

THE WHITE HOUSE
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: MARCH 06, 1991

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: RABBI ARTHUR F. STARR

SUBJECT: FORWARDS COPY OF LETTER SENT TO THE KUWAITI
AMBASSADOR

ACTION DISPOSITION

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*C-COMMENT/RECOM       *B-NON-SPEC-REFERRAL *           OF SIGNER  *
*D-DRAFT RESPONSE      *C-COMPLETED        *           CODE = A   *
*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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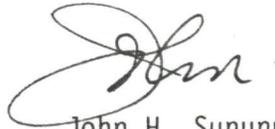
March 21, 1991

Dear Arthur,

Thank you for sharing with me a copy of your letter to the Kuwait Ambassador.

I certainly hope all is well with you. Please give my regards to everyone in New Hampshire!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sununu", with a large, sweeping flourish that loops back under the name.

John H. Sununu
Chief of Staff

Rabbi Arthur F. Starr
Temple Adath Yeshurun
152 Prospect Street
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Arthur F. Starr, Rabbi

March 1, 1991

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Dear John:

The enclosed letter was sent to the Kuwaiti Ambassador. I am sharing it with you in the hope of creating an impetus for dialogue. I hope you will share it with the President. Know that I am happy to help in any way I can.

Sincerely,

Arthur F. Starr
Rabbi

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Arthur F. Starr, Rabbi

February 28, 1991

Your Excellency:

I am writing this letter to you after shedding many tears of joy watching the Kuwaitis enter Kuwait City and reclaim their country. I share, unashamedly, my joy in this wonderful result of cooperation among so many countries and people. Indeed, I have felt the pain of your exile from your homeland, the cruelty so many of your fellow citizens have endured and the loss of so many Kuwaiti lives.

I write this letter to you as a Jew who has rejoiced in your return. The Kuwaitis (and the Saudis) have suffered from the actions of Saddam Hussein's whim, his military actions, his scud missiles aimed at civilian population centers. So, too, have the Israelis, as you are well aware, been victims of his destruction. They, like you, have been prey to his violence and cruelty. I pray that your common suffering might be the grounds of your meeting together - perhaps, not in friendship at first, but at least in compassion for the sufferings you each know only too well.

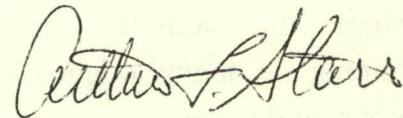
Would not all of Saddam Hussein's designs be thwarted if the Kuwaitis and the Saudis took the lead in establishing relations among all of the countries in the area. Certainly you know as well as anyone the horrors of hatred and the benefits of peaceful cooperation. Together, recognizing the integrity of each and every nation and peoples, you can begin the forging of lasting peace and security in the region - resolving such long-standing questions as self-

government for Palestinians in their own land, without terrorism and war.

I hope that the One to whom we turn for blessings, the One we call by different names - El, Alla, God - will hear our prayers for peace and give us the courage to seek peace, and to work for it, for all who have suffered unjustly.

My congratulations to you and your countrymen and my prayers for us all are conveyed

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ARTHUR F. STARR
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