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Memo;

To; President George W. Bush

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Sub: the enclosed letters, and a offer to recruit the Christian Methodist Episcopal Community Development Corporation's, Holly Springs Mississippi Housing development project as a national experimental and demonstration enterprise that will confirm the validity of the Bush Administration's Faith Based Initiative.

Mr. President;

Before proceeding I'll begin the memo by saying that I hope you are enjoying the best of health, finding the challenging of being our President to your liking and experiencing spiritual fulfillment from your work.

Enclosed are three letters. They are dated April 4, 9, and 12. They concern a offer I made at the meeting that was held in the East Room of the White House, on March 29, 2001. The event concerned your administration's Faith Based Initiative. Each letter is self Explanatory.

As you were leaving that meeting I met you just out side the East Room and mentioned the Christian Methodist Episcopal Community Development Corporation, that I have as a Government Relations and Community Affairs Client.

I further indicated that my client had been in existence since the mid-90s, and was in the process of developing a 400 plus unit housing project in Holly Springs Mississippi. As the enclosed letters will indicate. I offered to have the church's leadership come to the white house, and make a presentation demonstrating the process the CME/CDC has used to jump-start the project and keep it alive.

Since the March 29 white house meeting my clients now informed me that Fannie Mae, is exploring the possibility of developing a collaborative agreement with the CME/CDC, that will be innovate; so much so it could have a national impact regarding increased home ownership among moderate and low income residence residing inner city and rural depressed neighborhoods.