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Elizabeth

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Dear Dick:


Thank you so much for your expression of confidence in me which I assure you I will do all that is humanly possible to justify.

A quick and casual glance suggests that you are being deluged with administrative needs and decisions so monumental that it is taking your valuable time away from the primary function of planning the investigations. May I suggest that my first task be to use my organizational talents to review completely the current situation and give you a full report with suggestions as to how we might simplify and reduce the start-up problems.

Have Carol give me a call if there is anything that you wish me to do in the interim, but otherwise, I look forward to seeing you on December 6.

With all best regards,

Sincerely,



Alvin B. Lewis, Jr.

ABL, Jr.:gm

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Lewis has been a leader in numerous charitable and civic drives in his community. He has served on many community boards of directors including the Lebanon Valley Chamber of Commerce, Lebanon Community Library, American Red Cross, Salvation Army, Lebanon Community Theatre, Zion Lutheran Church, Lancaster Country Day School, and others. In 1964, he was nominated by the Jaycees for the Outstanding Young Men in America. He has also served as a member of the Republican County and Executive Committees since 1959.

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Carol - for
your files. A

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Former Lebanon County district attorney, Al Lewis, Jr., has accepted a top position in the congressional investigation of the Kennedy-King assassinations, it was announced today. "The position presents a tremendous challenge and opportunity to serve our country with the hope that we might solve the many mysteries that remain in these two murders," said Lewis. The former district attorney lost a close and vigorous election to Robert Walker last spring in the race for the Republican nomination to represent the sixteenth district of Pennsylvania in the United States Congress.

Lewis will serve as an assistant to Chief Counsel Richard A. Sprague of the "House Select Committee on Assassinations to reinvestigate the murders of President John F. Kennedy and Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr." Sprague is recognized as one of the outstanding criminal investigators and prosecutors in the nation having served as first assistant district attorney in Philadelphia for many years. Recently, he successfully concluded the prosecution of the Yablonski mine-worker murders in Southwestern Pennsylvania. "I regard Sprague as the finest criminal investigator in the country", said Lewis, "and it will be an honor to serve with him in this vitally important role." To avoid any conflict of interest, Lewis indicated that he has terminated his private law practice, and his former law firm, Lewis, Brubaker and Christianson, will handle his pending cases. He will begin work in Washington on December 6.

Lewis has a long and varied record in criminal investigation, prosecution and the improvement of criminal justice techniques. He

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Dear Dick -

Great seeing you again, today. The investigation is challenging & I would enjoy working with you again.

Three things occurred to me on the way home:

1.) You asked about the corruption issue we raised in the Congressional campaign - enclosed is a copy of press reprints which summarizes it.

2.) Although I have not talked with them, if you want to make a quick personal security check, feel free to call George Joseph (D.A. - Allentown), Roy Zimmerman (D.A. - Harrisburg) or Congressman Bud Shuster (Pa. - 9th).

3.) "Black Caucus" ? - I have had strong black support each time I ran; also, could recommend a great black investigator who might be available.

look forward to hearing from you -
very best regards,

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'Mr. Clean'

Shapp Sidesteps Issues

"HOW IN the world can people in government crack down on crime in the streets if they refuse to crack down on crime in government office buildings?" asked former Lebanon County Dist. Atty. Alvin B. Lewis Jr. as he resigned from the Governor's Justice Commission earlier this month.

It is a good question. The figure is now about 50 persons associated with the Shapp Administration and the Legislature who have been indicted, convicted or charged with crimes recently. In that tally are three cabinet members, one already convicted.

The Governor's response to the problem has been threefold. He maintains, with no evidence to the contrary, that he is in no way involved with the wrongdoers. Like the late Gov. George H. Earle, he stays clean — and like Earle, his Administration could be permanently scarred in the history books.

The second pattern is one of normalcy. For all the indictments and all the uproar — and so soon after Watergate — the Administration keeps its self-control, its cool and a heads-up lack of anxiety. Folks just aren't upset. In fact, in the midst of it all, Atty. Gen. Robert Kane announced a State legal assistance program for officials, which has some merit but is incredibly ill-timed.

And, thirdly, the Governor attacks investigations as "politically inspired." Last week in Pittsburgh he said the Western Pennsylvania federal grand jury is being "used for political purposes," and that former U.S. Attorney and now Deputy U.S. Atty. Gen. Richard L. Thornburgh is interested only "in enhancing his own political future."

OF COURSE Thornburgh could be the next Republican candidate for governor and of course grand juries in the past deliberately or inadvertently served political interests. But the Governor does not seem to exaggerate in this case, and, furthermore, if fighting corruption is good politics, that's just great. Governors like George Leader didn't wait for others to step in when there was a Turnpike scandal.

The Lewis resignation is another case in point. Lewis is in a hard primary fight for the congressional seat for Lancaster, Lebanon and part of Chester counties. But it would be misreading his intentions to charge him with political motivations for quitting the Southcentral Regional Council of the Justice Commission.

LEWIS, A DA for eight years, past president of the Pennsylvania DA Association, a charter member of the Justice Regional Council and once its chairman, has a record too good on anti-corruption to have it smeared by politics. He wants action, but all he gets is frustration.

A federal strike force and an organized effort by county DAs is needed, said Lewis, to root out corruption in high places. Yet inaction is the policy — and maybe the politics. After all, the Administration is docile, the Governor's Justice Commission is headed by his appointed Attorney General. The State Police Commissioner, who would work with local DAs in any massive effort, is under indictment himself.

That is why it is foolish to cry "politics" at every alarm, because it is a charge that has a way of boomeranging.

Finally, a man who's got their attention. A tough... good man to fight corruption for all of us.



AL LEWIS
Congressman

'Increasingly Appalled'

Ex-Lebanon DA Quits Governor's Justice Unit

By JOHN SCOTZIN
Staff Writer

Former Lebanon County Dist. Atty. Alvin B. Lewis Jr., declaring himself "increasingly appalled" with Gov. Milton J. Shapp's approach to the administration of justice in Pennsylvania, has resigned as a member of the Southcentral Regional Council of the Governor's Justice Commission.

"Perhaps my resignation will impress upon you the totality of my revulsion with the path the state administration seems to be traveling," Lewis said in his letter of resignation Thursday to Shapp.

Lewis, who formerly was regional chairman and before that state chairman of the commission's eight regional councils, told The Sunday Patriot-News his decision to quit, after serving eight years, came to a head with the Shapp Administration's firing on Wednesday of Walter M. Phillips Jr. as special prosecutor of corruption in Philadelphia, along with his first assistant, Ben Joseph.

The southcentral council covers Dauphin, Cumberland, York, Lebanon, Perry, Franklin, Lancaster, and Adams counties. The commission, an outgrowth of the original state Crime Commission, is responsible for distributing federal funds under the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968. Most of the grants go to local governmental units to assist in upgrading police forces, the court system, and prisons.

Reminding Shapp that they on occasion had discussed "my belief that our system of justice is simply not working well," Lewis wrote: "My frustrations and distress have become more and more intense with every passing month.

"I cannot condone the firing of an independent special prosecutor.

"I cannot condone the use of state tax dollars for the defense of public officials charged with criminal acts.

"I cannot condone the apparent lack of interest in developing a total pursuit of criminal wrongdoers in our government.

"I cannot condone a criminal justice system which cracks down on the poor and middle class and ignores the important and powerful."

In a telephone interview with Lewis, the newspaper suggested that his letter appeared to allude to Phillips' assertion that one of the principal reasons for his dismissal, ordered by State Atty. Gen. Robert P. Kane, was his effort to investigate several leading state legislators.

"No question about it; that's what I had in mind," Lewis said.

Phillips has confirmed reports he had begun an investigation of House Speaker Herbert Fineman, House Appropriations Committee Chairman Stephen Wodjak and Senate Appropriations Committee Chairman Henry J. Cianfrani, all Philadelphia Democrats.

"I've fought within the system to improve justice for a long time," said Lewis, 43, also a former president of the Pennsylvania District Attorneys Association. "It's very upsetting with me, the situation of Phillips' firing plus the many, many state officials indicted and convicted. Yet the state administration doesn't seem to be paying attention to it."

"The Phillips firing rivals the 'Saturday Night Massacre' during Watergate," Lewis said, referring to the firing of Special Prosecutor Archibald Cox

by former President Richard M. Nixon, which was followed by the resignation of Atty. Gen. Elliott Richardson. "The analogy is the same in Harrisburg."

Lewis' letter continued:

"Governor, perhaps the reasons you appointed me as chairman of the Southcentral Regional Council of the Governor's Justice Commission were your knowledge of my years of service as district attorney of Lebanon County, my previous service as chairman of regional crime commission during the tenure of your predecessor, my past presidency of the Pennsylvania District Attorneys Association, and my chairmanship of all the state regional councils of both crime commission and justice commission.

"If those are not the reasons for my appointment, they certainly are the reasons for my resignation. I am deeply concerned about crime, and most importantly, about justice.

"Of paramount importance in today's society is the cleaning up of our own government. We must root out the corrupt and the corrupters. Only in that way will our government regain the people's confidence. How in the world can people in government crack down on crime in the streets if they refuse to crack down on crime in government office buildings?"

Lewis sent copies of the letter to State Sen. Thomas M. Nolan, D-Allegheny, and State Sen. Richard C. Frame, R-Venango, the Senate majority and minority leaders, respectively, and State Rep. K. Leroy Irvis, D-Allegheny, and State Rep. Robert J. Butera, R-Montgomery, the House majority and minority leaders, respectively — "with whom I have worked over the years and who, I believe, share many of my concerns."

The letter added:

"It saddens me that I must resign my commission; however, it is something which has been building for some time.

"Let my resignation stand as a plea for action. Here me please."

Lewis told a reporter he sent copies to the four legislative leaders particularly because the Legislature will be funding the administration's policy of paying the legal fees for state officials charged with crimes while in office. Kane has defended the policy as "equitable and fair."

"Keeping these people in office while under a cloud, and paying their legal fees, is incredible to me," Lewis added. "It destroys confidence in our entire system of government."

AL LEWIS

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Dear Dick:

Congratulations on your appointment by the congressional investigative committee. It is a great opportunity and I know that you will do an excellent job.

You may have heard that this spring I ran for Congress in the Sixteenth District (Lancaster, Chester, Lebanon) of Pennsylvania and came in a close second in a field of eleven. While it was hard work, the effort was enjoyable. My problem is that I am having trouble settling back into the general practice of law: forming corporations, writing wills, and trying personal injury cases.

Thus, when I heard of your appointment, it occurred to me that you might be searching for a top assistant with strong organizational, investigative and trial experience. There is no doubt that the position would be a tremendous challenge, and knowing you as I do, I am sure we would work well together.

Enclosed is a brief portion of my resume' for your consideration and, if you are interested, I would look forward to renewing our friendship at any convenient time.

I would appreciate your keeping this inquiry extremely confidential, for obvious reasons; you are the only one who knows of it.

Best personal regards,

Sincerely,


Alvin B. Lewis, Jr.

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TO: All Staff Employees
FROM: Budget Officer
DATE: January 3, 1977
RE: Payroll Certification

Starting with the January, 1977 payroll, the certification to the House Finance Office requires, among other things, the relationship, if any, of each staff employee to any current Member of Congress (those taking office January 3, 1977).

The following are the relationships to be included in the certification:

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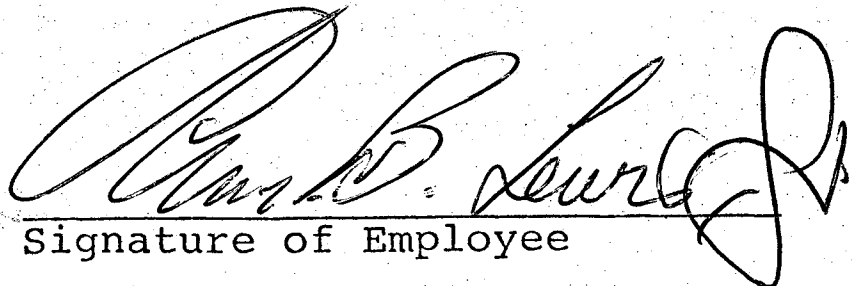
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1/10/77
Date

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To the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

I hereby authorize the following payroll action:

Employee Name (First-Middle-Last)	Effective Date
Alvin B. Lewis, Jr.	5/31/77
Employee Social Security Number	Type of Action
205 26 3536	<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Salary Adjustment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Termination (At close of business on effective date)
Employing Office or Committee	
Assassinations	

(If type of action is an Appointment or Salary Adjustment, complete the following information.)

Position Title	Gross Annual Salary

(If Committee Employee, complete appropriate item below.)

- Standing Committee: Staff— Clerical or Professional.
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- Joint Committee.

(If Employee of an Officer of the House, complete item below.)

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I certify that this authorization is not in violation of 5 U.S.C. 3110(b), prohibiting the employment of relatives.

Date May 10 1977

(Signature of Authorizing Official)
Louis Stokes
(Type or print name of Authorizing Official)
Chairman
(Title—If Member, District and State)

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Chairman, Committee on House Administration

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Employee Name (First-Middle-Last)	Effective Date
Alvin B. Lewis, Jr.	4/1/77
Employee Social Security Number	Type of Action
205 26 3636	<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Salary Adjustment <input type="checkbox"/> Termination (At close of business on effective date)
Employing Office or Committee	
Assassinations	

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Position Title	Gross Annual Salary
	\$47,500

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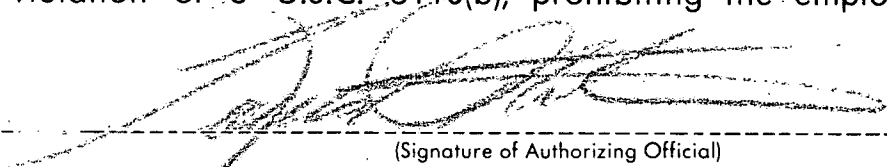
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Alvin B. Lewis, Jr.	2-1-77
Employee Social Security Number	Type of Action
205-26-3636	<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Salary Adjustment <input type="checkbox"/> Termination (At close of business on effective date)
Employing Office or Committee	
Select Committee on Assassinations	

(If type of action is an Appointment or Salary Adjustment, complete the following information.)

Position Title	Gross Annual Salary
	\$20,910.

(If Committee Employee, complete appropriate item below.)

- Standing Committee: Staff— Clerical or Professional.
- Special or Select Committee: Authority—H. Res. 11 of 95 Congress.
- Joint Committee.

(If Employee of an Officer of the House, complete item below.)

Position Number _____ If applicable, Level _____ Step _____

I certify that this authorization is not in violation of 5 U.S.C. 3110(b), prohibiting the employment of relatives.

Date 2-28-77, 19__

Henry B. Gonzalez (Signature of Authorizing Official)

Chairman (Type or print name of Authorizing Official)

(Title—If Member, District and State)

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APPROVED: _____

Chairman, Committee on House Administration

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PAYROLL AUTHORIZATION FORM(Please Use Typewriter
or Ballpoint Pen)**U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**
Washington, D.C. 20515(Any erasures, corrections, or changes
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authorizing official.)**To the Clerk of the House of Representatives:**

I hereby authorize the following payroll action:

Employee Name (First-Middle-Last)	Effective Date
Alvin Bower Lewis, Jr.	1/3/77
Employee Social Security Number	Type of Action
205 26 3636	<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment
Employing Office or Committee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Salary Adjustment
Select Committee on Assassinations	<input type="checkbox"/> Termination (At close of business on effective date)

(If type of action is an Appointment or Salary Adjustment, complete the following information.)

Position Title	Gross Annual Salary
	\$22,100.

(If Committee Employee, complete appropriate item below.)

- Standing Committee: Staff— Clerical or Professional.
- Special or Select Committee: Authority—H. Res. **11** of **95** Congress.
- Joint Committee.

(If Employee of an Officer of the House, complete item below.)

Position Number _____ If applicable, Level _____ Step _____

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Date 77, 1977

(Signature of Authorizing Official)

Henry B. Gonzalez

(Type or print name of Authorizing Official)

Chairman

(Title - If Member, District and State)

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APPROVED: _____

Chairman, Committee on House Administration

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U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Washington, D.C. 20515

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To the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

I hereby authorize the following payroll action:

Employee Name (First-Middle-Last)	Effective Date
Alvin Bower Lewis, Jr.	12/6/76
Employee Social Security Number	Type of Action
205 25 3536	<input type="checkbox"/> Appointment <input type="checkbox"/> Salary Adjustment <input type="checkbox"/> Termination (At close of business on effective date)
Employing Office or Committee	
Select Committee on Assassinations	

(If type of action is an Appointment or Salary Adjustment, complete the following information.)

Position Title	Gross Annual Salary
Staff Counsel	\$34,000

(If Committee Employee, complete appropriate item below.)

1. Standing Committee: Staff— Clerical or Professional.
2. Special or Select Committee: Authority—H. Res. 7540 of 94th Congress.
3. Joint Committee.

(If Employee of an Officer of the House, complete item below.)

Position Number _____ If applicable, Level _____ Step _____

I certify that this authorization is not in violation of 5 U.S.C. 3110(b), prohibiting the employment of relatives.

Date December 6, 1976

(Signature of Authorizing Official)

Thomas N. Downing, Chairman

(Type or print name of Authorizing Official)

Select Committee on Assassinations

(Title—If Member, District and State)

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APPROVED: _____

Chairman, Committee on House Administration

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