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TALKING POINTS PREPARED FOR
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- MY SECOND FAVORITE SENATOR
- TRULY MADE HIS MARK ON THIS COUNTRY AND NOW SEEKS YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT TO WIN RE-ELECTION.
- WHAT DOES LEADERSHIP INVOLVE?
 - o HAVING THE COURAGE OF YOUR CONVICTIONS - COURAGE, FORTITUDE, GRIT.
 - o THOSE 8, YEARS, 4 IN SOLITARY CONFINEMENT
 - o STANDS UP TO TOUGH ISSUES, MAKES HARD DECISIONS.
- BRINGING EXPERIENCE AND WISDOM TO BEAR ON TOUGH PROBLEMS THAT STRETCH YOU TO VERY LIMIT OF YOUR BEING.
- NO ONE HAS MORE TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE BIG ISSUES CONFRONTING THIS NATION THAN JEREMIAH DENTON.
- NATIONAL DEFENSE - 34 YEARS IN THE NAVY, RANK OF ADMIRAL - ONE OF FEW WHO'S TRACKING KEY PROCUREMENTS IN DEFENSE AREA, KNOWS WHAT ADVERSARIES THINKING.
- WHO UNDERSTANDS FAR BETTER THAN MOST THE THREAT OF RUSSIA; HOW THEY THINK, THE CRUCIAL NATURE OF STRONG NATIONAL DEFENSE (15% OF GNP, 6%) (HAD TO RETHINK FEDERAL ROLE IN TRANSPORTATION.)
- I'VE JUST SIGNED ORDERS FOR MAJOR REVIEW OF SECURITY AT ALL AIRPORTS.
- NO STONE UNDERTURNED.
- ACTIVE ON VICE PRESIDENT'S TASK FORCE ON TERRORISM.

- KNOW THAT VICE PRESIDENT AND ADMIRAL HOLLOWAY, DIRECTOR OF TASK FORCE, LOOK TO DENTON FOR ADVICE AND COUNSEL. WHY? SEN. DENTON UNDERSTANDS TERRORISM IN CONTEXT: IT'S A NETWORK, AN INTEGRATED SYSTEM.
- IT'S LIKE A DISEASE.
- DRUG SMUGGLING.
- JEREMIAH DENTON HAS ALREADY MADE ENORMOUS CONTRIBUTIONS IN AREA OF SECURITY.
- HE UNDERSTANDS WHERE THE PROBLEMS ARE.
- HE'S IN A UNIQUE POSITION TO CONTRIBUTE MIGHTILY IN CRUCIAL AREAS FOREIGN AFFAIRS, SECURITY, DEFENSE.
- SENSITIVITY TO PEOPLE
- SUPERB REPRESENTATIVE OF PEOPLE OF ALABAMA.
- AS SECRETARY TRANSPORTATION, I KNOW!
- (INSERT -- AGRIC.?)
- MAN OF GREAT COURAGE, CONVICTION, WISDOM, EXPERIENCE, SENSITIVITY...AND FAITH - RONALD REAGAN OR ISAIAH.
- LOOKS TO SOURCE OF STRENGTH BEYOND HIMSELF
- WHEN STEPPED OFF THAT 1ST PLANE: HONORED TO HAVE HAD OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE OUR COUNTRY.
- WE'RE HONORED TO HAVE HIM SERVING!