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- Political activity (campaign, national party, state party, political fundraising);
- For-profit activity (paid speeches, books, advisory consulting services);
- Non-profit activity (Clinton Foundation and affiliated entities; other non-profits);
- Former President official activity (U.S. and foreign governments).

This document seeks to identify a paradigm that fits within the best practices frame being developed for the Clinton Foundation through the corporate audit to ensure appropriate distinctions and considerations of appearances and ethics are observed for it and all the entities with which the President is associated (and by all employees/consultants of the Foundation entities). As these boundaries ultimately may find their expression in the codification of a code of a revised ethical conduct for employees/consultants of at least the Foundation entities, the model set forth in this memorandum may need to be modified as the recommendations of the corporate audit are implemented.

The model for how President Clinton might structure support for his activities going forward, consistent with best practices and all parties’ willingness to engage in the selected framework, revolves around the formal delineation of a personal office that supports President Clinton.

Formalization of an Independent Personal Office of WJC (PO)

Currently, the President personally compensates certain employees to perform duties that fall outside of the scope of the Foundation entities’ mission. These employees support the President’s business, personal, former president and political activity, while also providing support for Foundation activity (for which their services are billed to the Foundation).

To bring greater transparency and clear of the lines of accountability, the President can establish an independent personal office. The following positions could be engaged for the office to provide comprehensive support to the President:

- Chief of Staff/CEO
- Director of Advance/Personal Aide
- Director of Communications/Spokesperson
- Director of Correspondence
- Director of Operations/Personal Assistant
- Director of Scheduling
- Director of Speechwriting
The PO would serve as the nucleus of decision-making for the overarching allocation of WJC’s time – Foundation/Non-Profit Activity, Former President, Political Activity, For-Profit Activity and Personal Activity. Ideally, the PO and its associated staff also would be physically separated in location from other WJC-related entities (e.g., the President’s personal office could be located in Harlem; the Foundation entities could be located at Water Street). Assuming these employees are compensated solely by the President, they may engage in any activity in support of his activities. They would be tasked to act in direct support of the President, with the management and implementation of decisions related to, for example, the Foundation entities addressed by the CEO or COO of the respective entity. PO employees would serve, on behalf of the President, as liaisons and facilitators for the accountable decision-maker of each activity area as well as a clearing house for decisions that require the President’s time, attention or input.

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