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SELECT COMMITTEE ON STATE CONTRACT PRACTICES

August 13, 1974

Mr. Robert P. Kagan, Esquire
Assistant Minority Counsel
Select Committee on State Contract Practices
Room 322, Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Bob:

I am in receipt of your letter of August 12, 1974.

Our investigators are deployed as follows for this week. Cambria County, based at the Johnstown Sheraton Motor Inn, are:

M. Herrick	D. Payne
R. Nick	W. Jenkins
N. Maile	B. Shettel
E. Reider	G. Liddick

Montour County, based at the Holiday Inn in Danville, are the following:

J. Burfete	D. Sitler
R. Mattis	C. Pesnaski
G. Crego	D. Lightner
D. Stevenson	K. Baugher

The interviews in Cambria County are based on the PennDOT and Attorney General's investigations of the years 1968 and 1972. Those in Montour County are based on the newspaper reports, which were submitted on the record at a previous meeting.

As I have indicated to you on previous occasions, I do not have information about who is specifically being interviewed, where the interviews are taking place, and I believe that the explanation above gives a general indication of the subject matter of the proposed interviews.

Additionally, at the present time, Edward Hussie and Garry Esworthy are engaged in an investigation of the General State Authority. That investigation being based here in Harrisburg.

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As of this date, I have no knowledge of proposed plans for next week. Once I become aware of such knowledge, I will be pleased to make you aware of the schedule at that time.

Cordially,



William R. Powell
Special Assistant to the Majority

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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HARRISBURG

August 5, 1974

Honorable Patrick A. Gleason
House of Representatives
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Gleason:

Pursuant to the motion made by Mr. Ustynoski on July 24, 1974 which was unanimously agreed to (see pages 93, 94 & 95 of the transcript of July 24, 1974) I have been authorized to request from you the information which is to be made available to the minority members of the Committee. We would appreciate having this information made available, to us on or before the executive session of the Committee meeting of August 7, 1974.

Cordially,

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Robert P. Kagan, Esq.
Assistant Minority Counsel

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cc: All Committee members

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August 5, 1974

Michael Willman, Special Counsel
Select Committee on State Contract Practices
288 Main Capitol Building
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

Dear Mike:

It was with some interest that I noted Chairman Gleason's correspondence with U. S. Attorney Beall. As you may know, the members of the minority staff have an interest in this investigation also, and we would appreciate it if you would inform us as to when you are going to meet with Mr. Beall or his designee so that we may make plans to attend what promises to be some most important conversations and discussions.

Cordially,

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
HARRISBURG

September 30, 1974

Honorable Patrick A. Gleason
House of Representatives
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Pat:

Please be advised that the members of the minority have asked me to request of you schedules of committee investigators from the present until the Committee's jurisdiction runs out. We would like as much advance notice on schedules for interviews as possible but would accept any notice which would give us the opportunity to be present at all interviews to be conducted by staff investigators.

I am sure that the lack of this type of information has been a mere oversight on your part, and I am also sure you will continue to honor your previous promises made on this point.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Kagan, Esq.

cc: Committee members

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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July 31, 1974

Mr. William Powell
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Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Dear Bill:

Could you please send me any information that you have concerning the schedule of your investigators for the next two weeks. If possible, I would like the list to include the name of the investigator, whom he is to interview, where the interview is to take place and what the subject matter of the proposed interview is to be.

I would appreciate your furnishing me with this itinerary by tomorrow so that I may be able to schedule myself accordingly.

Cordially,

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Mr. John Willman
Mr. Steven Freind