

September 8th, 1942.

Your Excellency:

The Czechoslovak painter and sculptor Mr. Ivan Šors for whom you sat in 1928, is preparing an exhibition. He would greatly appreciate it if you would give him the opportunity of making a relief of you. For this he would need about two sittings of 30 minutes each.

I know, your Excellency, that your free time is very limited especially now when you have before you a great task to perform in Washington. In spite of this fact, I am turning to you with this humble request of mine so that a Czechoslovak artist who made a picture of your 14 years ago, can today again make a work of art which will be a reminder to our people of your great understanding for our cause during the hardest period of our history.

Respectfully yours,

Karel Hudc,
Consul General.

His Excellency
Herbert H. Lehman,
Governor of the State
of New York,
Albany, N.Y.

