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Q. Is it true that President Nixon owns part of Pepsi-Cola, which is why it is the first foreign soft drink Russia is allowing to be sold there?—Josephine E., Orlando, Fla.

A. Nixon has no stock interest or ownership of any sort in Pepsi-Cola. His good friend and supporter, Donald Kendall, is head of Pepsi-Cola, and no doubt the Nixon-Kendall friendship did not hurt Pepsi in its bid for the Soviet market.