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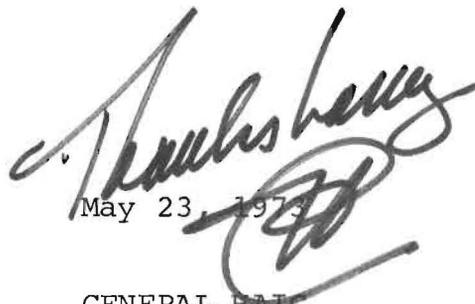
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

TO : *Larry Higby*
FROM : GEORGE JOULWAN

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May 23, 1974

MEMORANDUM FOR:

GENERAL HAIG

FROM:

L. HIGBY

SUBJECT:

George Bush/
Bob Dole Meeting.

The last time the President met with George Bush and other party officials, he made it clear to Bob that in future political meetings like this it would be necessary for Haldeman to sit in, not just Bill Timmons, since in a sense he is an interested party.

You are obviously aware that there is a meeting today at 3:00 p.m. between Bush, Dole and the President with Bill Timmons sitting in. It would probably be most appropriate for you to sit in on this meeting.

There are two issues that have been totally overlooked in Timmons' briefing paper that will probably be raised by Bush:

1. The complete possession immediately of the Data Bank by the RNC.

The Data Bank is from the 1972 election. This is a problem that you and I need to spend a few minutes on sometime before any final decision is reached. Briefly you should be aware that there is in existence a substantial data bank of all the key states that breaks down by mailing address, ethnic character, income etc., most of the people in the key states.

This is a very valuable piece of information for any political candidate because he can use it to do extensive mailing and political canvassing work. Many people feel that the data bank was one of the primary reasons for our success in very tough states against McGovern. Before the President turns this over wholesale to the RNC some other arrangements should be considered. If it is turned over to the RNC it in effect becomes public property and becomes available for any and all candidates. If the President hold on to it simply for a little while to figure out what he wants to do, he loses nothing.

2. Bush will probably raise the assumption by the RNC of all the funds currently being held by the Committee for the Re-election of the President. This, for a number of reasons would not be appropriate at this time. First, there are substantial legal fees that the Committee for the Re-election of the President may have to assume and additional debts that are not now cleared up. For the President to give all this money immediately to George Bush when it was not donated to the RNC but specifically for the re-election of Richard Nixon would be inappropriate.

Don't misunderstand me. I think that at an appropriate time we may want to turn over both the money and the data bank to the RNC but the President, as you I am sure will agree, should not be stampeded into any decisions. I think you may want to talk to him briefly about these subjects prior to his meeting and at least consider attending the meeting itself.

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June 8, 1973

Dear Mr. Shartzter:

I am happy to finally receive your bill but notice that it is more than \$300 over the original estimate. You will recall that as we talked on a number of occasions you continually said that the original estimate was a little on the liberal side to make sure we didn't go over the \$1500 amount.

Before remitting payment to you, I would appreciate a breakdown of the bill.

Best wishes,

Sincerely,

Lawrence M. Haggby

Mr. Jack Shartzter, Sr.
R602 Rose Lane
Annendale, Virginia

June 19, 1973

Dear Ron:

Though I dictated a draft, I never sent you a thank you note for your efforts in making the arrangements for our use of Camp Hoover a few weekends ago. Needless to say, the rest was needed and deeply appreciated at a most difficult period in our lives.

Your kindness in making the arrangements provided us with a weekend of much relaxation and fun -- it was just what we all needed.

Again, my thanks for all you did.

Sincerely,

Lawrence M. Higby
Deputy Assistant
to the President

Honorable Ron Walker
Director
National Park Service
Department of the Interior
Washington, D.C.