

International Association of Machinists
and Aerospace Workers, AFL-CIO



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DAYTON, OHIO 45404

June 2, 1980

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

The members of Local Lodge 225 hereby express our appreciation for your generous contribution to our membership during our recent strike against McCauley Accessory Division of The Cessna Aircraft Company. It is indeed gratifying to know that you cared enough to support your brothers and sisters at this critical time.

The McCauley employees have now returned to work, and we want you to know that your contribution was a great help both financially and in boosting morale during the thirteen week strike, which resulted in what we consider a fair and equitable contract.

Again, thank you for your assistance in this matter.

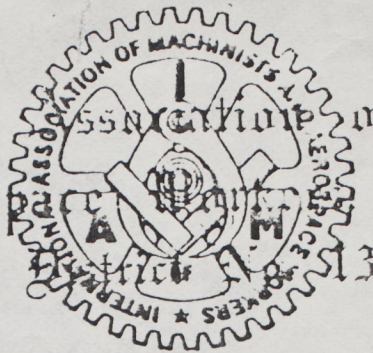
Fraternally yours,

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July 23, 1980

TO: IAM&AW DISTRICT LODGES AND LOCAL LODGES
FROM: JAMES RONTO, BR, DISTRICT 13
SUBJECT: PETITIONS

ENCLOSED ARE COPIES OF TWO DIFFERENT PETITIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN INITIATED BY DISTRICT 13. WE ARE INTERESTED IN GETTING SIGNATURES COLLECTED ON THESE PETITIONS ACROSS THE ENTIRE UNITED STATES IN AN EFFORT TO GET THE MESSAGE TO CONGRESS THAT WE EXPECT SOME ACTION ON THESE DEMANDS PRIOR TO THE NOVEMBER 1980 ELECTION OR WE, THE PEOPLE, JUST MAY VOTE ALL INCUMBENTS OUT OF OFFICE.

ONE PETITION DEALS WITH REFUGEES AND ILLEGAL ALIENS, ALONG WITH A FEW OTHER ITEMS, ALL DESIGNED TO SAVE AMERICAN JOBS FOR AMERICANS. THE OTHER PETITION DEALS WITH OUR TAX SYSTEM WHICH PLACES MOST OF THE TAX BURDEN ON THE WORKING MAN, AND ASKS FOR A PERCENTAGE TAX ACROSS-THE-BOARD FOR EVERY DOLLAR INCOME OF EVERY CITIZEN AND EVERY BUSINESS, THEREBY REDUCING TAXES OF THE WORKING MAN.

IF YOU AND YOUR MEMBERSHIP ARE IN AGREEMENT WITH THE PETITIONS, IT WOULD BE APPRECIATED IF YOU WOULD COLLECT SIGNATURES AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE AND FORWARD TO INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT WILLIAM WINPISINGER. WE WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE BEING ADVISED AS TO HOW MANY SIGNATURES YOUR LODGE HAS COLLECTED. PLEASE NOTE ALSO THAT SIGNATURES DO NOT NECESSARILY HAVE TO BE LIMITED TO UNION MEMBERS.

WE CERTAINLY DO THANK YOU FOR YOUR EFFORTS AND YOUR SUPPORT IN THIS ENDEAVOR. HOWEVER, TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE AND WE MUST WORK QUICKLY IF WE ARE TO SUCCEED.

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JAMES RONTO, BR
DISTRICT 13

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ENCLOSURES

PS: FOR ADDITIONAL SIGNATURES, PLEASE ATTACH AS MANY SHEETS AS NECESSARY TO THE ORIGINAL, ALWAYS KEEPING THE PETITION ITSELF ON TOP.

P E T I T I O N

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED CITIZENS AND TAXPAYERS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, DEMAND IMMEDIATE ACTION ON THE FOLLOWING:

LEGISLATION, WITH STRICT ENFORCEMENT, TO PREVENT FURTHER UNLAWFUL ENTRY OF ILLEGAL ALIENS INTO THIS COUNTRY, AND THAT THERE BE A RETURN TO A VERY LIMITED, STRICTLY ENFORCED, IMMIGRATION QUOTA SYSTEM;

THAT EXPENDITURE OF OUR TAX DOLLARS (INCLUDING, BUT NOT EXCLUSIVE OF, SOCIAL SECURITY, WELFARE, FOOD STAMPS, GIFTS, GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS, AND/OR SUPPORT OF ANY KIND) FOR THE BENEFIT OF ILLEGAL ALIENS CEASE IMMEDIATELY;

THAT ALL ILLEGAL ALIENS (INCLUDING, BUT NOT EXCLUSIVE OF, THE RECENT CUBAN INFLUX), WITHOUT EXCEPTION, BE IMMEDIATELY DEPORTED;

IMMEDIATE LEGISLATION, WITH FULL, COMPLETE, AND SWIFT ENFORCEMENT, TO FINE ANY COMPANY, CORPORATION, BUSINESS, AND/OR INDIVIDUAL NOT LESS THAN \$10,000 PER ALIEN EMPLOYEE, WITH EACH DAY OF EMPLOYMENT CONSIDERED A SEPARATE OFFENSE, TO STEM THE FLOW OF ILLEGAL ALIENS;

CEASE ISSUANCE OF SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBERS TO ALIENS, AND RECALL THOSE SOCIAL SECURITY CARDS ALREADY ISSUED TO ALIENS;

LIMIT FOREIGN STUDENTS TO FOUR (4) YEARS OF STUDY IN THIS COUNTRY, WITH NO SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, ETC. AWARDED SUCH STUDENTS; ADMISSION ONLY UNDER QUOTA SYSTEM IN DIRECT RATIO TO A VERY LIMITED IMMIGRATION SYSTEM AND ONLY FROM COUNTRIES ON FRIENDLY TERMS WITH THE UNITED STATES; TO RETURN TO NATIVE COUNTRY FORTHWITH AT COMPLETION OF STUDIES;

LEGISLATION TO STOP RUNAWAY COMPANIES FROM MOVING OUTSIDE THE UNITED STATES, THUS TAKING AWAY AMERICAN JOBS, AND/OR APPLICATION OF HIGH IMPORT TARIFF ON THE PRODUCTS OF RUNAWAY COMPANIES TO DISCOURAGE THE IMPORT THEREOF.

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PETITION

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED CITIZEN TAXPAYERS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, DEMAND LEGISLATION TO EFFECTUATE, PRIOR TO THE NOVEMBER 1980 ELECTION, THE FOLLOWING:

1. EXPUNGEMENT OF ENTIRE PRESENT GRADUATED TAX SYSTEM; TAX EVERY PERSON (WHETHER ON WELFARE, IN LOW, MEDIAN, HIGH, OR STRATOSPHERICAL INCOME LEVELS) AND EVERY BUSINESS, COMPANY, CORPORATION, ETC., AT A STRAIGHT PERCENTAGE ON EVERY DOLLAR INCOME ACROSS-THE-BOARD, WITH NO EXCEPTIONS, LOOPHOLES, AND/OR ABATEMENT, THEREBY TAXING ALL AT THEIR FAIR SHARE IN RELATION TO BENEFITS RECEIVED AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH INCOME AND ABILITY TO PAY, THUS RELIEVING THE MIDDLE-INCOME TAXPAYER FROM CARRYING THE MAJOR PART OF THE TAX BURDEN; RESULT: LOWER PERCENTAGE TAX RATE;
2. CONFINE PERCENTAGE OF ACROSS-THE-BOARD INCOME TAX ABOVE TO THAT NECESSARY TO MAINTAIN A BALANCED BUDGET;
3. REQUIRE ALL GOVERNMENTS (FEDERAL THROUGH LOCAL GOVERNMENTS) TO MAINTAIN BALANCED BUDGETS; TO REDUCE RATHER THAN CONSTANTLY EXPAND GOVERNMENT; TO WITHDRAW GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS AND INTERVENTION IN PRODUCTION OF GOODS AND SERVICES BY PRIVATE INDUSTRY, SUCH AS ENERGY-RELATED BUSINESSES, WHICH CAUSE INCREASED PRICES AND NEGATE COMPETITION IN THE MARKET PLACE;
4. WITH EXCEPTION OF AGED, DISABLED, AND CHILDREN UNDER AGE OF 16, REQUIRE EVERY EVERY WELFARE RECIPIENT, AS A PREREQUISITE FOR RECEIVING WELFARE BENEFITS, TO WORK FORTY (40) HOURS PER WEEK, WITH A MAXIMUM OF SIX (6) MONTHS' WELFARE BENEFITS, DURING WHICH TIME THEY SHALL MAKE A DILIGENT EFFORT (WITH PROOF THEREOF) TO OBTAIN REGULAR EMPLOYMENT;
5. CHANGE SOCIAL SECURITY TAX TO STRAIGHT PERCENTAGE OF EVERY DOLLAR INCOME, THEREBY EFFECTING A REDUCTION IN THE PERCENTAGE RATE, WITH ALL WORKERS, INCLUDING GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES, REQUIRED TO PAY INTO SOCIAL SECURITY REGARDLESS OF ELIGIBILITY FOR ANY OTHER PENSION OR RETIREMENT FUND;
6. CEASE ALL GIFTS, GRANTS, GIVE-AWAYS, EXPORTS OF FREE FOOD AND MEDICINES, NUCLEAR MATERIALS AND TECHNOLOGY TO UNFRIENDLY FOREIGN NATIONS AND/OR HEADS OF FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS AND, IN PARTICULAR, FOREIGN AID TO OIL-RICH NATIONS WHICH ARE BLEEDING THIS COUNTRY FOR OIL. WE CANNOT BUY FRIENDS; WE MERELY BREED THEIR CONTEMPT.

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