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Dear Jim,

It is my pleasure to send the enclosed check, renewing my membership in Team 100. While my schedule has not permitted me to participate in the many fine retreats and events that you have organized, I do feel that I have benefited from Team 100 in the audience it has afforded me with party leaders.

I have been most pleased with the party's apparent shift in wooing, if not yet entirely embracing, the center. I remember quite vividly your comments at our meeting here in New York in which you stressed the need for such a shift. Majority vote is the bottom line in our fine democracy, and without the wholehearted support of our own party's majority, the 2000 election could look grim, indeed, especially if Bradley grabs the Democratic nomination.

Let me once again voice my support for a shift toward center and my hope for the future leadership of Governor George W. Bush.

With best wishes,

Most sincerely,

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