)
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91 OCT 15 P12:10 October 15, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR TONY SNOW

FROM: ROGER B. PORTER *RBP*
SUBJECT: Presidential Remarks: Team 100 Dinner

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Please let us know if you have any questions or if we may help in any other way.

cc: Phillip D. Brady

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For two years we have prodded Congress to help make America
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