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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 19, 1977

GROUNDBREAKING FOR AIR AND INDUSTRIAL MUSEUM

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Jimmy Carter

X

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

8/16/77

TO : Jody

FROM: Carolyn Shields
Secy. to Jody Powell

Bill Drummond sez all of the attached is really all right -- wants your approval of the Presidential message before it goes to Hutcheson for clearance as a Presidential message. Has checked with Defense -- they are backing the efforts of the Tuskegee people to set up the museum in this man's honor.

Rick-

*Received this at 2:15 PM
needed for ceremony at 4:30 P.M.
Since I had clearance from
Jody, Jim Fallows office &
Defense I told Telegraph office
it was OK to send.*

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MEMORANDUM

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 16, 1977

TO: BILL DRUMMOND

FROM: JERRY DOOLITTLE, Speechwriting *JD*

SUBJECT: Tuskegee Museum

Achsah Nesmith prepared this draft telegram for the Tuskegee Air and Industrial Museum groundbreaking. I send it along to you for transmittal to Rick Hutcheson for proper Presidential message clearance.

TO: Mr. Charles Wallace
P.O. Box 29
Tuskegee, Alabama 36083

MESSAGE FOR GROUNDBREAKING OF AIR AND INDUSTRIAL MUSEUM

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JIMMY CARTER

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Bob Lipshutz:

The attached proclamation was signed by the President and the original given to Bob Linder for appropriate handling.

Rick Hutcheson

Re: World Law Day Proclamation

X

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 17, 1977

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ROBERT LIPSHUTZ *RL*

SUBJECT: Proposed Proclamation Entitled
World Law Day, 1977

The proposed proclamation proclaims Sunday, August 21, 1977, as World Law Day, 1977, and calls for its appropriate observance. This date corresponds to the inauguration of the Eighth World Conference on World Peace Through Law in Manila under the Center's sponsorship. Although there is no statutory basis for its issuance, similar proclamations were issued in 1965, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971 and 1975.

The Department of Justice, OMB and I recommend that you sign the attached proclamation.

Attachment

WORLD LAW DAY, 1977

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

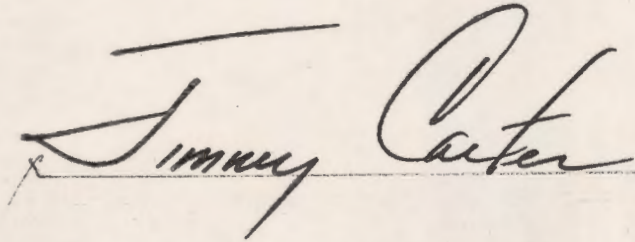
A PROCLAMATION

The past twenty-five years have been marked by the unprecedented development of international law as nations have come to recognize that cooperation in international relations is the only alternative to chaos. This cooperation depends upon mutual respect, which in turn depends upon the development of legal norms upon which all parties can rely with confidence. These norms must be responsive to each nation's legitimate interests, must respect the feelings and beliefs of all peoples, and must foster a climate of justice and liberty in which each individual on this planet can achieve his or her full potential.

Representatives of the legal profession from every corner of the globe will gather in Manila during the week of August 21, 1977, under the auspices of the World Peace Through Law Center, to inaugurate the Eighth World Conference on World Peace Through Law. Together they will search for ways to further universal human liberty and security. Celebrations devoted to international legal protections for human rights will be held not only in Manila, but in more than one hundred countries. Accordingly, it is fitting that the United States join in this effort to focus the world's attention on the pressing need for continued vigilance in protecting fundamental rights and freedoms for all.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JIMMY CARTER, President of the United States of America, do hereby designate Sunday, August 21, 1977, as World Law Day in the United States. I call upon all public and private officials and organizations, members of the legal profession, the clergy, educators, the communications media, and all men and women of good will to join with the peoples of the world on this day in reflecting on the importance of the rule of law in achieving world peace as well as justice, freedom and dignity for all.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this
day of , in the year of our Lord
nineteen hundred seventy-seven, and of the Independence of
the United States of America the two hundred and second.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jimmy Carter". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

TELEGRAPH OFFICE

Attached messages approved by
Congressional Liaison, Hamilton
Jordan, NSC. and Susan Clough.

Please dispatch immediately.

Rick Hutcheson
Rick Hutcheson
X7052
8/19/77 *BBJ*

x

(Draft of text of telegram to be sent to Senator Hatfield)

Dear Mark,

I appreciate your warm endorsement of the agreement in principle Ambassadors Bunker and Linowitz have reached with Panama. As you indicated, the new treaties will protect the neutrality of the Panama Canal and will guarantee continued, unimpeded access through the waterway for our warships and merchant vessels. Clearly, this issue is not a partisan one, and we will need substantial support from both Republicans and Democrats to win approval of the treaties. Thus, I am particularly grateful that you and other Republican leaders have generously offered your support for this effort. ~~You will be sent~~ texts of both treaties ^{will be sent to you upon} ~~when they are completed.~~

The Honorable Mark O. Hatfield
Pioneer Courthouse
Room 107
Portland, Oregon 97204

(Draft of text of telegram to be sent to Senator Hayakawa)

Dear Senator Hayakawa:

I appreciate your encouraging statement of support for the agreement in principle we have reached with Panama. Ambassadors Bunker and Linowitz have succeeded in negotiating an agreement that will guarantee continued, unhindered access to the Canal for our warships and merchant vessels, while contributing to improved relations throughout Latin America. Consequently, I am particularly heartened that you and other Republican leaders have studied the agreement carefully and have decided to offer your support in the difficult but very important effort to obtain its approval. The texts of the treaties embodying the agreement in principle will be sent to you as soon as they are completed so that you may review them further.

The Honorable S. I. Hayakawa
225 Eldridge Avenue
Mill Valley, California 94941