

Senator John F. Kennedy

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And I repeat, that I have, from time to time, actively served in connection with the National Bureau of Standards, both in its Washington and Boulder (Colorado) headquarters. Some years ago I was on the Visiting Committee of the Department of Commerce, and for one year was Chairman of that Committee.

As a final comment, I hope you will appoint an astronomer to any presidential scientific advisory committee. I should be glad to serve, or help in the selection of astronomers and physical scientists.

Thanking you again, and with best wishes for your administration, I am,

Cordially yours,

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