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House of Representatives
Washington, D.C. 20515

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Mrs. Martha Gregory
P. O. Box 2281
Morgantown, West Virginia 26505

Dear Mrs. Gregory:

Thank you very much for your letter of recent date. It was good hearing from you again.

It goes without saying, I agree with you wholeheartedly relative to the "energy crisis" of our Nation.

Almost daily, I have been in contact with the Federal Energy Office officials here in Washington, the Regional Office in Philadelphia, and the State Office in Charleston.

As you may be aware, this week I was successful in having passed by the House the "Emergency Energy Act." I will continue doing everything within my power to be helpful.

I have also noted your sentiments relative to the President. Others have also expressed similar views and this, of course, is presently under consideration by the House Judiciary Committee.

Assuring you of my desire to be of service at all times, and with every good wish, I am

Sincerely yours,

HARLEY O. STAGGERS

P.O. Box 2281
Mgt. W. Va. 26505
Feb 5, 1974
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Dear Mr. Staggers:

I have just put a letter in the Mgt. paper urging every one in the town, county & state to get letters into Washington about this gas mess.

I don't believe there is a gas shortage. I think the oil companies is holding back gas to drive up prices the same as the beef, chicken, eggs & now, wheat people did. They got by with it & now it looks like the gas people are going to get by with it too with the help from Washington.

I hope next election the voters

vote men into office that are interested in running this country for all the people & not just a few.

"The rich get richer & the poor get poorer." "It takes money to make money." Last week \$36 was taken off my husbands pay. My groceries that week was \$38.

You people are voted in by us, paid by us & can be voted out by us.

We want Nixon out. Get on with the gas rationing if necessary & give these truckers a decent deal so they can get back to work. I hope they stay out until Washington hurts.

Martha Gregory