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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 14, 1985

Dear Steve:

Thank you for your letter of December 14, 1984 in which you recommend that the Organization of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (JCS) be eliminated and military officers be placed in all senior positions below the Secretary of Defense in the Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD). Your letter addressed a number of issues that have been considered in the past.

Interestingly, the basic role of the JCS today is similar to that of World War II. During World War II, the JCS was convened by the President to advise him on military matters and provide strategic direction to the combat forces in the field. The National Security Act of 1947, as amended, legislates much the same responsibilities for the JCS under current arrangements. Today, of course, the JCS also provides military advice to the Secretary of Defense and National Security Council.

As you point out, the OSD was established following World War II when the President and Congress recognized the need for centralized coordination of DoD programs and operations. Since that time, successive Presidents, Congresses, and Secretaries of Defense have felt the need to consolidate increasing authority immediately under the Secretary of Defense in order to strengthen management, improve controls, and integrate military operations with national security objectives. For the most part, this system has served us well.

It is important to note that the Constitution mandates civilian control over the military. Within this framework, the Congress has legislated that active duty military personnel may not hold any civil office. Legal authorities have interpreted this legislation to preclude military officers from serving as Under Secretaries or Assistant Secretaries of Defense, or their Principal Deputies. However, approximately thirty percent of the OSD staff is military and many of these individuals serve in key positions. They bring to the organization an added dimension in the form of special knowledge and outlooks which strengthen management. Their firsthand experience with military field operations, weapons, and requirements allows them to make an invaluable contribution to the decision process.

Since taking office, Secretary Weinberger has increased the role of the JCS in DoD management. He has placed the Chairman of the JCS on both the Defense Resources Board and the Defense Systems Acquisition Review Council, the principal groups concerned with the utilization of DoD resources and the acquisition of major weapons systems. Further, he meets with the JCS, both formally and informally, on a regular basis on a scale far beyond that which has been customary for many years. The Secretary has testified before Congress that he values the JCS counsel highly and their advice is not in any way overshadowed by his civilian advisors. He has emphasized that he makes decisions based on the soundness of recommendations, not the presence or absence of a military uniform on the individual making them.

Under the present arrangement, where the OSD staff develops policy, manages resources, and evaluates programs and the JCS provides military advice to the civilian leadership and strategic direction to the combat forces in the field, we strive to strike a reasoned balance. Nonetheless, over the past few years Congress has taken a renewed interest in DoD organization and management matters. Hearings have been held, past and present top-level DoD officials have testified, and legislation has been introduced. At the same time, the Secretary and Deputy Secretary of Defense have been giving considerable attention to the assignment of functions and responsibilities at the top echelons of the Department. I have taken the liberty of passing your letter to Secretary Weinberger so that he can have the benefit of your thoughts during his deliberations.

I appreciate your interest in improving the management of the Department of Defense and thank you for taking the time to put your ideas on paper.

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Stephen D'Arrigo, Jr.  
2241 Dry Creek Road  
San Jose, CA 95124

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 15, 1985

Dear Jack:

Thank you for taking the time to write regarding your strong endorsement of Tom Hannon for an ambassadorial appointment.

I am taking the liberty of passing your correspondence on to John Herrington so that he will be aware of your letter to me.

Again, thanks for your interest in letting us know of your support for such a well-qualified candidate as Mr. Hannon.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

The Honorable Jack Kemp  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

JACK KEMP  
31ST DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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BUDGET

Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

January 7, 1985

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Michael K. Deaver, Chairman  
Ambassadorial Committee  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mike,

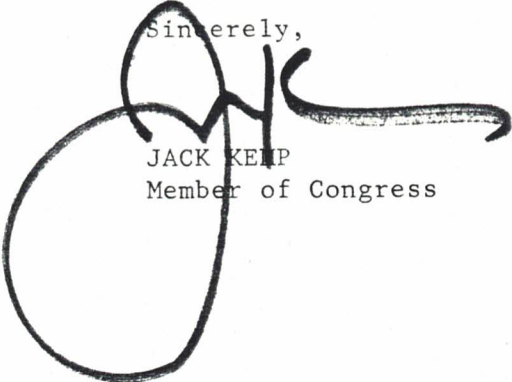
Tom Hannon, President of The Hannon Company of Louisville, Ohio, has been under consideration for an ambassadorial appointment for the past two years and has recently requested Trinidad or another appropriate embassy.

Tom was most successful in being Ohio Chairman of the Presidential Trust serving under David Murdock, and as such was sixth in the nation-- in addition to adding his own personal financial support. He was District Chairman for Reagan-Bush '84 and hosted several receptions attended by the President in behalf of the Trust. He was also very active in assisting the State Executive Director.

Tom has for many years traveled extensively throughout the world in building his business and establishing goodwill and has the experience and ability to do an outstanding job for the Administration.

He has my complete support, and I hope you will give his appointment every possible consideration.

Sincerely,

  
JACK KEMP  
Member of Congress

JK:sf

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 15, 1985

Dear Alan:

Thank you for taking the time to write regarding your strong endorsement of Mr. Sheldon Kryss for consideration for a position as Ambassador to either the Bahamas, Trinidad or Iceland. I am taking the liberty of passing your correspondence on to John Herrington so he will be aware of your letter to me.

Again, thanks for your interest in letting us know of your support for such a well qualified candidate as Mr. Kryss.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

The Honorable Alan K. Simpson  
United States Senate  
Washington, DC 20510

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

January 15, 1985

File  
4:30 Jan '85  
M. Davis called  
& verbally agreed  
to conditions  
listed below  
RL

Dear Mr. Davis:

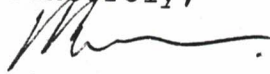
The request for the installation and operation of a remote camera located within the Presidential limousine during the Parade has been received. This is a unique request that will allow the television audience an opportunity to view The President and Mrs. Reagan during this important occasion. Permission to install and operate a remote television camera located within the Presidential limousine is given with the following conditions and understandings. We understand that this meets with your requirements and has your approval.

- 1) A microwave signal will not be transmitted from the limousine during the trip from The White House to The Capitol.
- 2) During the return trip from The Capitol to The White House, at any time the camera signal from the limousine is transmitted from the flash truck in front of the limousine to one of three receiving points, a light attached to the camera unit, clearly visible to the rear seat passengers, will be illuminated.
- 3) A control unit with a clearly identified switch that can discontinue the camera signal will be located in the front seat of the limousine.
- 4) ABC pool represents that a continuous, uninterrupted camera signal will not be transmitted from the limousine to the flash truck, to the receiving points to the pool truck where the first set of taping equipment is located. It is understood that there will not be an original tape of the continuous signal from within the limousine nor will there be any isolated feeds from the camera inside the limousine to the individual networks. The ABC pool will take all steps necessary to assure that the above representation will be honored fully.

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I trust the above is acceptable to you and would like to hear from you regarding this.

Sincerely,



Michael K. Deaver  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Mitchell B. Davis  
ABC News  
1717 Desales Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20036

ABC News 7 West 66th Street New York, New York 10023 Telephone 212 887-4606

Special Events

January 16, 1985

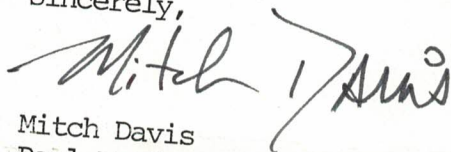
Mr. Michael K. Deaver  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. Deaver:

On behalf of the Broadcast Pool for the Inaugural Parade,  
I have received your letter granting permission for the  
operation of a camera in the President's Limousine. The  
conditions you have listed are acceptable to the Pool,  
and we agree to abide by them.

Thank you for your assistance in this effort.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Mitch Davis". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping "M" and a cursive "Davis".

Mitch Davis  
Pool Producer  
1985 Inaugural Parade Coverage

MD:ks

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

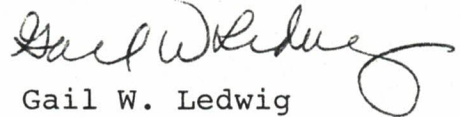
January 15, 1985

Dear Mr. Mino:

Thank you for your recent letters to Mr. Michael K. Deaver at the White House. Mr. Deaver has asked me to respond to your request regarding White House cuff links. He was happy to know of your son's interest in Ronald Reagan memorabilia. We are thus forwarding your letter to the Presidential Inaugural Committee and also the Republican National Committee, both of whom have catalogues that we will ask them to mail to you.

Thank you again for letting us know of your son's interest. I hope that you are able to purchase a meaningful item for his collection.

Sincerely,



Gail W. Ledwig  
Staff Assistant to  
Michael K. Deaver

Mr. John Mino  
30100 Chagrin Boulevard  
Pepper Pike, Ohio 44124

JOHN MINO  
30100 CHAGRIN BOULEVARD  
PEPPER PIKE, OHIO 44124

January 12, 1985

Dear Sir:

Please note a copy of my letter to you dated September 20, 1984. In view of the fact that you will be relinquishing your White House duties soon, I would be most appreciative if you would honor my request.

Cordially,

*Mrs. John Mino*

Mrs. John Mino

Honorable Michael Deaver  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue  
Washington, D. C. 20500

*File  
White  
RNC*

JOHN MINO  
28525 CHAGRIN BOULEVARD  
PEPPER PIKE, OHIO 44122

September 20, 1984

Dear Sir:

My son is a recent graduate of Georgetown University Law Center. For all of his life he has been an admirer of President Reagan and is currently working for his reelection.

My request may strike you as unusual, but I want to present him with a pair of White House cuff links. I realize that there is a limited supply available but I will pay any price to secure a pair for him. He has quite a collection of Ronald Reagan memorabilia and the cuff links would be the piece de resistance of his collection.

I am very much aware that you are in the midst of an election campaign; however, your attention to this request would be very much appreciated.

Cordially,

Mrs. John Mino

Honorable Michael Deaver  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue  
Washington, D. C. 20500

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 17, 1985

Dear Mr. Buell:

Thank you for your letter of December 31, 1984 concerning the matter of the picture of the President aboard Air Force One. I can certainly appreciate your being upset about this incident, as we at the White House, as well, do not view this kind of violation lightly.

While we acknowledge that UPI definitely violated our Air Force One ruling, we would hope that this behavior will not occur in the future. We, therefore, expect that the embargo will remain in effect for all parties concerned.

Let me commend AP for its most appropriate conduct in this matter, and say that we would have expected all persons to act with the same decorum. Again, thank you for taking the time to express your feelings to me.

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. Harold G. Buell  
Assistant General Manager  
for Newsphotos  
Associated Press  
50 Rockefeller Plaza  
New York, NY 10020

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APPROVE \_\_\_\_\_

DISAPPROVE \_\_\_\_\_

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Sincerely,

MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

January 11, 1985

DB  
pls draft  
a letter  
along these  
points.

TO: MICHAEL DEEVER  
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT AND  
DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: BILLIE B. SHADDIX, DIRECTOR  
PHOTOGRAPHIC SERVICES

SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO HAROLD G. BUELL OF  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

I recommend the following be your position of this matter:

1. Recognize that both AP and UPI photographers photographed the President on Air Force One in the sweat pants.
2. The Press Secretary to the President requested an embargo on the picture for reasons best known by yourself.
3. United Press International violated the embargo.
4. While the White House is "mad as hell" at this we cannot enforce the "ground rules" by sending in an "air strike" on UPI. Still we do not view this violation lightly or conduct becoming gentlemanly agreements.
5. With regard to the sweat pants picture appearing in Life Magazine:
  - a. Life Magazine requested certain photographs for their year end edition of which the sweat pants picture was one.
  - b. The passage of time and circumstances since the photograph was taken had rendered our sensitivity to it less acute and coupled with the violation by UPI you decided to approve Life's request for the photograph.

5. c. You might point out that AP, had they been thoughtful and judicious, might have requested the lifting of the embargo on the photograph. They then could have run both picture and text with Official White House clearance pointing out that they, AP, are honorable men who try to play by the rules, unlike their competitor.
- d. Commend AP for their conduct in this matter. If you have not already done so have Larry Speakes register your disapproval with UPI, making Larry's chastisement of UPI known to Buell.
- e. Reassert the White House position on embargos to all the media using as a vehicle this subject violation.

If you don't agree with these tactics please let me know and I'll come up with others.

THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

TO:

Billie Shaddix

FROM:

MICHAEL K. DEEVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

☐ Information

☒ Action

P/s give me  
your recommendation.  
Thank.



Harold G. Buell  
Assistant General Manager for Newsphotos

*Billee Shaddick  
for guidance*

December 31, 1984

Mr. Michael K. Deaver  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
& Assistant to the President  
The White House  
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Deaver:

Some weeks ago The Associated Press had an exchange with your office about a picture of President Reagan in sweat pants aboard Air Force One.

You may recall the incident. The picture was made in circumstances normally considered off limits. Our competitor chose to break the ground rules and make the pictures available to the world's newspapers.

The AP chose to stay with the ground rules; we did not transmit the picture.

Today LIFE magazine's annual year end issue crossed my desk and look what appears on page 170. A White House picture of the President in his sweat pants!

In some 20 years of dealing with The White House on picture matters I have had cause to wonder at some of the peculiar incidents that come to pass. But surely this takes some kind of prize.

This latest case takes me to the conclusion that only The AP is concerned with the ground rules.

And since that is the case may I assume that Air Force One restrictions are lifted for AP as they seem to be for everyone else?

Please confirm our mutual understanding.

Sincerely,

HGB:arb

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'HGB' followed by a stylized flourish.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 18, 1985

Dear Mr. Christie:

Mr. Deaver has asked me to respond to your kind letter of January 2nd suggesting that the President read the two books written by William Stephenson.

I want you to know that this information will be passed on to the appropriate persons. Thank you so much for taking the time to inform us about these books.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'William F. Sittmann', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

William F. Sittmann  
Special Assistant to  
the President

Mr. Alexander K. Christie  
Alexander K. Christie Associates  
5305 Cromwell Drive  
Bethesda, Maryland 20816

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Ann - do you think you could write a  
little note for Bill Sittmann's sig.  
asying MKD asked him to respond and  
the book idea will be refer to proper  
person for purchase for the President

# Alexander K. Christie

ALEXANDER K. CHRISTIE ASSOCIATES

5305 CROMWELL DRIVE

BETHESDA, MD 20816

1/2/85

Michael K. Fearns

Dear Mike:

During World War II I worked or served with the United Kingdom Technical Mission. My parents were born in Scotland. I grew weary of the position of the Roosevelt administration before and after Sept 1939 when the War became a fact.

I worked 12 months for the man who has become known as "Intrepid" or William Stephenson, now knighted and known as Sir William Stephenson.

Two books have been bearing on Sir William's contribution to the Allied cause, one called "Intrepid" and the latest one, "Intrepid's Last Case".

I strongly urge you that you buy a copy.

# Alexander K. Christie

ALEXANDER K. CHRISTIE ASSOCIATES

5305 CROMWELL DRIVE

BETHESDA, MD 20816

"  
of *Intrepid's Last Case* and give it to the President. The President will benefit more from reading this book than all the Federal and Cabinet "Memos" could ever portray.

The subject matter is of vital concern. It sheds the Soviet Union into a new light. They are worse than evil. Our traitors, Burgess, McLean, Fuchs, the British sell out artists, and the inept officials in the Liberal Party in Canada. What stupidity!

I feel the President will be reinforced in his beliefs as so Government papers would not relate.

Please secure a copy for him. Mike it will be a contribution that he will be grateful for. The book is titled: *Intrepid's Last Case* by William Stevenson Ballantine Books (Paperback) That day store on

# Alexander K. Christie

ALEXANDER K. CHRISTIE ASSOCIATES

5305 CROMWELL DRIVE

BETHESDA, MD 20816

Pennsylvania a few doors from you, or any book store. Home could secure it for you at any book store.

Please bring it to the President's attention. You might buy a copy of the first book: "A Man Called Inkyard" William Stevenson. The President will enjoy and learn from this book also.

Respectfully

Alexander K. Christie

P.S. Good Luck and all the best with the agency.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 18, 1985

Dear Mr. Milne:

It was so kind of you and Mr. Osmon to ask me to address the 3M Executive Conference on April 17-19, 1985. Unfortunately, I will not be able to be with you for this occasion, but send my best for a successful meeting.

Thanks, also, for your good words at the time of my resignation and new venture. I truly appreciate your thoughts and encouragement.

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. J. D. Milne  
Marketing Director  
Traffic Control Materials Division/3M  
223-3N 3M Center  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55144

J. D. Milne  
Marketing Director



January 11, 1985

Mr. Michael Deaver  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
The White House  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mike,

Congratulations! Wish you the very best in the private sector. Based on our experience, your new consulting role will be well suited to you and most beneficial to your clients.

Please convey my best wishes and greetings to your family.

Mike, the purpose of my letter is to inquire as to your interest and availability to speak in Minnesota at the 3M Executive Conference being held April 17-19, 1985. Our Executive Council consists of our CEO, President and approximately 100 executives. Mr. Donn Osmon, Vice President of Corporate Affairs and Marketing, asked me if I would invite you, on his behalf, to speak to our executives.

I hope your schedule will permit us the opportunity of benefitting from the experience of your expertise and insight on current affairs, not to mention the pleasure of your company.

Best personal regards,

  
JDM/nd

Setup: Yes

No

P.S. Please say "hello" to Craig.

Traffic Control Materials Division/3M  
223-3N 3M Center  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55144  
612/736 0799

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 18, 1985

Dear Mrs. Thomas:

It was nice of you to write concerning the Deaver lineage. I have had many inquiries on this subject since coming to Washington - and one family sent to me a history which you will enjoy. I have attached the page concerning Richard and Grace Deaver, and do hope that this will help you.

Good luck and thanks for taking the time to write and express your interest in the Deavers.

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mrs. Allie Thomas, Jr.  
1601 Bankhead Highway - #98  
Birmingham, AL 35210-2628

1601 Bankhead Hwy. - # 98  
Birmingham, Al. 35210-2628  
January 10, 1985

Mr. Michael Deaver  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Deaver,

I imagine you have heard from all the Deaver Cousins since you have been in Washington. Many perhaps have asked the same question, and I'm hoping you can answer it for me.

Do you know the names of the six sons of Richard and Grace "Dever" who sailed on the "Lionhart," coming directly from the south of Scotland, and landing in Ann Arundell County, Maryland, on December 17, 1657? I find no further documentary proof until 1781.

Thank you for any response.

Much success in your new position.

yours very truly,

Virginia Deaver Thomas

(Mrs. Allie Thomas, Jr.)

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 23, 1985

Dear Mr. Holtermann:

Your January 17, 1985 note of appreciation was greatly appreciated. I, too, was pleased we were able to schedule a meeting for the Top Ten Outstanding Young Working Women with President Reagan.

Thank you for taking your time to write to express your gratitude.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,



MICHAEL K. DEAVER  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff

Mr. E. Louis Holtermann, Jr.  
Publisher  
GLAMOUR  
Conde Nast Building  
350 Madison Avenue  
New York, New York 10017

**E. Louis Holtermann, Jr.**  
Publisher

January 17, 1985

The Honorable Michael K. Deaver  
Assistant to The President  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
The White House  
Washington, DC. 20500

*Source*

Dear Mr. Deaver:

I wish I had a videotape recording of the facial expressions and comments that I saw and heard as each of Glamour's Outstanding Working Women came out of the Oval Office. Keep in mind that these women are company presidents, consulate-generals, an intelligence officer, a biophysicist, even a prison warden - both The President and you would have found their remarks and reactions heart-warming. They said being received in the Oval Office by The President was an uplifting experience, a feeling that defies description. This sentiment was expressed by all the women.

One can only begin to imagine the myriad details you and your staff must attend to in order to bring off such a meeting. I want you to know that all of us at Glamour and the Outstanding Working Women of 1985 very much appreciate what was done for us, and hope that the knowledge of having so favorably impressed women of this caliber gives you and your staff added satisfaction.

We hope The President and you feel as we do, that the recognition of Glamour's Outstanding Working Women should become an annual event.

Again, our sincere thanks to you and your staff.

Cordially,

*E. Louis Holtermann*

/jmk

Condé Nast Building, 350 Madison Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10017 (212) 880-8800

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 23, 1985

Dear Secretary Pierce:

Mike Deaver has asked me to respond to your January 16 letter regarding your request for the President to mention the Fair Housing Act Amendment in this year's State of the Union Address.

He has asked me to pass your correspondence on to other appropriate members of the White House staff so they will be aware of your feelings.

Thank you for letting Mike know of your strong support of this amendment.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'William F. Sittmann', with a stylized flourish at the end.

William F. Sittmann  
Special Assistant to  
the President

The Honorable Samuel R. Pierce, Jr.  
Secretary of Housing and Urban Development  
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development  
Washington, DC 20410

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

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GLAMOUR  
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January 17, 1985

The Honorable Michael K. Deaver  
Assistant to the President  
Deputy Chief of Staff  
The White House  
Washington, DC 20500

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Dear Mr. Deaver:

On behalf of GLAMOUR, I want to thank you for giving our Top Ten Outstanding Young Working Women an opportunity to visit The White House and to meet with President Reagan.

All the women were thrilled to see the President in the Oval Office. I hope that next year's winners will have the same fine privilege.

Again, thanks for making the event possible. It's something all the women will remember for the rest of their lives.

Sincerely,

*Rona Cherry*

Rona Cherry  
Executive Editor

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 23, 1985

Dear Ms. Berger:

Your January 16, 1985 note of appreciation was greatly appreciated. I, too, was pleased we were able to schedule a meeting for the Top Ten Outstanding Young Working Women with President Reagan.

Thank you for taking your time to write to express your gratitude.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,



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Dear Mr. Deaver:

I wish to take this opportunity to thank you for making it possible for us to tour the White House and to have the honor of meeting with President Reagan.

As one of Glamour Magazine's "Ten Outstanding Young Working Women of 1984", it was indeed a most memorable occasion for me and one which I shall always cherish.

Thank you again.

Sincerely,

*Judith E. Berger*

Judith E. Berger  
President

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