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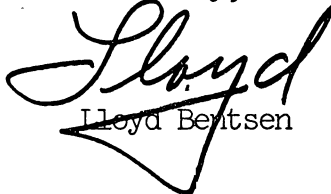
The Honorable Jerry Apodaca
Chairman
National Issues Council
237 East Palace
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Dear Jerry:

Just a short note to say I was very pleased to learn you are being considered for the Secretary of Education's post. I also want you to know that I have contacted the White House strongly endorsing your candidacy. I believe that you will make a fine contribution to the nation if called upon to serve in this important position.

With best wishes.

Sincerely,


Lloyd Bentsen