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REMARKS: HERE ARE TWO DRAFT LETTERS REGARDING THE  
TRAINING KANOE AND THE MATTER WE DISCUSSED YESTERDAY.  
I AM ALSO FAXING THESE TO DALE TOWELL, AND AM  
SENDING THESE AND OTHER INFORMATION TO YOU BY MAIL  
TODAY AS WELL. HAVE A GREAT EASTER WEEKEND!

*Paul*

Lynn R. Irby, President  
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March 31, 1994

Dear Lynn:

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Thank you for your immediate attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

ERNEST D. ABLES  
President, Idaho Chapter

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