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March 6, 1972

Mr. Marvin S. Sadik, Director
National Portrait Gallery
P Street at Eighth, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20560

Dear Mr. Sadik:

On behalf of our client, The Richard Nixon Foundation, we are enclosing the check of The Foundation in the amount of $7,500 payable to the Smithsonian Institution, which sum is a donation by The Foundation for the sole and express purpose of permitting the Smithsonian Institution, and the National Portrait Gallery to acquire the portrait of President Richard M. Nixon heretofore painted by Norman Rockwell.

This donation is made subject to the following understanding which has heretofore been approved by you and Mr. Rockwell:

1. The Smithsonian Institution will use the within funds to acquire title to the Rockwell portrait of President Nixon for the express purpose of hanging same in the National Portrait Gallery in Washington, D.C.

2. As soon as practical, the National Portrait Gallery will cause to be prepared a plaque to be affixed to the portrait which shall bear the following inscription:

"Donated to the People of the United States of America by The Richard Nixon Foundation"

3. The National Portrait Gallery will provide The Richard Nixon Foundation with a letter acknowledging receipt of the enclosed funds and acknowledging further that the funds will be used for the express purpose set forth herein. The letter-receipt should be directed to The Richard Nixon Foundation, care of Leonard K. Firestone, 515 South Flower Street, Los Angeles, California 90071.
June 4, 1971

Dear Frank:

Permission has been granted for Mr. Erickson and the three associates listed in his letter to you of April 23 to survey the President's property at San Clemente for possible archaeological sites. The survey may be conducted either during the period of June 17-18 or June 21-22.

Aside from the conditions imposed on their examination which we have previously discussed, I am certain that you will wish to remind Mr. Erickson that should a site be discovered absolutely no burden will be placed on the President to take any further action unless he so desires. The President, of course, is most interested in reading the report on their findings.

With my best regards,

Sincerely,

John W. Dean III
Counsel to the President

Frank DeMarco, Jr., Esquire
Kalmbach, DeMarco, Knapp & Chillingworth
611 West Sixth Street, Suite 1900
Los Angeles, California 90017
April 6, 1971

Dear Frank:

Enclosed is a letter from Elerth S. Erickson regarding a request to conduct archeological research on the President's San Clemente property. The correspondence to which he refers and my initial reply are also enclosed.

I would appreciate it if you could handle this matter for me. The enclosures are the entire file on this subject.

With my thanks and best regards,

Sincerely,

John W. Dean III
Counsel to the President

Frank DeMarco, Jr., Esquire
Kalmbach, DeMarco, Knapp and Chillingworth
Suite 1900
611 West 6th Street
Los Angeles, California 90017
Dear Frank:

I am forwarding the attached letter from Walker and Lee Inc. Real Estate per our conversation. I have not acknowledged the letter and would suggest that, if a response is appropriate, it be sent out of your office in that this matter is more personal business of the President's than White House business.

With best regards, I am

Sincerely,

John W. Dean, III
Counsel to the President

Mr. Frank DeMarco, Jr.
Kalmbach, DeMarco, Knapp
and Chillingworth
Suite 1900
611 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California 90017

Enclosures (2)
January 3, 1971

Mr. John D. Ehrlichman
Assistant to the President
for Domestic Affairs
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Re: The Richard Nixon Foundation

Dear John:

We are pleased to advise that the District Director of Internal Revenue Service at Los Angeles has issued his statement officially classifying The Richard Nixon Foundation as a non-private foundation under the Tax Reform Act of 1969, a copy of which determination letter is enclosed for your personal files.

Kindest personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

FRANK DE MARCO, JR.
For the Firm

FDN:gem
Enc.
October 16, 1970

Dear Frank:

Enclosed is a letter to the President from Mr. James H. Merrill, requesting the opportunity to meet with his attorney "to discuss a very good idea that would provide the ideal means of conserving (the President's) estate values and solving the liquidity problem."

Since this appears to be in your bailiwick, I am requesting that your office reply directly to Mr. Merrill.

With best personal regards, I am

Sincerely,

John W. Dean, III
Counsel to the President

Mr. Frank DeMarco, Jr.
Kalmbach, DeMarco, Knapp and Chilingworth
611 West Sixth Street
Los Angeles, California 90017

Enclosure
MEMORANDUM FOR:  John D. Ehrlichman  
                    Robert H. Finch  
                    Leonard Garment  
                    H. R. Haldeman  
                    Patricia Reilly Hitt  
                    John N. Mitchell

Attached please find copies of the following:

(1) Letter to Ed Morgan from Frank De Marco re items (2)(3) & (4) below.

(2) Minutes of Organizational Meeting of the Board of Executive Trustees of the Richard Nixon Foundation

(3) By-Laws of the Richard Nixon Foundation

(4) Written Consent to Amendment to Articles of Incorporation of the Richard Nixon Foundation.

You will note that items number (2) and (4) will require your signature. The signature sheet will be circulated separately and will be forwarded to you very shortly for your signature.

John De...
February 3, 1971

Dear Tom:

Mrs. Nixon and I were distressed to learn of your mother's death, and want you to know that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

She must have derived tremendous pride and satisfaction in the last years of her life from your success and from her knowledge of your dedication to your valuable work here at the White House.

We hope that you may find comfort in this thought and in all the happy memories you must have, and that God may bless you with His special strength at this difficult time.

Sincerely,


Mr. Tom Charles Huston
206 Wolfe Street
Alexandria, Virginia 22314

RN: Haseklick

Approved by Ray Price.
cc: Rose Mary Woods/Eliska Hasek/Central Files
May 5, 1972

Dear Mr. President:

Many thanks for the momento of your China trip.

It's the lead elephant in the herd on my desk.

Best regards,

Herbert W. Kalmbach

The Honorable Richard M. Nixon
President
The White House
Washington, D. C.
Mr. Ralph E. Becker  
2916 Thirty-Second Street N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20008  

Dear Mr. Becker:  

John Ehrlichman has told me of your interest in making a contribution of certain Presidential Memorabilia to the Nixon Library and Museum.  

Please let me know if it would be convenient for us to get together shortly after the election. If such a meeting can be arranged, I'll call you and we can then work out a time and place.  

Thank you, Mr. Becker, for your interest. I'm looking forward to our meeting.  

Very truly yours,  

Herbert W. Kalmbach  

HMK/ah  

BCC: Mr. John D. Ehrlichman
October 11, 1972

Dear Herb:

Enclosed is a letter from Ralph Becker who, as you can see, is interested in contributing to the Nixon Library.

Would it be possible for you to respond to Ralph's letter and send me a copy of your response. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

Best personal regards.

Yours sincerely,

John D. Ehrlichman
Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs

Mr. Herbert Kalmbach
Kalmbach, DeMarco, Knapp
& Chillingworth
Suite 900 - Newport Financial Plaza
Newport Beach, California 92660

10/5 ltr. to JDE from

Ralph E. Becker
2916 Thirty-Second Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C. 20008
Mr. John D. Erlichman  
Assistant to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C.  

Dear John:  

For your info file, here is a copy of a recent internal memorandum relative to the Foundation.  

Leonard's got the ball and is moving ahead. Frank is doing the legal work. They'll all be back to you when they need some decisions. Right now they're simply getting ready.  

Regards,  

Herbert W. Kalmbach  

HWK:eb  
Attachment
July 15, 1969

Dear Mable:

Thanks very much for your report of July fifth about the rose garden at the San Clemente house.

I know you have had expenses and want you to bill the President for your services in care of

Mr. Herb Kalmbach
Attorney at Law
Kalmbach, DeMarco, Knapp & Chillingworth
Suite 900, Newport Financial Plaza
550 Newport Center Drive
Newport Beach, California 92660

Yours sincerely,

John D. Ehrlichman
Counsel to the President

Mrs. Mable Pitts
C/o Thomas D. Pitts Nursery
2661 West Third Street
Los Angeles, California 90048

BCC: Herb Kalmbach

(copy of garden plan to Larry Higby with copy of JDE letter)
September 24, 1969

Dear Herb:

The President thinks it would be a nice gesture if you were to suggest to Don Nixon that Clara Jane would be welcome to come down to San Clemente any time she wants, and cut some of the flowers there for her personal use or for gifts to old friends.

Along the same line, the President would like you to arrange to have two or three dozen fresh figs sent to him from the trees out there if it can be worked out without too much trouble.

Sorry to bother you with this, but your help will be appreciated.

Cordially,

H. R. Haldeman
Assistant to the President

Mr. Herbert Kalmbach
Suite 900, Newport Finance Plaza
550 Newport Center Drive
Newport Beach, California 92260

HRH/aej
Dear Ms. Griffith:

Thank you for your recent letter regarding President Nixon's birthplace at Yorba Linda. I regret that I was out of town on business for the President when your letter arrived, which accounts for my belated reply.

At the present time, Mr. Hurless Barton is generally looking into matters regarding historic preservation of the Yorba Linda property, so I would suggest that you make initial contact with him.

I am taking the liberty of sending copies of this letter to Mr. Barton, Mr. Leonard Firestone, President of the Richard Nixon Foundation, and Mr. Herbert Kalmbach, the Secretary of the Foundation.

Thank you very much for your interest.

With the President's every best wish, I am

Sincerely,

Edward L. Morgan
Deputy Counsel to the President

Ms. Muriel Griffith, A.I.D.
Chairman Historic Preservation
506 Acacia Avenue
Corona del Mar, California

cc: Hurless Barton
    Leonard Firestone
    Herbert Kalmbach
    Mr. Edgar M. Gillenwaters
    Assistant to the Governor
    Governor's Office
    Sacramento, California
November 10, 1969

Dear Herb:

I received recently a letter from Harrison Price, a copy of which is attached, dealing with the Nixon Library Museum.

I think you'll agree that the points Harrison makes in his letter are exactly in line with what the President was saying at our San Clemente meeting.

If you have no objection, I feel it would be worthwhile if you were to get in touch with Harrison on behalf of the foundation. His organization is admirably qualified to help us with the museum and library.

Hope all is well with you in California and look forward to seeing you sometime in the not too distant future.

Sincerely,

H.R. Haldeman
Assistant to the President

Mr. Herb Kalmbach
550 Newport Center Drive
Suite 900 Newport Finance Plaza
Newport Beach, California 92260

HRH: LH: pm
November 15, 1969

Dear Herb:

The generous support you gave to Bill Cahill's campaign had a very important influence on the results and I just wanted you to know how much I personally appreciate your help. I am sure you are as pleased with our victories in New Jersey and elsewhere as I am.

With warm personal regards,

Sincerely,

[N]

Mr. Herbert W. Kalmbach
1056 Santiago Drive
Newport Beach, California 92660

RN: Melencamp: blm
December 6, 1969

Dear Herb:

I am sorry we were unable to get together during your stay here in Washington. I hope that your visit with the President was successful and that we do have a chance to get together in the near future.

Please let me know if there are any problems that I should be aware of regarding the Foundation for California.

Should you not be back in Washington before December 25, here's wishing you and your family a very Merry Christmas.

Sincerely,

H. R. Haldeman
Assistant to the President

Mr. Herb Kalmbach
Suite 900 Newport Finance Plaza
550 Newport Center Drive
Newport Beach, California 92260

HRH: LH: pm
December 12, 1969

Dear Herb:

John asked that I forward the attached correspondence for whatever action you deem appropriate.

Many thanks.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Tod R. Hullin
Administrative Assistant to
John D. Ehrlichman

Mr. Herb Kalmbach
Suite 900, Newport Financial Plaza
550 Newport Center Drive
Newport Beach, California 92660

Enclosure
Letter of October 13 to Secretary Finch from
Leon Hyze
Leon Hyze Associates
1004 South El Camino Real
San Clemente 92672

re design of future Nixon Library and Museum
December 17, 1969

Dear Herb:

If a donor establishes a charitable trust with the unexpressed intent that a second party, let us say Mr. P, should ultimately have the right to appoint the beneficiary of the charitable trust upon the happening of some event certain, and the donor makes periodic contributions to the charitable trust, distributing only such income as the new tax bill may require to qualify, and assuming that upon the happening of the event certain Mr. P then designates that the corpus of the trust be distributed to college W for the endowment of a chair in political science what are the tax consequences to Mr. P, if any?

Let us assume that donor and Mr. P have an oral understanding as to Mr. P's right of appointment. Assume further that donor's willingness to enter into this arrangement stems from a feeling of moral obligation to Mr. P for P's generosity in the termination of a business arrangement but does not actually constitute quid pro quo or consideration in the technical sense.

I'd appreciate having your opinion on this as soon as you can conveniently provide it.

Yours sincerely,

John D. Ehrlichman
Assistant to the President
for Domestic Affairs

Mr. Herb Kalmbach
Suite 900, Newport Financial Plaza
550 Newport Center Drive
Newport Beach, California 92660

JDE:jlk
February 11, 1970

Dear Mr. Krehbiel:

Thanks for your letter of February 9. Unfortunately, my schedule indicates that I will probably not be in town on the 18th.

Nevertheless, Mr. Herbert Kalmbach is now handling a great deal of the President's personal business, and although I am not aware that Mr. Kalmbach is contemplating any large insurance increases, I would be happy to verify that with him for you.

Mr. Kalmbach's office address is:

Mr. Herbert Kalmbach
Kalmbach, DeMarco, Knapp & Chillingworth
900 Financial Plaza
500 Newport Center Drive
Newport Beach, California.

Sincerely,

Edward L. Morgan
Deputy Assistant to the President

Mr. John Krehbiel, CLU
Aetna Life and Casualty
1422 West Colorado Blvd.
Pasadena, California 91105

Dear Herb:

While Mr. Krehbiel has a few policies on the President's life, he is of the opinion that the President needs about $1 billion of insurance. I am sure you know how the President feels about life insurance. I have caused Mr. Krehbiel a few unpleasant moments by consistently turning down his "plans" for the President. I figure "forewarned is forearmed."

Edward L. Morgan
February 23, 1970

Dear Herb:

Here's a copy of a letter from the mayor of Whittier regarding the location of the Nixon Presidential Library.

I would suggest that you very discreetly call on Mayor Hofstetter and discuss the pros and cons of the Whittier location with her.

I am sure that the location would not meet the many criteria that we have discussed but I think we owe her the courtesy of a personal call.

Yours sincerely,

John D. Ehrlichman
Assistant to the President for Domestic Affairs

Mr. Herb Kalmbach
Kalmbach, DeMarco, Knapp & Chillingworth
Suite 900 - Newport Financial Plaza
550 Newport Center Drive
Newport Beach, California 92660

Enclosure

February 18 letter to the President from
Marilynn K. Hofstetter
Mayor, City of Whittier
Whittier Civic Center
13230 East Penn Street
Whittier, California 90602

bcc: Bob Haldeman (with copy of incoming)
February 24, 1970

Dear Herb:

Per our phone conversation this afternoon, attached is a check payable to the President resulting from royalty proceeds from "Six Crises" in the sum of $4,007.05.

Best personal regards,

Sincerely yours,

Tod R. Hullin
Administrative Assistant to
John D. Ehrlichman

Mr. Herb Kalmbach
Kalmbach, DeMarco, Knapp & Chillingworth
Suite 900 - Newport Financial Plaza
550 Newport Center Drive
Newport Beach, California 92660

Enclosure

TRH:jlh
May 13, 1970

Dear Herb:

John Ehrlichman asked that I forward the attached correspondence regarding the President's birthplace.

Would you please take those actions which you deem appropriate? Many thanks.

Best personal regards.

Sincerely yours,

Tod R. Hullin
Administrative Assistant to
John D. Ehrlichman

Mr. Herb Kalmbach
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& Chillingworth
Suite 900 - Newport Financial Plaza
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Enclosures
(memo from Timmons of May 11
April 27 letter to Timmons from W. H. Barton, Chairman, Nixon Birthplace Foundation, Box 402, Yorba Linda, California 92686
November 11, 1989 letter from Timmons to Charles Wiggins, Congressman
January 19, 1970 Kalmbach letter to Barton
AUGUST 24, 1970

FOR BOB HALDEMAN
BOB FINCH

RE: HELICOPTER TOUR OF NIXON LIBRARY SITE

Arrangements have been made for a helicopter tour of the Nixon Library site for Tuesday, August 25.

There will be cars available to take you from the Administration Building at 1:45 to the alterlate pad and will return to the Administration Building no later than 3:15.

Those participating in the tour will be Herb Kalmbach, Leonard Firestone, James Sink (of Pereira Associates).

John D. Ehrlichman
November 17, 1970

Dear Leonard:

It was very kind of you, Taft Schreiber and Herb Kolmbach to give me the handsome pearl cuff links and matching studs from Japan and I want to thank you for this generous gesture. I deeply appreciate being remembered in this way and am particularly happy to have this handsome gift as an expression of the warm and thoughtful friendship all of us have shared for so long.

With my gratitude and best wishes,

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Mr. Leonard K. Firestone
10375 Wilshire Boulevard
Los Angeles, California 90027

RN/lf/mek/gm

Gift
November 17, 1970

Dear Taft:

You were very kind and generous to join with Herb Kalmbach and Leonard Firestone in remembering me with the handsome pearl cuff links and matching studs from Japan. Certainly I am pleased with this handsome gift and it will often remind me of the warm and generous friendship all of us have enjoyed so long.

With deep appreciation and my best wishes,

Sincerely,

Mr. Taft B. Schreiber
Music Corporation of America
100 Universal City Plaza
Universal City, California 91603

RN/1f/mek/mw

Gift
November 17, 1970

Dear Herb:

This is just a note to thank you for the handsome pearl cuff links and matching studs you brought to the White House recently. I am delighted with this thoughtful gift from you, Leonard Firestone and Taft Schreiber and you may be sure it will often remind me of the warm and generous friendship we have shared so long.

Pat is equally pleased with the beautiful strand of pearls from Mr. J. M. Jerwood that you left for her at the same time. She joins me in sending you our deep appreciation and kindest personal regards.

Sincerely,

Mr. Herbert W. Kalmbach
550 Newport Center Drive
Newport Beach, California 92660

RN/1f/gm                Gift
December 8, 1970

Dear Bob:

Your very thoughtful invitation to make use of Ladder Ranch was passed along by Herb Kalmbach, and this is just a note to thank you for your kindness. I greatly appreciate it, and I hope to have the opportunity to take advantage of your hospitality at some time in the not too distant future.

With warm personal regards,

Sincerely,

Honorable Robert O. Anderson
Post Office Box 1000
Roswell, New Mexico

cc: Herb Kalmbach

RN:NM:blm
February 14, 1976

Mr. John D. Ehrlichman
Assistant to the President
For Domestic Affairs
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear John:

This short note is to confirm that we're having lunch together at the California Club in Los Angeles on Wednesday, March 29th (Room 205).

Besides the two of us, Leonard Firestone, Taft Schreiber and Frank DeMarco will be present.

Let me know if you want to add anyone or if you want me to bring any files.

Regards,

Herbert W. Kalmbach

HMK/ns
December 22, 1972

Dear Mr. President:

Kathleen and I enthusiastically thank you and Pat for the lovely poinsettia plant. We appreciate your thoughtfulness and generosity at this Holiday time.

This Christmas is a happy one for us now that she has just returned home after four months in the hospital.

We wish both you and your family a blessed Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,

Maurice

The President
The White House
Washington, D. C.
December 19, 1972

Dear Kathleen and Maury:

The festive Holiday Season is made all the brighter by thoughtful friends like you! Pat and I want you to know how much we appreciate the tempting miniature fruitcakes which arrived again this year on schedule. Your traditional gift is, as always, one which we especially enjoy.

Pat joins me in sending our warmest personal regards, and every good wish for Christmas and the New Year.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Honorable and Mrs. Maurice H. Stans
Watergate East
2500 Virginia Avenue, NW,
Washington, D. C. 20037

RN/If/me/k/mek

Christmas gift
November 22, 1968

Dear Peter:

I have the utmost confidence in Mr. Nixon's ability and persuasion to have the best Cabinet. Of course, we all know that his selections will have much to do with the kind of Administration we all expect him to have.

I hope that he will appoint Robert Finch as Secretary of HEW. Generally speaking, I don't think people realize how important this Department is. We certainly will have more and continuing problems in the health area. Welfare probably has been as mismanaged as anything the Government has a part in, and this includes the Poverty Program where we have certainly thrown money down a rat hole.

Having worked with Maurice Stans for the last sixteen months, I have developed the highest regard for his ability and integrity. The integrity of our fiscal and monetary program needs a man of great strength as Secretary of the Treasury. In my opinion, Maurice would make an excellent Secretary of the Treasury.

I have had the opportunity during the Campaign to become acquainted with Governor Tom Dewey. I have always been impressed with his knowledge and ability. He would certainly make a great Secretary of State, and would be able to put into effect Dick's foreign policy, which I agree with one hundred percent.

Since September of 1967 one of the real privileges I have received from this Campaign was to become better acquainted with John Mitchell. What ability and what judgment! I am always impressed with the kind of people that John has gathered around Mr. Nixon during this Campaign. I have not met one person who has had
his hand out or who has not been working unselfishly for
the main reason we have all worked, and that was to help
elect Mr. Nixon as President. A man who helped in the
selection process and kept everything in line must be in
Mr. Nixon's Cabinet. Law and Order was the main issue
of the Campaign. Our Attorney General must be a strong
man. John would make a great Attorney General, and even
though it would be a great sacrifice, he would be doing a
great service to his Country. I hope this suggestion
becomes a fact.

Of course, in the Middle West, we are interested in the
Secretary of Agriculture and this is probably the most
thankless job of all. I think this position should be filled
by a Middle Westerner in line with Mr. Nixon's pre-election
statements that he wanted a person who knew something
about agriculture, and that he would appoint a man who
would talk to him about the farm problems and not someone
to talk to the farmer about the Government's problems.
I am going to make a recommendation next week for one of
the Under-Secretaries of Agriculture, but I do not have a
candidate that I would recommend as Secretary.

It is my feeling that the Presidency of the Import-Export
Bank and the World Bank is extremely important to the
new Administration. These two banks can be most helpful
in solving our balance of payment problems and keeping
the dollar strong; also, both are extremely important in
our foreign relations and the respect that we can regain
in world affairs. In my opinion, one of the leading bankers
in the Country is George Champion. He would do a great
job as President of the World Bank.

If we get any further ideas, we will pass them along.
And, of course, you can either "take them or leave them,"
but I do have great confidence in the future. Thanks for
the lunch.

Best personal regards,

George B. Cook

GBC:nk

Mr. Peter Flanigan
Office of the President-elect
39th Floor, Pierre Hotel
New York, New York
January 17, 1969

Dear Mr. President:

Thank you so much for a most pleasant evening with Maury Stans last Monday evening in New York. It was a privilege for me to join in this tribute to Maury and I thought it was a most enjoyable party.

Also want to thank you for lending your name to the University of Southern California Associates. As Chairman of the Board of Trustees, it meant a great deal to me personally and also the University.

Jane joins me in sending our warmest wishes and congratulations.

Kindest regards and good luck!

The President
Richard M. Nixon
The White House
Washington, D. C.
January 15, 1969

The Honorable Richard M. Nixon
President-Elect of the United States
450 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10022

Dear Dick:

This being the last time I will be able to address you in such familiar terms, I just wanted to thank you for the fine invitation to attend the Stans dinner. It was extremely enjoyable.

Best regards,

Bert S. Cross

BSC:brl
December 9, 1968

TO: Richard M. Nixon

FROM: Maurice H. Stans

You are going to be invited to attend the dedication of the Lincoln Center campus of Fordham University in New York on May sixteenth.

I would not ordinarily call this to your attention except for the fact that one of the invitees is John Mulcahy, whom as you know is a major contributor.

[On the assumption that you are not able to attend, I hope that your staff will arrange to see that his participation in the invitation is acknowledged.]
Mr. E. H. Lane
The Lane Company, Inc.
Altavista, Virginia 24511

Dear Mr. Lane:

Thank you for your letter of November 22. It merit to what you say, and I hope that you will have a chance to talk to Mr. Nixon personally.

However, I suggest that you postpone your request for a meeting until after the Inauguration when you can perhaps visit with him in the White House or attend some affair there that would give you the opportunity of seeing him.

I am sure you understand that right now he is devoting all his time to the selection of a Cabinet.

Sincerely,

Maurice H. Stans
Chairman

MHS:cb

I am sending Mr. Nixon a copy of your letter - and you might also want to write him directly with any suggestions.
MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Maurice Stans
    Robert C. Mardian

FROM: January 14, 1969
    Charles W. Whitehouse

RE: Your letter to John Mitchell relative to Mr. Charles Whitehouse was forwarded to me by John. We will attempt to locate his resume if he has one on file, and see that he is given the very best exposure to Secretary-Designate Rogers.

If a recommendation has not been sent to us, I would suggest that you ask him to send one to Harry Fleming at the earliest possible time.
TO: John Mitchell  
FROM: Maurice H. Stans

Charles Whitehouse is a Grade I foreign service officer in the State Department. He is highly rated by Wiley Buchanan and by Harry Stimpson. Whitehouse was very helpful to us in the course of the campaign, and I suggest that notation of this fact be made so that his position can be given some protection.

M.H.S.

cc: Robert Finch

Postscript: He was a classmate at the Naval War College. Good guy!
November 18, 1968

Honorable Richard N. Nixon
350 Park Avenue
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Nixon:

I write to encourage the appointment of Mr. Maurice Stans as Secretary of the Treasury in your administration.

Our country demands honesty and integrity, along with ability, for this most important position. We have been deprived of these attributes for the past three years. The low regard in which our word in fiscal and monetary affairs is held throughout the world is an eloquent tribute to the deceit and total lack of ability and integrity from Messrs. Fowler, Demming and Wallace.

Mr. Stans has a demonstrated record of ability and integrity, coupled with a realistic approach to the monetary problems of today. I would ask you to remember that it is the New York banking community and their unrealistic advice who have contributed to the unrest in the world today, and I would ask you to look elsewhere for your senior financial advice.

As a Republican, a Nixon supporter since 1952, and a member of RN Associates, I am most pleased with your victory and I offer you every good wish.

Sincerely yours,

Robert B. Gillespie

Robert B. Gillespie, Finance Chairman, Hartford Bldg., Dallas, Texas 75201 / T. Gayle Phillips, Director of Finance, 5738 North Central Expressway, Dallas, Texas 75206
Geo. Cook, Chairman of Bankers Life
and Nebraska Nixon Chairman
recommends Maurice Stans
for Sec. of Treasury.
Under Secretary of Defense and
Secretary of Treasury - M.H.Stans
(recommended by J.Milbank)