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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN AS

#### THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 17, 1974

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

William E. Timmons

SUBJECT:

Congressional Mail

For your information, I am attaching the daily log of Congressional mail received on September 16th.

This mail will be routinely handled by my office.

### Senate

Walter F. Mondale

Urges the President to do everything possible to expedite approval of Minnesota's application for disaster assistance for the farmers who suffered heavy losses due to a cold, wet spring, then a dry summer, and now a killing frost.

Jesse Helms

Recommends that Mrs. Mildred Hodgin be appointed to the Nat'l Credit Union Administration Advisory Board.

William Scott

Recommends that Albert E. Brooke, Jr. be reappointed to the FPC.

Robert Taft

Recommends that Mrs. McKinley Whittlesey be appointed to the National Commission on Diabetes.

Charles McC. Mathias

Requests reconsideration of the decision to impound EPA construction grant funds for sewage treatment facilities; that without expanded and improved sewage facilities, the moratoriums on housing construction in several Maryland counties cannot be lifted.

Philip A. Hart

Conveys the interest of Mrs. Carolyn Hawkins in offering her services in the field of consumer protection.

Jacob Javits

Asks the President to autograph a page from the <u>Daily News</u> that he can frame along with the first page of the original Pension bill.

Edward Brooke Walter Mondale Believe that the number one priority for our SALT negotiators must be the negotation of agreed and effective limits on the first-strike capabilities of the Soviet Union. However, we cannot expect to negotiate such limits without accepting reciprocal obligations ourselves; that without agreed limits on first-strike capabilities, the prospect is bleak for other significant arms control measures such as a comprehensive numerical limit or mutual reductions.

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Paul Fannin Accepts invitation to participate in the

> meeting in Dallas as well as the Summit Conference on Inflation in Washington.

Robert Taft Thanks President for invitation to participate in

the Business and Manufacturing Conference on Inflation and the Summit Conference on Inflation: is looking forward to attending both conferences.

Edward Brooke Sends copy of sermon delivered by Dr. Dana McLean

Greeley which Bertha W. Joslice requested be

forwarded to the President.

Present remarks in the hope that they will lead to Henry Jackson Floyd Haskell

a better analysis of the economic problems we

face and the development of a balanced program which will prevent total economic collapse and move the

Nation into an era of economic well-being.

Recommends that Ernest W. Cooler be appointed Ernest Hollings

to the Advisory Committee for Intergovernmental

Relations.

## House

John H. Buchanan

Conveys the suggestions of Emil Hess

on ways to combat inflation.

Ken Hechler

Strongly urges the President to implement provisions of the Defense Production Act of 1950 to see to it that the producers of canning supplies get top priority on tin and soda ash; points out that there is an extreme scarcity of canning jars and lids.

Dick Shoup

Was shocked about the pardon of former President Nixon; asks what the President's plans are with regard to others that are convicted or indicted in Watergate related matters.

David Satterfield

Hopes the President will accept the invitation to speak at the University of Richmond's 1975 commencement exercises.

John J. Rhodes

Endorses invitation to the President to address the National Cotton Council's convention in Phoenix on Feb 3, 1975.

Donald Brotzman

Encloses correspondence he received from the Hanson Industries, Inc. of Boulder, Colorado, expressing interest in fitting the President and members of his family with the best ski boots manufactured in the world today."

Paul Sarbanes

Asks that the U. S. intercede with the Soviet leaders in behalf of Valentyn Moroz who is imprisoned in the Soviet Union

George Mahon

Conveys the request of "a number of my good Houston friends" that the President reconsider the invitation he declined to attend the Lombardi dinner next January 16.

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William Ford

Says that because of a decision made at the Chicago Regional Office of the Department of Labor, the Detroit Public Schools stand to lose approximately \$2.5 million in Federal funds; requests that the Department of Labor review the decision of its Regional Office with respect to funds authorized by the Emergency Employment Act.

James Quillen

Feels the President did the right thing in pardoning the former President.

Henry P. Smith

Is strongly opposed to reports that the President is considering pardoning all Watergate defendants; feels that pardons should be kept on a case by case basis.

Ralph S. Regula

Sends a resolution that was adopted at a large Greek rally held in Canton, Ohio, at St. Haralambos Greek Orthodox Church on Sept 15, with respect to the Cyprus situation.

Albert Johnson

Recommends that William Irvine be appointed as a member of the Board of Governors of the Postal Service.

Bill Alexander

Believes the President's pardon of former President Nixon before Grand Jury action was premature; "I remain your supporter and friend."

Vernon Thomson

Says: "Non bastardos carborundun! When liberally translated, means "don't let the bastards get you down."

Joseph McDade

Urges that the President instruct the Secretary of Agriculture to hold hearings on the Milk Market Orders in the immediate future, and that he make an immediate public announcement so that the dairy farmers may know of the President's concern for the farmers.

Al Ullman

Forwards letter that is addressed to the President and clippings from W. E. Davis regarding inflation.

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William Lehman

Sends materials to the President which the president of Landowners Conservation and Protective Association requested be forwarded relating to the proposed acquisition of Big Cypress.

Joseph McDade

Urgently requests that the President call a meeting at the White House among the milk producers of the Northeast, Senators Schweiker and Scott, and the Congressman so that the problems of the dairy farmer can be discussed.

Bob Sikes

Urges the President's approval of H. J. Res 910 and asks that an appropriate signing ceremony be held at the White House relating to the designation of the fourth Saturday of September as "National Hunting and Fishing Day."

Ben B. Blackburn

Endorses invitation to the President to speak at the Big Brotherhood Breakfast in Atlanta on Feb 23, '75.

Al Ullman

Believes that clearance must be obtained for neutral identification teams to enter communist zones to visit crash sites and inspect records in Southeast Asia in an effort to obtain a full accounting of American servicemen still listed as missing in action.

Charles Whalen

Endorses invitation to the President from Sister Cities International to participate in ceremonies honoring the 500th U. S. city to develop a Sister City Program.

William Cotter

Concerned by reports that the Soviet Union has not lived up to its 1973 agreement to allow U. S. agricultural experts to inspect the Soviet agricultural supplies; believes it is imperative that the President place an immediate embargo on all grain exports to the Soviet Union until they live up to the spirit and letter of the 1973 agreement.

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Frank Horton Writes in behalf of Darrell Hotchkiss who is

concerned about the fate of Valentyn Moroz, a Soviet Ukrainian political prisoner, and wants the U. S. Gov't to intercede in his

behalf.

Pierre S. du Pont Strongly urges that the President not issue

pardons to the Watergate defendants; thinks the pardon of the former President was also

a mistake.

Manuel Lujan Recommends that Grace Olivarez be appointed

to the Legal Services Corporation Board.

#### THE WHITE HOUSE

#### WASHINGTON

September 20, 1974

## ADMINISTRATIVELY CONFIDENTIAL

MEMORANDUM FOR:

WILLIAM E. TIMMONS.

FROM:

JERRY H

SUBJECT:

Congressional Mail (September 16, 1974)

Your memorandum to the President of September 17 on the above subject has been reviewed and the following notation was made on House, page 1:

George Mahon -- Put into scheduling for review.

Please follow-up with the appropriate action.

Thank you.

cc: Al Haig

Warren Rustand