

THE WHITE HOUSE  
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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DATE RECEIVED: APRIL 10, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: MS. FRAN BERGER

SUBJECT: ENCLOSURES A COPY OF A RESOLUTION URGING THE  
CONGRESS TO ENACT A 1% SURCHARGE ON KUWAITI  
REBUILDING PROJECTS TO BENEFIT VETERANS'  
HOSPITALS

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*F-FURNISH FACT SHEET	*S-SUSPENDED	*COMPLETED = DATE OF	*
*I-INFO COPY/NO ACT NEC*		* OUTGOING	*
*R-DIRECT REPLY W/COPY *			*
*S-FOR-SIGNATURE *			*
*X-INTERIM REPLY *			*

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LETTER AT ALL TIMES AND SEND COMPLETED RECORD TO RECORDS  
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April 15, 1991

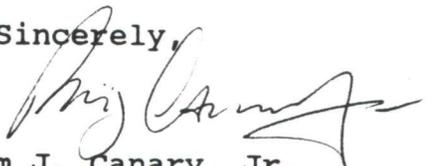
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With best wishes to you and the Legislature,

Sincerely,



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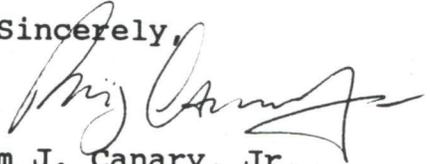
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*B. Canary*

The Hon. George H. Bush  
The President of the United States  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Re: Res. No. 215 - Memorializing the Congress to Enact a One-  
Percent Surcharge on Kuwaiti Rebuilding Projects to  
Benefit Veterans' Hospitals

Dear President Bush:

The attached resolution was adopted by the Legislature of  
Rockland County at its meeting on April 2, 1991.

We would appreciate your using your good offices to implement  
the intent of this resolution.

Very truly yours,

Fran Berger  
Clerk to the Legislature

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Introduced by:

Hon. Stanley H. Dworkin  
Hon. Harriet Cornell

Referral No. 8727  
April 2, 1991

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RESOLUTION NO. 215 OF 1991  
MEMORIALIZING THE CONGRESS TO ENACT A  
ONE-PERCENT SURCHARGE ON KUWAITI REBUILDING  
PROJECTS TO BENEFIT VETERANS' HOSPITALS

**Darden/Dworkin/Cornell/unanimous**

WHEREAS, the dazzling success of Operation Desert Storm has instilled pride in our country and our military; and

WHEREAS, patriotic displays and showings of support have only fleeting value to the thousands of wounded and disabled veterans who receive care from our veterans' hospitals; and

WHEREAS, numerous U.S. corporations will be engaged in the rebuilding of Kuwait, a project which will pour billions of dollars into their treasuries; and

WHEREAS, the imposition of a one-percent surcharge on those contracts (which will in all likelihood be passed along to the Kuwaitis) to be set aside for the benefit of veterans' hospitals would significantly improve the care given to our veterans at no cost to the American taxpayer or consumer; and

WHEREAS, the Multi-Services Committee of this Legislature has met, considered and unanimously approved this resolution, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the Rockland County Legislature hereby memorializes the Congress to enact a one-percent surcharge on Kuwaiti rebuilding projects to benefit our veterans' hospitals; and, be it further

RESOLVED, that the Clerk to the Legislature be and hereby is directed to send a certified copy of this resolution to President George H.W. Bush; the Hon. Daniel Patrick Moynihan and Hon. Alfonse D'Amato, United States Senators; the Hon. Benjamin Gilman, United States Representative; the Speaker of the House of Representatives; the President Pro Tem of the United States Senate; and the Majority and Minority Leaders of the United States Senate and House of Representatives, and to such other persons as the Clerk may deem appropriate.

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STATE OF NEW YORK )  
COUNTY OF ROCKLAND ) SS.:

I, the undersigned, Clerk to the Legislature of the County of Rockland, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the above is an original resolution of such Legislature, duly adopted on the 2nd day of April 19 91, by a majority of the members elected to the Legislature while such Legislature was in regular session with a duly constituted quorum of members present and voting.

I FURTHER CERTIFY that at the time said resolution was adopted, said Legislature was comprised of twenty-one members.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of said Legislature this

3rd day of April 19 91.

*[Signature]*  
Clerk  
County Legislature  
County of Rockland

Date signed by County Executive April 3, 1991

*[Signature]*  
Certified and Approved  
JOHN F. GRANT  
RESOLUTION NO. 215 OF 1991  
County Executive, County of Rockland  
Date 4/5/91