

May 17, 1967

Mr. William G. Kerr
1452 Skirvin Tower Hotel
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73101

Dear Bill:

As Charlie is back in Oklahoma for a few days, I am acknowledging receipt of a copy of your letter addressed to Mr. Joe Paul Hemphill. Congressman Albert has talked with Dr. Rabeau, of the Public Health Service, and has urged Mr. Spaan's selection.

Charlie will be in McAlester the 20th and will see you there.

Warmest regards.

Sincerely,

Michael L. Reed
Legislative Assistant

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May 12, 1967

Mr. Joe Paul Hemphill
Box 119
Wister, Oklahoma 74966

Dear Joe Paul:

Thank you for your letter of the 1st. As we discussed by telephone, I am confident that Mr. Albert's office is doing everything possible to be of assistance to John Spaan concerning his interest in the position of Executive Officer in the Public Health Service office at Oklahoma City.

You were sure throwing a strike with me when you expressed the opinion that our own people should have a crack at these opportunities.

Looking forward to seeing you in McAlester the 20th and in the meantime, you have my best regards.

Sincerely,

William G. Kerr

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cc: Mr. Charlie Ward
c/o Congressman Carl Albert
Washington, D. C.

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