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Chuck:

Thanks for your note of 15 March. I think all three points in it are very well taken and I think you might communicate them to Carver. I know from my own experience that your thought on Long is a good one. As you know, he suffers the disadvantage of being a lame duck since he has announced he will not run, and the next Senator will almost certainly be Inouye. It might be that it would be worth enlisting his support as well as that of Long, and now that Long has retired from the race, they might even be friends. I would suggest on this point that you call Paul Southwick, Long's administrative assistant, a very agreeable and intelligent fellow with whom I have had some business on Okinawa. I would be glad to pitch in when I am back from Paris, but tomorrow my day is going to be too busy for me to do it.

Carl Kaysen