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Child Welfare Chat Session
August 8, 1996
1:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

M E M O R A N D U M

To: Child Welfare Discussion Participants
(See confirmation list attached)

From: Lyn Hogan 
Senior Policy Analyst
Domestic Policy Council

Date: July 30, 1996

Re: Meeting Logistics

We are delighted that you are able to join us on Thursday, August 8 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the White House to discuss the child welfare system.

The meeting will be held in Carol Rasco's office--2nd Floor of the West Wing of the White House. Please arrive at the Northwest Corner Gate closest to 17th Street, N.W.

As I mentioned on the phone, this meeting is an informal opportunity for Carol Rasco to talk with you about the problems inherent in the child welfare system and ideas for reforms you might have. Again, this is a very informal, off-the-record discussion session for educational purposes only.

A few days before we meet, I will fax you some specific questions about the child welfare system for each of you to think about. It is not necessary to have prepared answers to the questions, we will simply use the questions to guide the discussion.

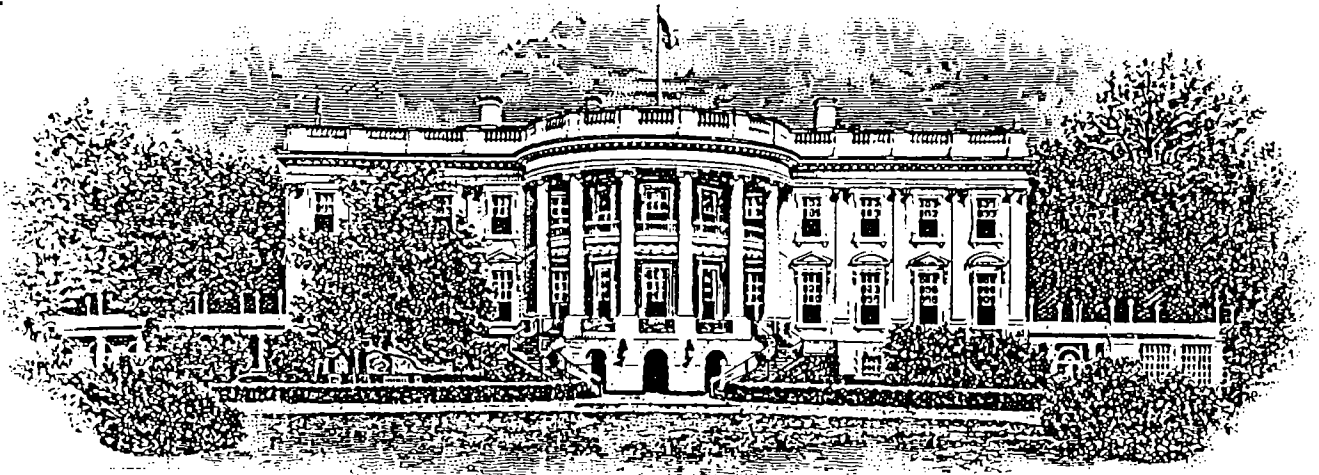
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Please note, I cannot wave you into the White House without receiving your full name and birth date. *Additionally, you must bring a photo I.D. with your birthdate to be admitted to The White House.*

If you have questions, please call me at 202-456-5567.

Thank you!

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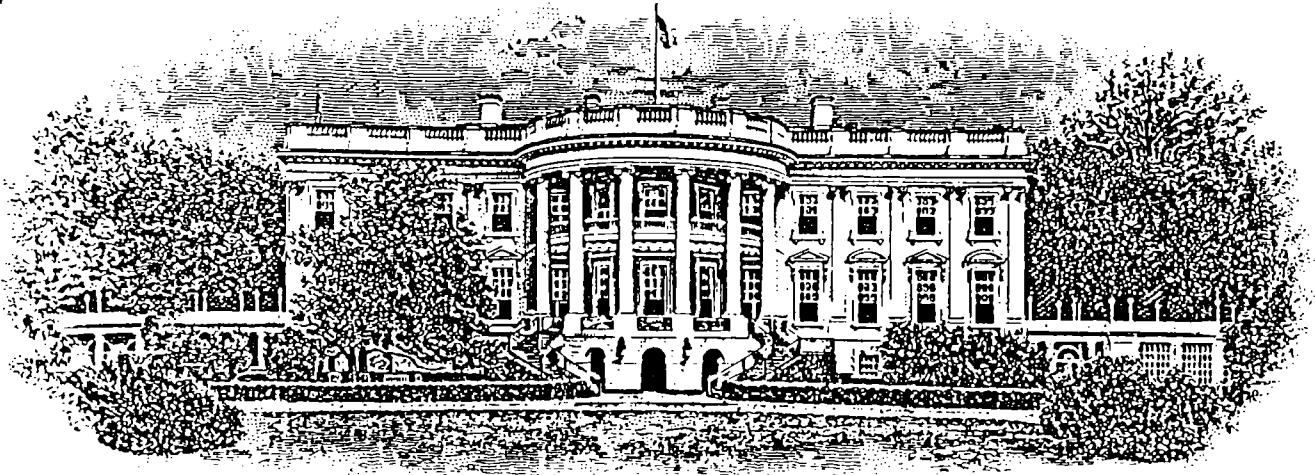
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Look forward to seeing you!

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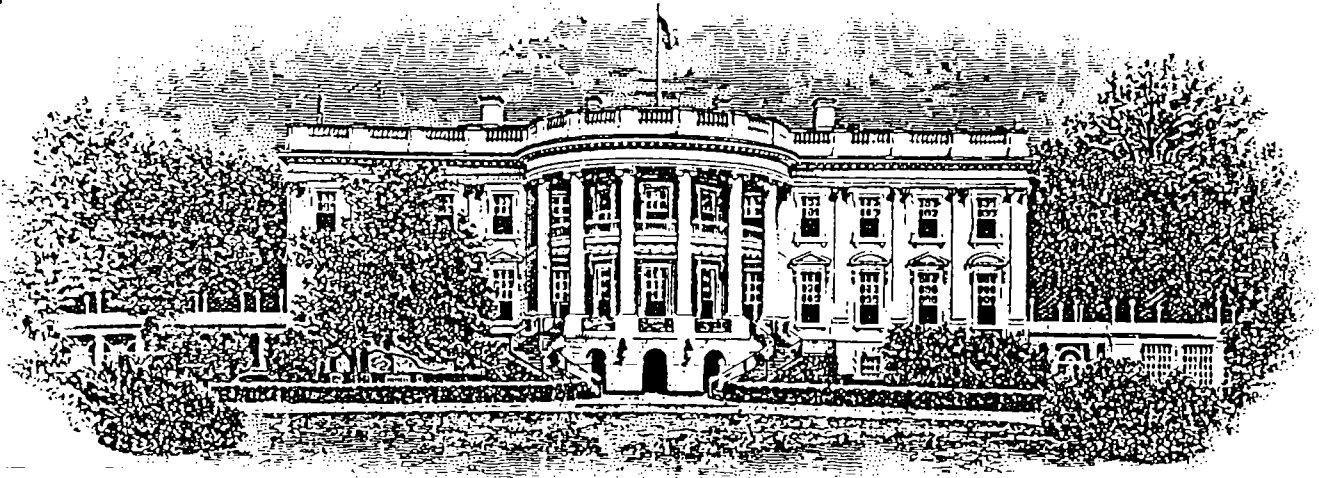
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forward to meeting you.

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I sent an e-mail to Carol Rascoe
re: Terry Mardand attending the
meeting. I will let you know
as soon as possible. Call me
if you have any questions.

BLATNER ASSOCIATES, INC.

Health & Human Services Consultants

July 8, 1996

Ms. Lyn A. Hogan,
Senior Policy Analyst
White House Domestic Policy Council
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dear Lyn:

Congratulations and best wishes on your recent appointment. This appears to be a good sign that welfare reform policy is alive and well and being led by people with great ideas and sound policy experience.

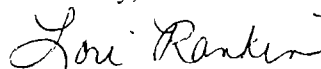
In case you do not remember me, I was the Chairperson of the New Jersey Democratic Leadership Council and provided you and your staff with information regarding New Jersey's welfare reform initiatives. While I no longer serve as Chairperson of the DLC, my company continues to be involved in welfare reform through our managing of two large New Jersey urban initiatives, as well as consulting to others on the subject.

We recently have established a new company designed to provide privatized "managed human services" in the areas of welfare, child welfare and developmental disabilities. The approach of this for-profit company embraces the best of managed care principles with what we know to be the uniqueness and realities of delivering human services. In the area of welfare reform, we have spent much time talking to Peter Cove and Lee Bowes about how America Works fits into this model, as well as David Reimer and others in Milwaukee and Madison. We are actively exploring Wisconsin, Indiana and New Jersey as viable opportunities for a contract. Our approach to delivering "managed services" in the child welfare community has garnered us much press, including a New York Times article. Wisconsin, South Carolina, New Jersey, Massachusetts and a few other states are in the process of truly exploring a managed service model.

My purpose for offering you this brief description of our recent activities is to share with you innovative approaches in the states, particularly within the private sector. Please keep me in mind if you should ever need information, etc. as you develop human service policies in your new capacity. I would love the opportunity to be of assistance in any way.

Again, best wishes for a successful new venture!

Sincerely,



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Strengthening Families All Across America

Spring 1996

Vol. I, No. 3

Late Breaking News

PA, Inc. has been invited to present a workshop at the Federal Conference on Strengthening the Role of Fathers in Families. The conference is being sponsored by the Office of the Vice President, as part of the National Performance Review, and the Department of Health and Human Services. It will be held on May 3, 1996 at the National Institute of Health in Bethesda, Maryland.

In addition to PA Inc.'s workshop on incarcerated fathers and their role in early child development, a PA father may participate in an interactive conversation between a panel of fathers and Vice President Al Gore. Secretaries Peña, Riley, Shalala, Perry and Reno also will be present.

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month

by Lisa Pion-Berlin, Ph.D.
National Executive Director

Parents Anonymous (PA) organizations throughout the country will devote the month of April to increasing the public's awareness of the problem of child abuse and neglect. With an emphasis on *prevention*, PA will address issues beyond mere awareness, urging people to stand up for what they believe and to take action.

Most of us are aware of the problem of child abuse on some level: we have read about a child's tragic death at the hands of a parent; observed an unhappy child in our neighborhood, alone and unsupervised; heard a friend recount a personal experience with sexual abuse as a child; or may have felt the frustration and rage that makes parents lash out at their children. But some of us still may not be aware of the magnitude, scope and complex nature of the problem.

PA's job is to remind communities, cities, state officials and Congress that the annual number of abused or neglected children has more than doubled in the last decade, to 2.9 million from 1.4 million. To ask why, when the number of children seriously injured by abuse has *quadrupled* in that time, plans are underway to cut back or eliminate altogether many services critically needed to protect these children. And to urge Congress that now, more than ever, we need to preserve the protections put in place by the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act of 1974 by maintaining the federal government's leadership role, not by cutting and consolidating funding into block grants which eliminate an emphasis on vital community-



Lisa Pion-Berlin, Ph.D.

based prevention efforts.

Once we have challenged people to go beyond "awareness" of the issue, and have helped educate them so they understand the complex dimensions of the problem of child maltreatment, we must channel their concerns into action that will result in the *prevention* of child abuse and neglect. *Prevention* needs to be the focus of our efforts with professionals and the community at large. Our best chance for *prevention* is to create an environment in which parents can break through the barriers of shame and blame, and reach out to ask for help early on, before or as soon as they realize they have a problem.

Prevention through PA

PA has 26 years of experience in effectively preventing child abuse and neglect. Since 1970, more than 500,000 families and 1.5 million children have learned how to resolve conflicts, support each other and build on their strengths through PA. By teaming parents and professionals together, more than 2,000 mutual support groups across the country offer par-

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CELEBRATING 25 YEARS OF
STRENGTHENING FAMILIES
ALL ACROSS AMERICA



PARENTS
Anonymous

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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Lyn-

I don't know if you
would find any of this
interesting. IL is a
professional group - and
they represent child welfare
systems nationwide.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

JUN 20 1996

DATE: June 19, 1996

TO: Executive Committee, Members and Colleagues of the National Association of Public Child Welfare Administrators (NAPCWA)

FROM: Betse Thielman, NAPCWA Project Manager/3.7.

RE: NAPCWA Working Committee Meetings

Please note that the NAPCWA Working Committees (on Best Practices, Collaboration, Results & Accountability, and Training) will **NOT** meet on Saturday, July 13 prior to the Summer forum due to preparations for the forum and other meetings. Instead, the Committees will convene conference calls following the forum to follow up on their work.

The Working Committees are scheduled to meet in person again on **Saturday, December 7**, in Phoenix, AZ, immediately prior to the December forum.



JUN 20 1996

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PUBLIC CHILD WELFARE
ADMINISTRATORS

MEMORANDUM

DATE: June 18, 1996

TO: Members and Colleagues of the National Association of Public Child Welfare Administrators (NAPCWA)

FROM: Betse Thielman, NAPCWA Project Manager

RE: Second Notice of NAPCWA's July 14-15, 1996 Forum, *(Re)Defining the Future of Child Protective Services: NAPCWA Revisits the Guidelines*

On behalf of the National Association of Public Child Welfare Administrators (NAPCWA), an affiliate of the American Public Welfare Association, we invite you to NAPCWA's Summer 1996 forum, *(Re)Defining the Future of Child Protective Services: NAPCWA Revisits the Guidelines*. The meeting will take place on **July 14-15, 1996** at the Washington Court Hotel, 525 New Jersey Avenue NW, Washington, DC.

The forum will be a working meeting focusing on current issues in child protective services (CPS), including state efforts to reform their CPS systems. The information we gather at the forum will help us to update our 1988 publication, *Guidelines for a Model System of Protective Services for Abused and Neglected Children and Their Families*. The majority of the meeting will feature small working groups in which participants will address specific CPS issues. Because of this structure, **we strongly encourage you to register as soon as possible** so that we can send you a copy of the original *Guidelines* for your review prior to the forum. A preliminary forum agenda and registration form is attached for your use.

The following documents are enclosed for your information and use:

NAPCWA Forum Preliminary Agenda. Again, this will be a working meeting rather than a traditional forum with plenaries and workshops.

NAPCWA Registration Form. Please note that APWA has initiated a new policy in which one registration form for the APWA state and local council

meetings, the affiliate presidents' meeting, the APWA board of directors, and the APWA Task Force on Self-Sufficiency will be sent to APWA members. Affiliates -- including NAPCWA -- have developed separate and distinct registration forms for their meetings. This new procedure will allow APWA and the affiliates to obtain more accurate data on participants. Please note that you still may register for APWA Council meetings on the enclosed NAPCWA registration form for an additional fee. Registration by **July 8, 1996** will save you money.

NAPCWA Membership Application. In the event that you would like to join NAPCWA, please complete the enclosed membership application form today!

APWA Spring Meeting Registration Brochure. This brochure provides information on APWA meetings of interest to you, including the Children, Families and Adult Services Committee of APWA's National Council of State Human Service Administrators which will convene on **Tuesday, July 16, 1996**.

If you have any questions regarding the enclosed information, please call me at (202) 682-0100. Otherwise, I look forward to seeing you in July.

Enclosures

**PRELIMINARY AGENDA FOR
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS
AND NAPCWA'S SUMMER 1996 FORUM
July 14-15, 1996
Washington Court Hotel
Washington, DC**



SUNDAY, JULY 14, 1996

NAPCWA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

9:00 AM

Registration

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

NAPCWA Executive Committee Business Meeting

***(RE)DEFINING THE FUTURE OF CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES:
NAPCWA REVISITS THE GUIDELINES***

1:00 PM

Opening Plenary: Historical Overview of Child Protective Services

A national expert on child welfare programs and administration will provide an historic overview of traditional CPS and address: Have we been here before? What is contemporary society's view about protecting children? What's changed since the original *Guidelines* were written? The plenary speaker also will project a vision for the role of child protective services in the next decade.

1:45 PM

Plenary: Trends in State Legislative Activities Regarding Child Protective Services

A representative of the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL) will discuss state legislatures' efforts to reform CPS and address how these initiatives impact public child welfare agencies' provision of CPS. The presenter also will recommend strategies for public child welfare administrators to use in educating their legislators on CPS issues.

**Jack Tweedie
Program Principal, Children, Youth and Families Division
National Conference of State Legislatures .**

2:30 PM

Rules of the Road

Instructions and group assignments for the afternoon Introductory Exercise will be provided.

3:00 PM

BREAK

3:15 PM **Introductory Exercise/Input on Contemporary CPS**
Participants will break into workgroups. There they will be provided with the mission, purpose, and definition of child abuse and neglect from the original *Guidelines*; and a matrix which outlines: issue areas from the original *Guidelines* which remain current/relevant; issue areas which do not seem to be relevant any longer; and areas which need to be added. Facilitators for each workgroup will solicit input and discussion regarding these issue areas and designate a reporter from their workgroup to report back to the entire forum audience. Those issue areas identified by participants to be added to the original *Guidelines* will serve as the basis for discussion in Monday's breakout groups.

NOTE: In preparation for this exercise, NAPCWA members and friends are encouraged to register early in order to receive a copy of the 1988 Guidelines text (sans appendices) and other preparatory materials prior to the forum.

5:00 PM **BREAK**

5:15 PM **Report Back on Issue Areas to Update**
Workgroups report back and comments are synthesized for Monday breakout sessions.

6:15 PM **BREAK**

6:30 PM **Reception**

MONDAY, JULY 15, 1996

8:00 AM **APWA Opening Plenary**

10:00 AM **Rules of the Road II**
Instructions and group assignments for the morning Issue Group sessions will be provided.

10:45 AM **Issue Groups**
Based on feedback on Sunday's exercise, participants will select an issue group that will focus on a specific area needing to be added to the *Guidelines*. The facilitator in each issue group will guide the group towards developing policy parameters for the targeted issue; these policy parameters in turn will inform the update of the *Guidelines*. Potential issues to be addressed by an issue group are listed below.

1. Legal Mandates for the Child Protective Services Agency
2. Target Populations for CPS Interventions
3. Philosophical Framework for Child Protective Services
4. Cultural and Racial Issues Related to Child Protective Services
5. Role of the Community and Neighbors in Protecting Children

- 12:15 PM** **BREAK to pick up box lunches**
- 12:30 PM** **Issue Groups Continue**
- 2:00 PM** **BREAK**
- 2:15 PM** **Issue Groups Report Back**
Issue group facilitators or designees report back to the full forum audience on policy parameters for each issue area addressed in the Issue Groups.
- 4:00 PM** **Two National Initiatives Related to CPS**
The director of Children's Programs for the Edna McConnell Clark Foundation will describe the foundation's ten-year grantmaking strategy for its child protection reform initiative, "Community Partnerships for Protecting Children," which involves a number of national child welfare advocates. A representative of the Child Welfare League of America will discuss CWLA's efforts to update its acclaimed CPS standards which establish goals for the delivery and administration of child protective services. Forum participants will be invited to share information on their own initiatives following the presentations.
- Susan Notkin**
Director, Children's Programs
Edna McConnell Clark Foundation
- Pam Day (*Invited*)**
Program Director for Family Preservation
Child Welfare League of America
- 5:00 PM** **Adjourn**



Washington, DC

NAPCWA REGISTRATION FORM

DEADLINE -- *Postmarked by*, **JUNE 19, 1996**

**National Association of Public Child
Welfare Administrators**

SUMMER Meeting - July 14-15, 1996

The Washington Court Hotel, Washington, D.C.

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Title: _____

Agency: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP _____

Phone: _____ FAX: _____



If you have special needs (e.g. physical, dietary) that we can address to make your participation more enjoyable, please indicated on the registration form. _____

REGISTRATION FEES

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Associate members are entitled to all **napcwa** benefits, except they are not eligible to vote in elections. **napcwa** members and associates must hold current individual memberships in the American Public Welfare Association.

Member and associate benefits include:

- **Network**, a quarterly newsletter to encourage exchange of information, problems, and solutions.
- Opportunities to participate in our Forums on administrative and practice issues held three times a year.
- Support from professional staff.

An individual membership APWA entitles members and associates to *Public Welfare* and *APWA News*.

Lend your support by participating in **napcwa**. Help chart **napcwa**'s future.

Join us in this exciting endeavor by completing the membership application on the back of this form. If you want more information on **napcwa**, contact APWA, (202) 682-0100.

Membership Application

- ☐ YES, I want to be a member of the National Association of Public Child Welfare Administrators, and I am an administrator responsible for state or local public social services for children, youth and their families.
- ☐ I hold a current individual membership in APWA. Enroll me as a member for \$25.
- ☐ I hold neither **napcwa** nor APWA membership. Enroll me as a member in both for \$75 (\$50 APWA and \$25 **napcwa**).
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COMPLETE MEMBERSHIP and APPLICANT DATA SECTIONS

Membership Section

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American Public Welfare Association
810 First Street, N.E., Suite 500
Washington, D.C. 20002-4205

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APWA

You are invited to attend the

1996 Summer Meeting

of the

**National Council of State Human Service Administrators
and**

National Council of Local Public Welfare Administrators

on

July 15-17, 1996

at the

Washington Court Hotel

**525 New Jersey Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20001
(202) 628-2100 1-800-321-3010 (202) 737-2641 FAX**

(Next mailing in June containing a Preliminary Agenda Brochure)

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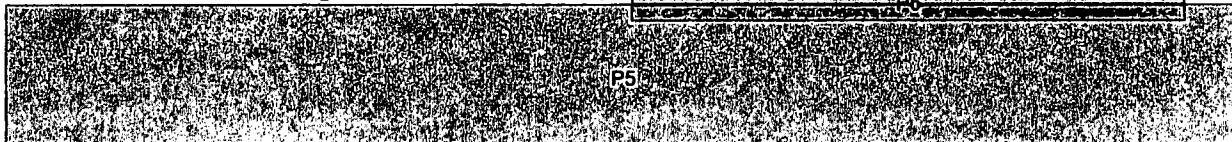
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I want to again thank you for setting up this meeting yesterday. I was extremely pleased with the discussion, it is the type meeting I had envisioned. It was a real plus having people coming from somewhat different points within the system all in the room together; I thought the number of outsiders was good, would not want more. I've asked Jill to check with you all to see if we can set up 15 minutes or so today for us to talk in my office as a feedback session.

Because the word was out there in the child welfare world the minute the first call of invitation went out as evidenced by calls and faxes I received starting then (and I must add folks are very excited we're focusing on this, not a lot of pleas for invitations yet, just ideas on topics to cover), we need to:

- a. Make sure we have at least one minority among each group of outsiders we have into the meetings.
- b. Make sure we are inviting (realizing it will have to be done well in advance to be realistic) at least one person from outside the East Coast area to each subsequent chat.
- c. Discipline ourselves to go into each session not referring to the discussion in the other chats explicitly or it will indeed be seen by the network of those in this field as an exercise to reach the consensus we are not seeking to do.
- d. OMB intends only to send one to each session and I will back that decision Nancy-Ann shared with me yesterday in an email to her and to Ken.
- e. We need to tell HHS we were very pleased with our session and the size and that one HHS rep is sufficient. I don't think we need anymore people in the room.



Thanks.

M E M O R A N D U M

To: Carol Rasco
Jeremy Ben-Ami

cc: Elizabeth Drye
Carol Williams, HHS

From: Lyn Hogan

Date: July 17, 1996

Re: July 18 Child Welfare Chat Session
Briefing Memo

Following is a list of those attending the child welfare chat session. Also attached is a one-page list of questions we sent to the participants. (Several participants called me asking for more structure, so Jeremy and I drafted the attached memo with questions and faxed it out.) Finally, the last attachment is a draft agenda. Please let me know if you'd like changes.

Thanks.

Confirmed Participants

Marylee Allen
Senior Program Advisor
Children's Defense Fund
Washington, DC
Expertise: Child Welfare Policy

Conna Craig
President and Founder
Institute For Children
Cambridge, MA
Expertise: Foster Care and Adoption, author of "What I Need Is A Mom: The Welfare State Denies Homes to Thousands of Foster Children," published in Policy Review.

Kathleen Feely
Associate Director
Casey Foundation
Baltimore, MD
Expertise: Child and Family Systems Reform

Mark Hardin
Director, Child Welfare
ABA Center On Children and the Law
Washington, DC
Expertise: Juvenile and Family Court Reform

Dr. Alfred Kahn
Professor Emeritus and Special Lecturer
Columbia University School of Social Work
Distinguished Visiting Professor
Fordham University Graduate School of Social Work
Co-Director
Cross-National Studies
New York, NY
Expertise: Family and Child Welfare, Child Welfare Systems,
Social Service Planning, Income Maintenance

Jane Spinak
Attorney In Charge of
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Legal Aid Society
New York, NY
On leave from Columbia University School of Law where she teaches
Family Law and runs a legal clinic for children and families
Expertise: Family Court, Family Law, Juvenile Justice

From the White House

Carol Hampton Rasco
Assistant to the President
for Domestic Policy

Jeremy Ben-Ami
Deputy Assistant to the President
for Domestic Policy

Lyn A. Hogan
Senior Policy Analyst

From Health and Human Services Staff

Carol Williams
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Department of Health and Human Services

M E M O R A N D U M

To: Child Welfare Discussion Participants

From: Lyn Hogan
Senior Policy Analyst
Domestic Policy Council

Date: July 16, 1996

Re: Questions To Consider for The White House
Child Welfare Discussion

As I said in the fax I sent yesterday, we are delighted that you are able to join us on Thursday, July 18 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. in Carol Rasco's office at the White House to discuss the child welfare system.

This meeting is an informal opportunity for Carol Rasco to discuss with you your views about the state of the child welfare system and your recommendations to improve the system.

Several of you have called asking for more detail on the structure of the discussion. We want to keep the conversation open and creative so have tried to keep it unstructured. However, we have put together a list of questions for you to consider to help guide your thinking and drive the discussion.

- 1) What is your area of expertise and from your work, what have you found to be the most troubling aspect of the child welfare system?
- 2) In your opinion, what role should the federal government play in addressing the problems in the child welfare system? Should it be simply financial? Should it be financial and programmatic? To what extent should the federal government prescribe child welfare policy to the states? In what ways can the federal government make the biggest contribution?
- 3) What is and/or should be the end product of the child welfare system? How do we measure success or failure?
- 4) If you were in charge of child welfare policy, what would be your first action?
- 5) What interesting solutions or approaches to the child welfare system problems have you come across in your work?

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MESSAGE:

Attached please find Alfred Kahn's
CV. If you have any questions,
please call.

Johanna Fallon

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Child Care

Corporate Social Welfare
Family and Child Policy

Co-directors
SHEILA B. KAMERMAN
ALFRED J. KAHN

BACKGROUND SUMMARY: ALFRED J. KAHN

Dr. Alfred J. Kahn is Professor Emeritus and Special Lecturer at the Columbia University School of Social Work, following formal retirement from the Faculty on June 30, 1989. He was a faculty member (instructor) from September, 1947, assistant professor in 1949, associate professor in 1952 and professor from 1954.

Dr. Kahn is also co-director, Cross-National Studies research program. For the periods 1958-60, 1965-66, 1967-73, and 1982-87, he chaired the Committee on Advanced Programs.

Since September, 1990, Dr. Kahn has also been Distinguished Visiting Professor at the Fordham University Graduate School of Social Work (part-time).

Professor Kahn served on the Columbia University Senate, 1970-73, and chaired its Committee on Education, 1972-73. He served on the Senate's task force on fringe benefits in the period 1984-86. He has also served for various periods on the advisory boards of the Bureau of Applied Social Research and the Social Sciences Center. He served for many years on the publications committee of the Columbia University Press, and has been a member of the academic advisory committee to the Human Rights Center.

Dr. Kahn has served as consultant to federal, state and local agencies, voluntary organizations, and foundations concerned with social policy generally, the planning of social services, income maintenance, family and child welfare and related matters, and with international collaboration. He was staff consultant, Citizen's Committee for Children, New York City, 1948-73.

He has held a variety of national offices in professional societies, including the Board of the National Association of Social Workers - where he also chaired the Division of Practice and Knowledge. He has served on

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numerous public and voluntary task forces, advisory committees and policy groups in his areas of concentration.

Dr. Kahn has completed overseas consultant assignments for the Department of Health, Education, Welfare; the State Department; private foundations; the United Nations; and several foreign governments. He was a United States participant and rapporteur in the 1967 U.N. "Expert Group on Social Policy and Level of Living in the Nation," a participant in the 1969 U.N. "Expert Group on Training Social Welfare Personnel for Development Planning," and rapporteur for the 1981 U.N. expert group on "Global Policies for Social Services." He has held a Fulbright lectureship.

The following are among Dr. Kahn's current or earlier professional memberships: The American Planning Association and the Institute of Certified Planners; American Association of University Professors; Policy Studies Organization; National Association of Social Workers; Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management; Council on Social Work Education.

Dr. Kahn was a fellow at the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences, Stanford, California for the academic year beginning September 1981. He was awarded an honorary doctorate (Doctor of Humane Letters) by Adelphi University in May 1984 and a medal as a distinguished scholar in social welfare by the State University of New York (Albany) earlier in that year. In May of 1989 he was awarded an honorary degree by the University of Maryland (Doctor of Science).

He has devoted a considerable portion of his time and energies since 1970 to the Cross-National Studies program. Related consultation, conference, and expert-group participation have supported and derived from these interests in family and child policy, income maintenance, social services, and related social policy issues. He also has devoted considerable scholarly energies to theory and method in social planning and policy analysis, and to advanced social work education.

Current and Earlier Advisory Positions (Partial)

- Advisory Board, Institute for Research on Poverty, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 1968 -
- National Research Council - National Academy of Sciences, Washington, D.C.: Advisory Committee on Child Development, 1971-76;
Committee on Child Development Research and Public Policy, 1977-83

(Chairman from September 1980-August 1983).

- Committee on Social Work Applications (Fullbright-Hays Awards), 1973-76 (Chairman, 1975-76).
- Advisory Committee, Program of Policy Research on Women, Urban Institute, Washington, D.C., 1975-80.
- Board of Visitors, University of Pittsburgh School of Social Work, 1976-1980.
- Consumers' Advisory Committee, Project Share (Service Integration Clearinghouse, DHEW) Rockville, Maryland, 1975-77.
- Consultant on State of the Child Report, Foundation for Child Development, New York, 1974-76, 1980.
- National Commission on Families and Public Policy, National Conference on Social Welfare, 1977-78.
- Publications Committee, Columbia University Press, 1974-81.
- Advisory Board, Columbia University Social Science Center, 1976-80, 1986-1988.
- Advisory Board, N.Y. City Human Resources Administration, 1977-78, and Social Services Task Force, 1978-80.
- Advisory Board, Center for Studies of Families and Children, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee, 1979-81.

BOOKS -

- A Court for Children (Columbia University Press, 1953).
- (Editor) Issues in American Social Work (Columbia University Press, 1959) (Also in Portuguese).
- Planning Community Services for Children in Trouble (Columbia University Press, 1963) (Also in Spanish).
- (Senior author) Neighborhood Information Centers (Columbia University School of Social Work, 1966).
- Theory and Practice of Social Planning (Russell Sage Foundation, 1969) (Also in Italian).

- Studies in Policy and Planning (Russell Sage Foundation, 1969).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman and Brenda McGowan) Child Advocacy (Columbia University School of Social Work and U.S. Government Printing Office, 1973).
- Social Policy and Social Services (Random House, 1973; revised edition, 1979).
- (Editor) Shaping the New Social Work (Columbia University Press, 1973) (Also in Portuguese).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Not for the Poor Alone (Temple University Press, 1975; Harper and Row paperback, 1977).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Social Services in the United States (Temple University Press, 1976).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Social Services in International Perspective (U.S. Government Printing Office for the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare, 1977; Transaction Press edition, 1980).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) (eds.) Family Policy: Government and Families in Fourteen Countries (Columbia University Press, 1978).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Child Care, Family Benefits and Working Parents (Columbia University Press, 1981).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Helping America's Families (Temple University Press, 1982).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Income Transfers for Families With Children: An Eight-Country Study (Temple University Press, 1983).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman and Paul W. Kingston) Maternity Policies and Working Women (Columbia University Press, 1983).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) (eds.) Essays on Income Transfers and Related Programs in Eight Countries (Columbia University School of Social Work, 1983).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Child Care: Facing the Hard Choices (Auburn House, 1987).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) The Responsive Workplace: Employers and a Changing Labor Force (Columbia University Press, 1987).

- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) (eds.) Child Support: From Debt Collection to Social Policy (Sage, 1987).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Mothers Alone: Strategies for a Time of Change (Auburn House, 1988).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) (eds.) Privatization and the Welfare State (Princeton University Press, 1989).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Social Services for Children, Youth and Families in the U.S. (Greenwich, CT: The Annie E. Casey Foundation, 1989); Special Issue of Children and Youth Services Review, Vol. 12, Nos. 1/2, 1990, pp. 1-179.
- (with Brenda G. McGowan and Sheila B. Kamerman) Social Services for Children, Youth and Families: The New York City Study (New York: The Columbia University School of Social Work, 1990).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) (eds.) Child Care, Parental Leave, and the Under 3s: Policy Innovation in Europe (Westport, CT: Auburn House, 1991).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) A Welcome for Every Child: Care, Education and Family Support for Infants and Toddlers in Europe (Arlington, VA: Zero to Three, The National Center for Clinical Infant Programs, 1994).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Social Policy and the Under-3s Six Country Case Studies: A Resource for Policy Makers, Advocates and Scholars (New York: Columbia University School of Social Work, 1994).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) Starting Right: How America Neglects Its Youngest Children and What We Can Do About It (New York: Oxford University Press, 1995).
- (with Sheila B. Kamerman) (eds.) Children and Their Families in Big Cities: Strategies for Service Reform (New York: Columbia University School of Social Work, 1996).

Dr. Kahn is also author and co-author of more than 250 monographs, articles and chapters in books, as well as over 40 book reviews.

(A full listing is available).

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B.S.S., 1939 CCNY
 MS, 1946 Columbia University School of Social Welfare
 Doctor of Social Welfare, 1952, Columbia University
 U.S. Army Air Force, 1942-45

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Who's Who in America (1968-69 and subsequent editions)
Who's Who in the East (from Vol. 7 and subsequent
 volumes)
American Men of Science (The Social and Behavioral
 Sciences) (Tenth and later Editions)
Contemporary Authors (Volumes 5-5)
Who's Who in the World (2nd edition)
Who's Who in World Jewry (1987)

Major Completed Projects and Studies, 1947-1995

1947-65	Evaluative and planning studies in delinquency and child welfare, under the auspices of Citizen's Committee for Children of New York, in the capacity of research consultant. (See monograph series on personal publications list.) <u>Integrated overview in Planning Community Services for Children in Trouble</u> (New York: Columbia University Press, 1963)
1965-66	Study of information centers and citizens' advice bureaux, U.S. and U.K. (Ford Foundation). (Project Director)
1967-69	Exploratory studies of social planning methods (NIMH, Russell Sage). (Project Director)
1972-73	National study of child advocacy. (DHEW). (Project Director)
1973-75	Social services for average families in western Europe (Ford Foundation). (Co-director)
1973-76	Cross-national studies of social service systems in eight countries. (DHEW). (Director)
1975-77	International working party on family policy. A 14 country conference, April, 1977. (Carnegie Corporation, DHEW/OCD and DHEW/SRS). (Co-Director)

1976-80	Alternative policies for caring for children under the age of three: a 6 country study. (German Marshall Fund). (Co-Principal Investigator)
1978-80	Social services for families, a U.S. study. (Robert Sterling Clark Foundation). (Co-Principal Investigator)
1980-82	Maternity policies at the workplace, a U.S. study. (W.T. Grant Foundation). (Co-Principal Investigator)
1979-83	Income maintenance systems from a family policy perspective: An 8 country study. (DHEW, Social Security Administration). (Co-Principal Investigator)
1981-85	Social Policy and the workplace: a study of employee benefits, services and work schedules in the U.S. (Foundation for Child Development). (Co-Principal Investigator)
1982-85	Child care services in the U.S.: A study of the impact of the Reagan Administration policies on child care service delivery in the U.S. (Carnegie Corporation). (Co-Principal Investigator)
1983-85	International working party on child support: an 8-country conference April, 1985. (Ford Foundation). (Co-Director)
1984-86	Social policy and single mothers: a U.S. study. (Rockefeller Foundation). (Co-Principal Investigator)
1985-87	University Seminar on "Privatization and the Welfare State" (Project on the federal Social Role). (Co-Director)
1987-88	Mother-only families in Western Europe. (German Marshall Fund of the United States). (Co-Principal Investigator)
1987-89	Social Services for Children, Youth and Families in the U.S. (Annie E. Casey Foundation). (Co-Principal Investigator).
	Social Services for Children, Youth and Families in New York City, (The Foundation for Child Development). (Co-Principal Investigator).



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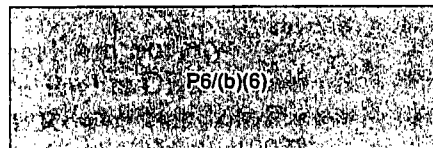
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 New York, New York, February 1980 - May 1982

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 Sutton Public Schools, Sutton, Massachusetts
 September 1974 - June 1976

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 New York, New York
 J.D., 1979
 Vanderbilt Medalist

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 Phi Beta Kappa; Honors in American Studies
 University of Sussex, Brighton, England
 American Studies Exchange Student, 1972 - 1973

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New York State Permanent Judicial Commission on Justice for Children

Family Court Advisory Council for New York City
New York State Office of Court Administration

Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative Steering Committee
New York City Office of the Mayor

New York State Task Force on Permanency Planning for Foster Children
Chair, Court Extension of Placement and Foster Care Review
Proceedings Committee

The International Journal of Children's Rights
Editorial Advisory Board

New York City Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA)
Board of Directors and Chair, Child Welfare Policy Committee (1989-1994)

New York State Statewide Youth Advocacy Kinship Project
Advisory Board (1994)

Project on Children and War (1988-1994)
Co-Director (with Professor Lawrence Aber, Ph.D.)
Center for the Study of Human Rights, Columbia University

Committee on Professional and Judicial Ethics
Association of the Bar of the City of New York (1991-1994)

Committee Juvenile Justice and Child Welfare
New York State Bar Association (1989-1990)

Committee on Family Court and Family Law
Association of the Bar of the City of New York (1986-1989)

Family Court Advisory Committee, Supreme Court, Appellate Divisions,
First Department (1984-1986)

PRESENTATIONS AND TRAININGS: Family and Child Welfare/Juvenile Justice

Speaker: "Juvenile Delinquents: Can They Be Saved?"
The Sixth Annual Nanette Dembitz Memorial Lecture
New York County Lawyers' Association, May 1995

Program Chair: Family Preservation Conference
Co-sponsored by Columbia University School of Law
and Legal Services of New York, December 1994

Panelist: "Policies of Child Protection in Europe and in the U.S.A."
The Italian Academy for Advance Studies and Il Telefono Azzurro
New York City, October 1993

Speaker: "Permanency Planning for the Abused Child,"
Practicing Law Institute (PLI) Program on Child Abuse Neglect,
and the Foster Care System, New York City, March 1990

Trainer: Developed materials for and trained New York State attorneys at six
regional seminars each year on issues of child maltreatment, voluntary
placement, termination of parental rights, foster care and adoption,
family court litigation strategy and appellate practice.
ABA National Legal Resource Center for Child Advocacy and
Protection, 1988-1991

Moderator: Panel Discussion: "Children Wronged: Special Needs,"
Allard K. Lowenstein International Human Rights Law Symposium:
"Children's Rights...Uncertain Futures," Yale Law School, March 1989

Speaker: "Legal Issues for Mental Health Professionals with Patients Involved
in Family Court Proceedings" Child and Adolescent Committee,
Queens Mental Health Council, January 1989

Plenary Speaker: The Draft U.N. Convention on the Rights of the Child: What Would
It Mean to Children in America and Throughout the World?"
Fourth National Conference on Children and Law,
American Bar Association, September 1988

Speaker: "Using Preventative Services in Child Abuse and Neglect Proceedings,"
Practicing Law Institute (PLI) Program on Child Abuse and Neglect,
New York City, June 1988

Trainer: Training Planning Seminar
Developed and tested materials for intensive training of selected
judges and attorneys on Family Court matters for the purpose of
developing statewide training programs.
N.Y.S. Office of Court Administration/Task Force on Permanency
Planning for Foster Children, November 1989

- Moderator: Panel Discussion: "Selected Auxiliary Service in Family Court," in conjunction with materials published in the 1987 N.Y.S. Judicial Seminar Manual, N.Y.S. Judicial Training Seminar, July 1987
- Speaker: "The Abuse Case in Court: Corroboration, Validation and the Expert Witness," Conference on the Role of the Law Guardian Appellate Division, Third Department and Ulster County Bar Association, October 1989
- Speaker: "The Rights of Biological Parents in Adoption Proceedings in New York," Manhattan Teen Pregnancy Network, March 1986
- Speaker: "The Responsibilities of Medical Professionals in Abuse and Neglect Proceedings," Child Health Law and Ethics Workshop Albert Einstein College of Medicine Bronx, New York, December 1985
- Speaker: "The Role of the Law Guardian in Abuse and Neglect Proceedings," Law Guardian Training Conference of the Supreme Court, Appellate Division, Third Department and Tompkins County Bar Association, October 1985
- Speaker: "Emerging Constitutional Issues in Child Maltreatment Proceedings," New York State Conference on Child Abuse and Neglect, Albany, New York, March 1985
- Trainer: "Social Work and Law: An Interdisciplinary Approach" (with Nina P. Freedman, C.S.W.) Columbia University School of Social Work New York, New York, March 1985
- Speaker: "The Preparation of an Expert Witness Social Worker," (with Nina P. Freedman, C.S.W.) Child Welfare League of America, Eastern Regional Conference Washington, D.C., June 1984

PUBLICATIONS

"Reflections on a Case (of Motherhood)," Columbia Law Review, Vol. 95, No. 8 (December 1995)

Permanency Planning Judicial Benchbook, New York State Office of Court Administration (1989); Supplement (1992)

Child Welfare Legal Manual for Department of Social Services Attorneys and Law Guardians, (co-author) American Bar Association, National Legal Resource Center for Child Advocacy and Protection (1988); Supplement (1990)

"Keeping Children Out of Foster Care: The Role of Preventive Services Under the Child Welfare Reform Act," Child Abuse and Neglect, Practicing Law Institute (PLI) (1988)

"In the Interest of the Children," Newsday, December 21, 1987.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES: Legal Education

A.A.L.S. Conference on Clinical Legal Education
Planning Committee, 1994

C.U. Law School Student Life Committee (Chair)

Clinical Tenure Review Consultant, University of Michigan Law School, 1993

Small Group Leader, A.A.L.S. Workshop on Clinical Education
Washington, D.C., May 1993
St. Louis, May 1995

C.U. Law School Gender Bias Task Force (1989-1991)

Justine Wise Polier Memorial Lecture Committee

PRESENTATIONS: Legal Education

"Evaluating Our Students: How Do We Know Students Get What We Are Teaching?" (with Prof. Victor Goode)
1995 Workshop on Clinical Education
A.A.L.S., St. Louis

"Teaching Theory: Techniques of Supervision"
Multiple Perspectives on the Clinical Experience
A.A.L.S. Annual Meeting, San Francisco, January 1993

"Reflections on a Case (of Motherhood)"
Feminism and Legal Theory Project Workshop on Women and Representation,
Columbia University, June 1992 and Clinical Theory Workshop, Columbia Law
School, March 1992

Legislation works with
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HHS (Mary Bartlette)

Parental Rights Bill

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protecting parents' right -

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Sponsors
5984/HR/946

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What is the product of the child welfare system

MEMORANDUM

To: The First Lady
From: Carol Rasco
Date: July 18, 1996
Re: Child Welfare Reform Discussion Sessions

What is the product of the child welfare system

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measure success + failure

My staff recently spoke to Jennifer Klein and Nicole Rabner in your office regarding our mutual interest in exploring the inherent problems in our country's child welfare system and possible solutions to those problems.

I understand you're looking at the adoption process and exploring non-legislative proposals to improve the adoption system. I also understand that you hope to move quickly to announce some reforms over the coming months.

I'd like to bring you up to speed on my plans around child welfare. I am beginning what I hope will be a long-term effort to explore and address the serious problems inherent in our child welfare system.

To begin, I have convened what will likely be the first of several informal educational discussions with small groups of child welfare experts from around the country. The first session is scheduled for Thursday, July 18.

The purpose of these discussions is threefold: First, I hope to get to better know a variety of academics, practitioners, advocates, lawyers and the like who have worked in this field and can share their knowledge with me. Second, I have for some time been contemplating the need for a commission to address the severe problems facing our child welfare system today and hope to informally explore the potential of such a commission. Third, I hope to learn about and discuss other potential solutions to the child welfare crisis.

My idea for a commission comes from my understanding that no one coordinated body exists to examine the host of problems associated with the multi-faceted child welfare system.

As you well know, the child welfare system is plagued by problems with foster care and adoption including, but not limited to,

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abuse and neglect investigations, inadequate caseworker training, poor transition-into-adult-life services, inadequate resources for kinship care, overly-cumbersome adoption procedures, inconsistent state definitions of "reasonable efforts" and legal system problems stemming from that inconsistent definition, and the list goes on and on.

A commission could bring together leading experts on each problem area of the child welfare system and coordinate efforts to address those problems. There are pros and cons to setting up a commission.

The pros of this approach are evident: the ability of a broad, independent commission to evaluate all system problems and develop an integrated, coordinated approach to solving those problems.

The cons are those typically associated with the creation of any commission--the politics of who's on and who's not are very tricky and can lead to perceived slights; a commission doesn't guarantee results, but instead can often take a long time to produce recommendations and fail to follow through; finally, a commission might slow down activity while people "wait" for a report, preventing action that might have occurred otherwise.

I believe our dual efforts are complementary. I hope to take a broad, long-term look at the problems in child welfare system and possible solutions. It seems you are looking primarily at adoption and would like to quickly put forth some non-legislative solutions to encourage and facilitate adoption.

As I said, I am just beginning this process and would welcome any feedback you might have. I look forward to working with you and your staff as we each move forward to address these critical issues.

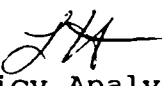
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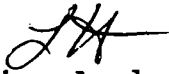
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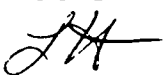
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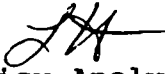
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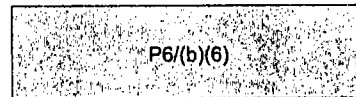
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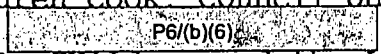
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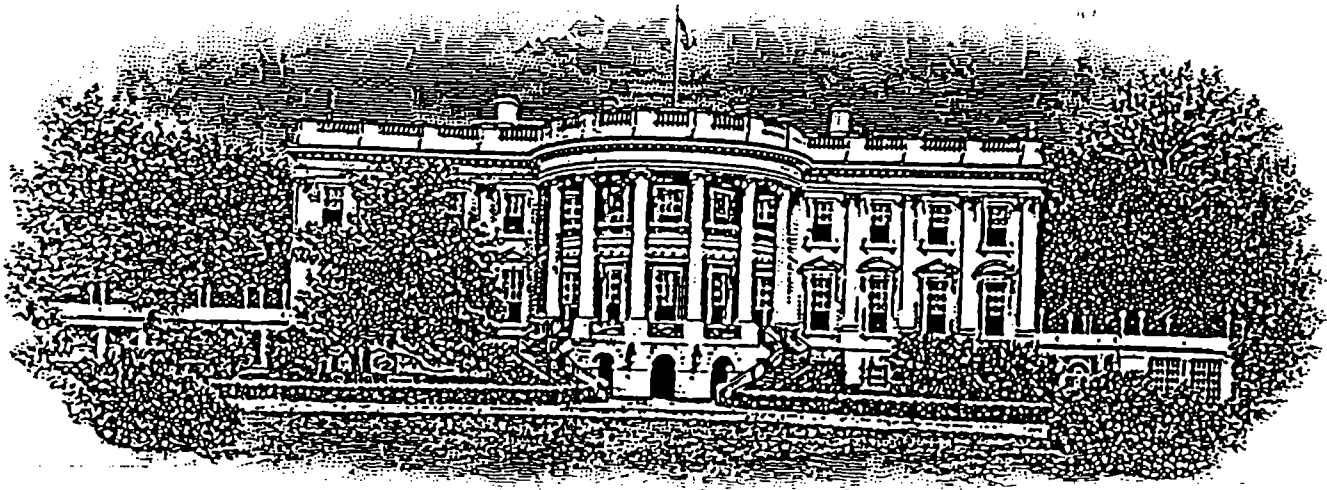
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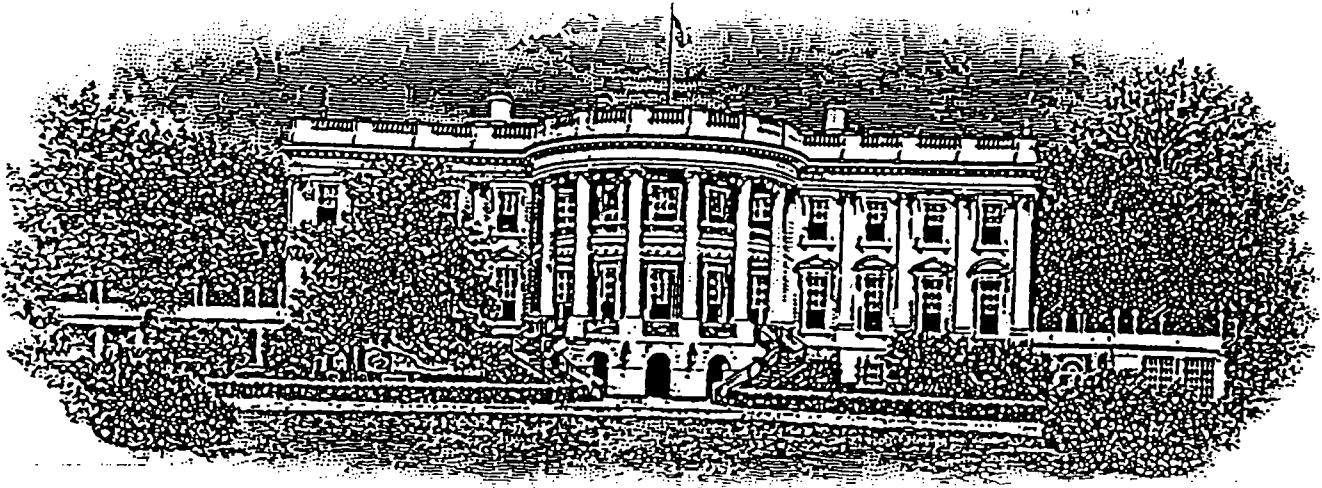


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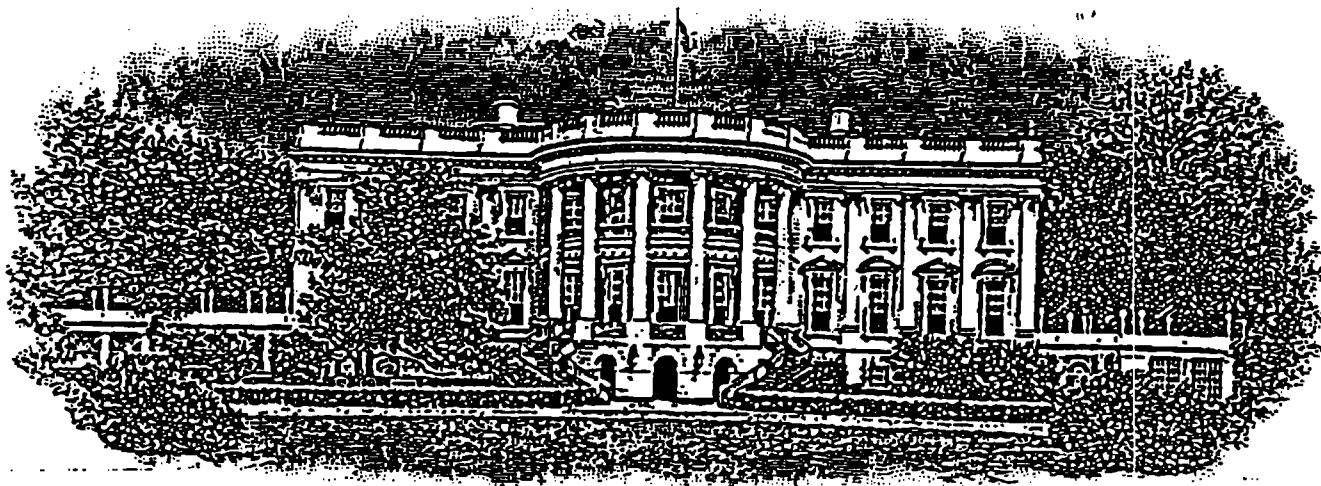
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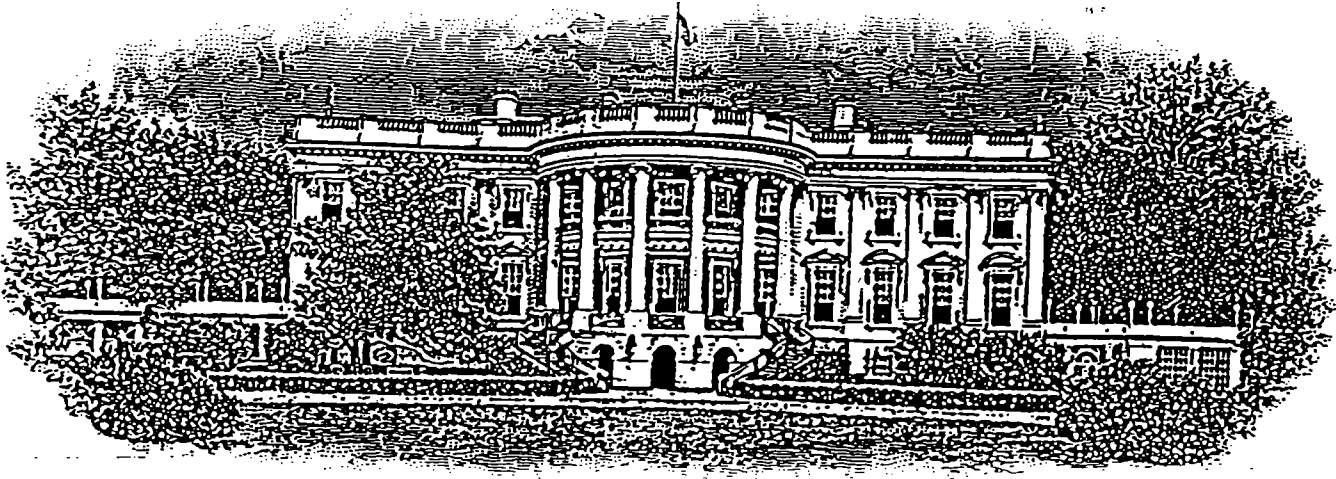
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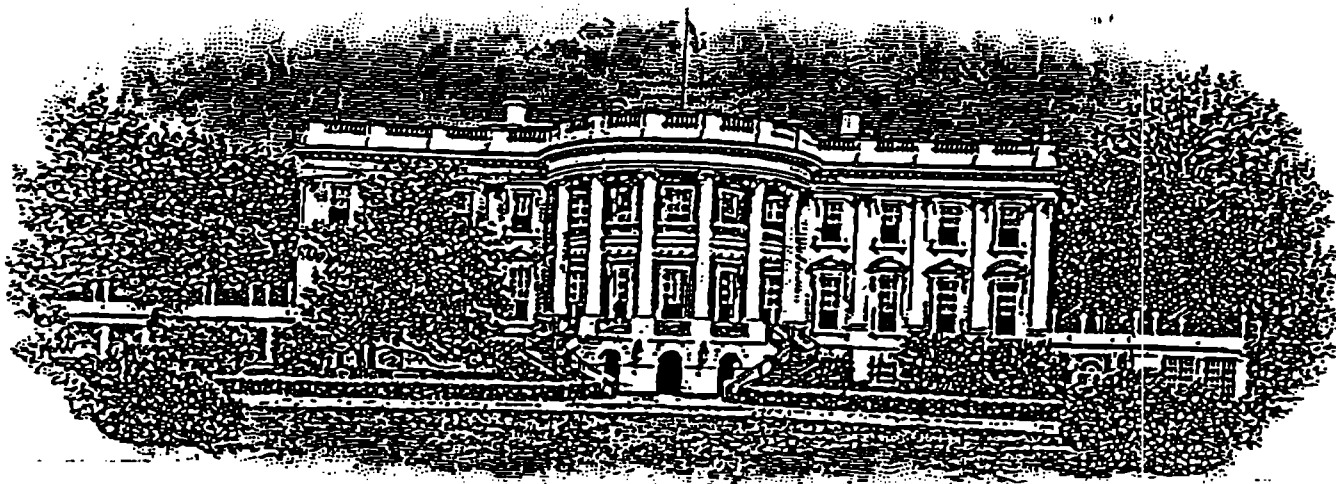
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