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MEMORANDUM FOR DAN MCGROARTY

FROM: ROGER B. PORTER *RBP*

SUBJECT: Presidential Remarks: Education Radio Address

We have reviewed the attached presidential remarks and have noted several suggested comments on the draft.

If you have any questions or we can be of further assistance, please let us know.

cc: Phillip D. Brady

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The America 2000 goals embody our hope for the future. As your President, I would like to enlist the help of all Americans in implementing this action plan. It is a sound plan that is workable -- but it will take the involvement of each of us to make these goals a reality.

Already, talented people all across this country are uniting in this campaign to restore quality and excellence to our schools. America 2000 is a forward-moving, dynamic force that will protect our nation's children from those things that would rob them of hope. Our plan will give them a two-fold competitive advantage -- strong character and quality education. Forty-three states have endorsed these goals and thousands of American communities are mobilizing to help ensure that our children develop the character and values that will prepare them for a fulfilling life. At the same time, we will teach them the skills they will need for meaningful employment and provide them opportunities for economic advancement.

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