

United States Senate  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20510

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Honorable John Herrington  
Director  
Presidential Personnel  
The White House  
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear John:

There has apparently been some reported confusion as to the extent of my support for the reappointment of John Evans to the SEC. I want it to be clearly understood that I am in full support of his reappointment and am not in favor of the appointment of any current staff member in his place.

I understand the press quoted a staff member of mine as saying that he wasn't sure of my support for Evans. I have not been able to discover who was supposed to have said that, but it is not accurate. Only my Administrative Assistant/Personal Counsel, Frank Madsen, has the authority to speak for me in these matters, and he made no such statement.

Please accept this letter as a reiteration of my support.

Sincerely,

Orrin G. Hatch  
United States Senator

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