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Mr. Peter Steele
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Dear Mr. Steele:

I am happy to give my opinion regarding a simple and effective economic frame of reference for corporate political action programs.

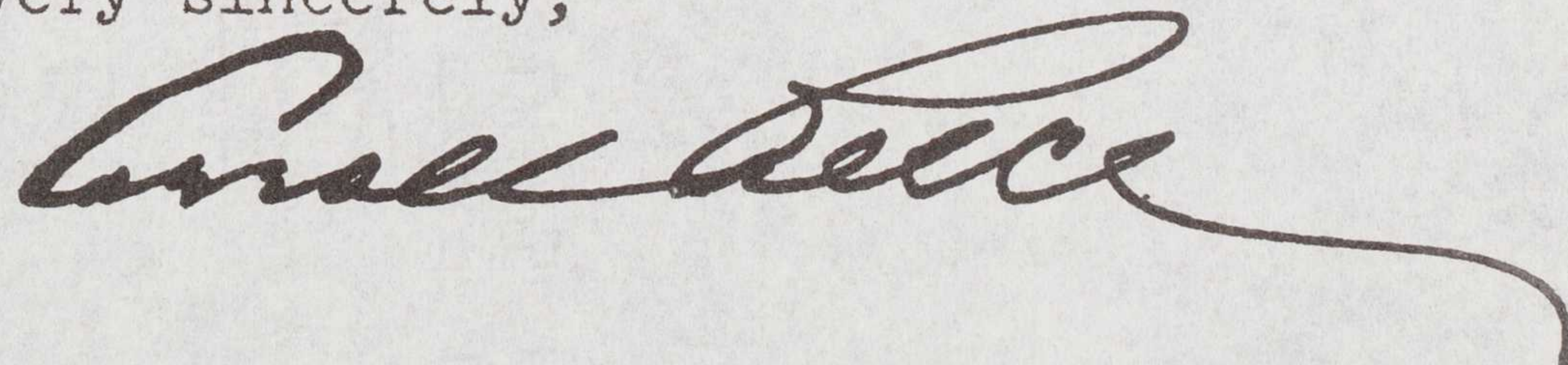
For many years as a conservative, and I hope, objective member of Congress, I have followed the various semantic arguments against centralized government. At the grass-roots level, I know of no more effective, logical, self-evident approach than that of the American Economic Foundation at 51 East 42nd Street, New York City.

The materials of this organization are aimed, persuasively and honestly, at the economic fallacies of the welfare state and the encroachments on individual liberty which are a built-in part of its operation.

As a former college instructor of economics I cannot help but admire the precise expositions contained in two particular publications of the Foundation -- "The Ten Pillars of Economic Wisdom" and the "Twelve Natural Laws Governing Man's Material Welfare".

Were I looking for a safe "common ground" from which to approach non-partisan conservative economic education, this is one place I would not fail to go.

Very sincerely,



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