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THE WHITE HOUSE  
CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

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INCOMING

DATE RECEIVED: AUGUST 08, 1990

NAME OF CORRESPONDENT: THE HONORABLE STEPHEN L. NEAL

SUBJECT: SUPPORTS THE PRESIDENT'S EFFORTS TO DISLODGE  
SADDAM HUSSEIN FROM KUWAIT AND URGES THE  
ENERGY DEPARTMENT TO INVESTIGATE THE SUDDEN  
RUNUP OF RETAIL GASOLINE PRICES

ROUTE TO: OFFICE/AGENCY (STAFF NAME)	ACTION		DISPOSITION	
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LETTER AT ALL TIMES AND SEND COMPLETED RECORD TO RECORDS  
MANAGEMENT.

August 9, 1990

Dear Congressman Neal:

Thank you for your recent letter to the President regarding the Iraqi invasion of Kuwait.

We appreciate being apprised of your support for the President's response to the invasion and of your concerns regarding increases in the price of oil. Please know that your comments have been shared with the President. Additionally, I have taken the liberty of providing your remarks to the President's national security and energy policy advisors so that they, too, are aware of your concerns about possible price-gouging.

Thank you again for your interest in writing.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Frederick D. McClure  
Assistant to the President  
for Legislative Affairs

The Honorable Stephen L. Neal  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

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bcc: w/ copy of inc to Dept. of Energy - for appropriate action  
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**Congress of the United States**  
**House of Representatives**

*F. McClure*

STEVE NEAL  
5TH DISTRICT, NORTH CAROLINA

August 6, 1990

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

Dear Mr. President:

I strongly support your efforts to dislodge Saddam Hussein from Kuwait and to stop him from invading Saudi Arabia. This madman could do great damage to the world economy if he gained control of the Mideast oil supply. Your firm response to the Iraqi moves is appreciated.

On another issue, Mr. President, I urge that you ask the Department of Energy to investigate the sudden runup of retail gasoline prices that began almost immediately after Iraq invaded Kuwait. It looks like price-gouging to my constituents and to me. If so, it should not be tolerated.

Sincerely,

STEPHEN L. NEAL  
U.S. Congressman

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