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The Honorable William H. Webster
Director, Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, DC 20505

Dear Judge Webster;

Ambassador Sam H. Zakhem, former U.S. Ambassador to Bahrain, and current President of the Freedom Task Force, an ad hoc coalition of conservatives that ardently support President Bush's Persian Gulf policy, would like to meet with you to discuss his current efforts. Anthony M. Fabrizio, President of Multi-Media, a consultant to the Freedom Task Force, would like to accompany him. If convenient, they would like an appointment for either January 3 or 4, 1990.

Because of Zakhem's foreign policy experience, his knowledge of the Persian Gulf and his cultural ties, he has been very outspoken about the importance of our commitment to freedom in the region. He has appeared as a guest on numerous network television and radio programs, and has written extensively on the subject articulating these views.

The Freedom Task Force is launching an intensive lobbying campaign to sustain grassroots support for the President. In the next month it will concentrate its efforts on those members of the House and Senate that fail to support our present policy. Ambassador Zakhem will be personally meeting with many lawmakers to apprise them of his insights into the region. Your perspectives would be most appreciated.

I will contact your office next week to see if those dates would be convenient in your busy schedule. Thank you for your consideration. I am,

Very truly yours,



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