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Office of The Honorable Senator Chuck Hagel

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Stephanie Strategos

Director, External Relations, RNC

RE:

Meeting Week of July 23-27 with Dr. V. Thanh Nguyen

Dr. V. Thanh Nguyen, who has already met with Senator Hagel's staff, would like to request a 15-minute meeting with the Senator, either Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday of next week if that were possible.

Dr. Nguyen has set up a foundation to foster trade and business development between Vietnam and the U.S. as was envisioned in the Vietnam Education Act of 2000, which Mr. Hagel strongly supported. Additionally, he is a Republican leader in the Vietnamese community.

I have attached a copy of the letter sent to Senator Hagel on behalf of Dr. Nguyen in March of this year.

Please let me know if I can provide you with any additional information! Many thanks-

Thank you irradvance for your assistance. At your convenience, please let me know if Schator Hagel is able to participate. I can be reached directly at

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Re:

Dr. V. Thanh Nguyen's request for a meeting with Senator Hagel.

Date:

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Susan enclosed are a bio and letter relating to Dr. Nguyen's interest in a meeting with Senator Hagel. As you can see from the letter, Dr. Nguyen's staff person has already met with Hagel's staff. He would like a 15-minute meeting with Senator Hagel either Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday of next week if that were possible.

Key points on why Senator Hagel should meet with Nguyen:

- 1. He is setting up a foundation to foster trade and business development between Vietnam and U.S. as envisioned in the Vietnam Education Act of 2000, which Hagel strongly supported.
- 2. He runs \$80,000,000 high tech business in Sterling.
- 3. He just contributed \$100,000 to the RNC. Wants to be a Republican leader in Vietnamese community.

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4. May have interest in serving on the board established under Hagel's bill.

Please let me know if you can belp. Thanks.

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