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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 21, 1996

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ACTION

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: ANTHONY LAKI ✓
SUBJECT: Letter to Ned McGinley

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Purpose

To respond to a letter from Ned McGinley, National Director of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in America.

Background

Mr. McGinley wrote to you expressing concern over the deteriorating situation in Northern Ireland.

RECOMMENDATION

That you sign the letter at Tab A.

Attachments

Tab A Letter to Mr. McGinley
Tab B Incoming correspondence

cc: Vice President
Chief of Staff

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WASHINGTON

Dear Mr. McGinley:

Thank you for your letter concerning the peace process in Northern Ireland. We too hope that, as the "marching season" concludes, calm and increasing tolerance and understanding will develop between the communities. I was encouraged by the common sense and goodwill shown by many people on both sides in avoiding confrontation over the weekend of August 10.

I believe that the Belfast talks that will reconvene September 9 offer the best way forward toward a just and lasting settlement. Both the Irish and the British governments have made clear that Sinn Fein cannot participate in the talks until the IRA reinstates its ceasefire. That is also the position of the other parties involved in the talks. I support their position.

I am proud that Senator Mitchell and his colleagues are once again making an important contribution to the peace process, this time through their roles in the Belfast talks. Senator Mitchell is acting in a personal capacity at the request of the British and Irish governments; I believe he is doing an excellent job of trying to build bridges between representatives of communities that hitherto have been far too isolated from one another. His work with the political parties in Belfast can do much to build trust and hope for the future.

You can remain confident that this Administration will continue to take an abiding interest in a land that has given our own country so much talent, creativity and energy.

Sincerely,

Bill Clinton

Mr. Edward McGinley



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