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JAMES R. JONES, M.C. WASHINGTON, D.C.

February 7, 1974

The Honorable James R. Jones U. S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20511

Dear Representative Jones:

History and historians have a way of adding the plus and minus of those who serve our nation in a major capacity. President Nixon will be no exception. Historians will find some negatives in his administration; things that in hindsight could have been done better or differently; but when all the pluses and minuses are tallied, in my opinion the plus factors of the Nixon Administration will far out-weigh the negative factors.

You of all people realize these are critical times, that passion and political expediency is the rule rather than the exception, that many elected and appointed officials are not reacting responsibly. I do hope that you will react as a true Statesman in these times, admit the shortcomings of the Nixon Administration but at the same time point out forcefully and effectively the positive aspects and the accomplishments of the Administration. This is the time to build not destroy. This is the time of positive approach and not constant negativism.

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Support our President.

Sincerely yours,

D.N.(Nick)Pope

February 12, 1974

Mr. Nick Pope National Foundation Life Insurance Company 3535 Northwest 58th Street Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73112

Dear Mr. Pope:

Thank you very much for communicating with me concerning your opinions on the question of impeachment.

After several resolutions of impeachment were introduced last year, the House Judiciary Committee was assigned the responsibility of investigating the facts to determine whether there was evidence to personally implicate the President in an impeachable offense.

A staff was assembled in December to begin this study. It is expected that the Judiciary Committee staff investigation will be completed sometime in April. At that time, the evidence will be presented and a vote taken to determine whether impeachment proceedings should begin or be dropped.

Most House Members, including myself, believe that we should keep an open mind and decide on the basis of the legal evidence which is presented later in the spring.

In the meantime, Congress has a full agenda of important business in the areas of energy, the economy, and other domestic legislation which will occupy my work and attention.

I do appreciate your taking the time to share your views with me, and I will keep these in mind at such time as I am called upon to decide on this issue.

With best wishes, I am

GM Watergate Pope D.N. NIck

Sincerely yours,

JAMES R. JONES Member of Congress