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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 15, 1992

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH: DAVID F. DEMAREST

FROM: DAN MC GROARTY *DMG*

SUBJECT: PROPOSED REMARKS FOR TOAST AT THE RECIPROCAL STATE
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McGroarty/Bunton
June 15, 1992
3:00 p.m.
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JUNE 17, 1992
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MEMORANDUM FOR DAN MCGROARTY

FROM: ROGER B. PORTER *RBP*

SUBJECT: Presidential Remarks: Toast at the Russian Embassy

We have reviewed the attached remarks and have noted one suggested change on the first page of the draft.

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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WHITE HOUSE STAFFING MEMORANDUM

DATE: 6/12/92 ACTION/CONCURRENCE/COMMENT DUE BY: 1:00 P.M. MONDAY 6

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REMARKS:

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RESPONSE:

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

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FROM: STEPHEN G. RADEMAKER *SR*
ASSOCIATE COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Presidential Remarks: Toast at the Russian
Embassy

Pursuant to Phil Brady's request, Counsel's Office has reviewed the above-referenced matter and has no objection to the proposed presidential remarks.

cc: Phillip D. Brady

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RESPONSE:

TO: DAN MCGROARTY: June 15, 1992

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cc: Phillip Brady

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TO: DAN MCGROARTY:

The NSC concurs with changes, as noted.

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City, UT. He served at the Department of Commerce as Deputy Assistant Secretary for East Asian and Pacific Affairs, 1990-91, and Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Trade Development Bureau at the International Trade Administration, 1989-90. Since 1984, Mr. Huntsman has held several positions at the Huntsman Chemical Corp., including vice president of international business and member of the board of directors, 1988-89; vice president and member of the board of directors of Huntsman Pacific Chemical Corp., 1987-89; and product manager, 1984-85.

Mr. Huntsman graduated from the University of Pennsylvania, receiving a bachelor of arts degree. He was born March 26, 1960, in Palo Alto, CA. Mr. Huntsman is married, has four children, and resides in Salt Lake City, UT.

Nomination of Joseph S. Hulings III To Be United States Ambassador to Turkmenistan

June 17, 1992

The President today announced his intention to nominate Joseph S. Hulings III, of Virginia, to be Ambassador of the United States of America to the Republic of Turkmenistan. This is a new position.

Since 1990, Mr. Hulings has served as Minister-Counselor for Management at the American Embassy in Moscow. He has served at the Department of State as Special Coordinator for Moscow Projects, 1988-90; Deputy Special Coordinator for Moscow Projects, 1987-88; Special Program Officer for Schlesinger Study, 1987; and Deputy Director for the Office of Foreign Missions, 1985-87. Mr. Hulings has served as administrative counselor at the American Embassy in Moscow, 1982-85; administrative officer at the American Embassy in Belgrade, 1980-82; senior watch officer for the Operations Center at the State Department, 1978-80; administrative officer at the American Embassy in Moscow, 1976-78; administrative officer at the American Embassy in Helsinki, 1974-75; and budget officer and general services officer at the American Embassy in Vientiane, 1972-74.

Mr. Hulings graduated from the University of South Carolina (B.S., 1963; M.B.A., 1971). Mr. Hulings was born May 6, 1941, in Carlisle, PA. He served in the U.S. Navy, 1963-69. He is married, has two children, and currently resides at the American Embassy in Moscow.

Remarks at a Dinner Hosted by President Boris Yeltsin of Russia

June 17, 1992

Mr. President, thank you for those very kind words. After what you did on Capitol Hill today, after that sensational speech—it brought the Members of Congress to their feet over and over again—there is absolutely no point in my giving a speech tonight. *[Laughter]*

What we Americans saw was a true democrat who understood the heartbeat of the American people. It came through over and over again, your sensitivity on the prisoners, for example, and many other ways.

I had a note from a very senior person in the communications business; I will give him or her plenty of cover by that definition. And that note said that in all the time that that person had been in Washington, and it's many, many years, there has never been a greater day for mankind than yesterday.

Some of it was clearly the historic agreement on arms control, arms reduction. Some of it was perhaps the agreements that we were to sign today. But I think much more of it was because that person saw a true democrat, a person committed to democracy and freedom leading the great country of Russia. We could identify with that, as I say, and we salute you, sir. We know the problems at home are extraordinarily difficult, but I think you leave with all of us feeling that you're going to make it. Somehow, you and this wonderful group of young leaders you've brought with you here to Washington are going to make it.

Let me simply say in conclusion, we want to be at your side. We want to be at your side as you complete the democratic experiment and as you move your great country forward. And so, may I propose a toast to

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In conclusion, we want to see what we want to be at your side in the democratic experience of your great country. I propose a toast to

President Boris Yeltsin and to his wonderful wife, to his team that taught us all a great deal about what commitment means, and to the friendship between Russia and the United States of America that has never, ever been stronger. May God bless your country, and may God bless the United States of America, too.

Note: The President spoke at 8:05 p.m. at the Russian Embassy.

Remarks at a Ceremony Honoring Presidential Scholars June 18, 1992

Please be seated, all of you. I know you've been waiting out here for a while. But let me first thank Governor Engler, one of the great Governors of our country out there in the State of Michigan, for his leadership, not simply for his being willing to lead in this field, Presidential Scholars, but for what he's doing for our country. I'm also delighted to be with Lamar Alexander. He is literally trying to revolutionize the educational processes in this country. And we owe him a vote of gratitude, too—both of them.

When we were standing on that balcony a minute ago, I'm just sorry all of you weren't here then, with Boris Yeltsin, I told him, but I want to just say again here today that we are welcoming to the White House in this ceremony the best and the brightest of American students. We meet on the 28th anniversary of the highest scholastic award that a President can bestow, the Presidential Scholarship Program.

Earlier I was talking to Barbara about this, and she noted that if your scholastic brilliance continues into your career work, maybe you won't end up like I have, where your dog makes more money than you do as an author. *[Laughter]*

I've got to confess that things have changed since I was a student. Nowadays with computers, bringing an apple to the teacher has an entirely different meaning. *[Laughter]* But what really hasn't changed is the meaning of education. It can form the

noblest character and lay the surest foundation of usefulness to mankind.

Take a look at this year's Presidential Scholars, from all 50 States, from the District, U.S. territories, and families living abroad, and consider why you learn, not only for learning's sake to help yourself but also to help others. You know that scholarship can further service to Nation and certainly can further service to neighbor and community.

For instance, just to single out a few, here sits Cara Reichel of Rome, Georgia. She's written and illustrated this book. I want to thank her for the copy. Barbara and I are thrilled with the inscription; that's why we brought it along. Anarug Bansal of East Greenwich, Rhode Island. Where's Anarug? Right back here. In his experiments he found a chemical that blocks HIV activity in blood cells. One scholar's family emigrated from the former Soviet Union; another escaped from Hungary. All know how education stems from the human heart and the human mind.

Let me just tell you a little story. Once Albert Einstein and his wife, they visited California's Mount Wilson Observatory. Pointing to a very complex piece of equipment, Mrs. Einstein asked its purpose, and their guide said that it helped determine the shape of the universe. Mrs. Einstein was not impressed. "Oh," she said, "my husband uses the back of an envelope to work that out." *[Laughter]*

Well, Einstein used envelopes to ask questions and find solutions, and you may use typewriters and word processors or yellow legal pads. I'm told some of you are so intelligent you even know how to set the timer on a VCR. *[Laughter]* But the goal's the same: To become an educated person. Only then can you use this knowledge to lead humanity to the stars, becoming what we refer to as a Point of Light in the lives of your neighbors and your families and your friends.

That's what Lisa Kim of Minneapolis is doing. She formed a chamber ensemble to perform at local nursing homes and hospitals. And where is she now? Right here. Congratulations on that. Joane Liu of Princeton Junction, where's Joane? Right over here. She teaches physically and mentally handicapped kids to sing and to read music. And

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 17, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR DAVID DEMAREST

FROM: DAN MC GROARTY *DMG*

SUBJECT: P.O.W.'s and M.I.A.'s

I am concerned that dispatching Ambassador Toon simply is not a strong enough action in response to President Yeltsin's stunning revelation on American P.O.W.'s and M.I.A.'s. It must be an article of faith that America takes every possible action to learn the fate of those taken prisoner or missing in action.

If on the other hand our response is perceived as tentative -- if we appear weak or wavering, we can be certain that others will exploit the situation for political gain.

We should reaffirm our desire for a full accounting -- nothing less. We should send a full "field team," as soon as possible -- let the pressure fall to the Russians to open all archives, prisons and mental hospitals immediately. President Yeltsin would never have made his revelation without being prepared to accommodate our strongest response.

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RESPONSE:

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH: DAVID F. DEMAREST
FROM: DAN MC GROARTY *DMG*
SUBJECT: PROPOSED REMARKS FOR TOAST AT THE RECIPROCAL STATE
DINNER HOSTED BY PRESIDENT YELTSIN

I. SUMMARY

On Wednesday, June 17 at 8:15 p.m., you will deliver a toast at the Reciprocal State Dinner hosted by President Yeltsin in the Gold Room at the Russian Embassy in Washington.

II. DISCUSSION

Your remarks, (approximately 4 minutes / cards), focus on the accomplishments of this first U.S.-Russia Summit and pay tribute the progress Russia has made under President Yeltsin's leadership.

Please note: the translation will be consecutive. The closing Russian salutation means: "to many healthy and prosperous years."

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Mr. President, the progress we've made would not have been possible without Russia's commitment to democratic reform. From the role and rights of an elected Parliament -- to the rule of law -- to the right of every individual to live, work and worship as they wish: Russia ^{with its democratically elected Pres.} is moving forward in the difficult task of democracy-building.

In this effort, Russia will draw its strength from defenders of heritage and history like Solzhenitsyn. From crusaders for universal human rights like Sakharov. From the men and women without number who kept faith when faith was forbidden -- who spoke the truth, when speaking truth cost lives. // From men and women like the tens of thousands who last August rallied to the Russian Parliament -- to your White House, Mr. President -- to lay claim to a democratic future. //

Mr. President, the American people want to see Russia reach that democratic destiny. I pledge to you tonight our commitment to support you on your journey. Across the boundaries of language and culture, across the old Cold War chasm of mistrust, we feel the pull of common values. In your revolution, we see echoes of this nation's past. In your hopes and dreams -- we see our own. //-

Tonight, I raise my glass:

To our gracious hosts, President and Mrs. Yeltsin; To the people of Russia; To the success of the new Russian Revolution -
- and our new partnership in freedom. [I wish you: Mnogaya leta!]

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