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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 16, 1974

RECOMMENDED PHONE CALL

TO:

Senator George D. Aiken (R-Vt)

RECOMMENDED BY:

Tom C. Korologos

PURPOSE:

To congratulate him on the occasion of his 82nd birthday, which is Tuesday, August 20, 1974.

TALKING POINTS:

- 1. Happy birthday and best wishes for 82 more years.
- 2. I am very sorry to see you going as I begin my new duties. You would have been invaluable to me. Is there any way you would reconsider?
- 3. There are still some tough decisions to be made in this Session of Congress and I look forward to working with you in the short time we have left in the 93rd.
- 4. Give my love and best wishes to Lola.

August 16, 1974

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