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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN.

#### THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 24, 1974

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF

SUBJECT:

Congressional Mail

For your information, I am attaching the log of Congressional mail received on December 24.

This mail is being handled routinely by my office.

cc: Don Rumsfeld

#### Senate

Bob Dole

Telegram -- Urges approval of S. 4206, the Dairy bill. "Your approval of this bill will give positive emphasis to realistic cooperation on farm legislation between the executive and the Congress.

Alan Cranston

Forwards letter from Bert Nelson, Track & Field News, who has asked if anything can be done to make it possible for Cuban athletes to compete in the United States.

Ernest Hollings

Urges that action be taken to forestall announced plan to raise cost of food stamps. Believes an increase will have damaging effect on the elderly in view of present inflation.

Milton Young

Urges the President to sign S. 4206, Milk Price Support bill.

Edmund Muskie

Urges that certain impoundments be suspended until the Congress has had an adequate opportunity to examine them. Criteria for action would be in the case of any program in which a pending impoundment has the effect of reducing the present level of Federal support for an ongoing program. Also urges that no additional impoundments be made until the 94th Congress convenes.

John Tower
Paul Fannin
Pete Domenici
John Sparkman
Carl T. Curtis
James A. McClure
James O. Eastland
Clifford P. Hansen
Marlow Cook

Dewey Bartlett
Herman Talmadge
Russell Long
J. Bennett Johnston, Jr.
Roman Hruska
Barry Goldwater
James L. Buckley

Recommend nomination of Albert B. Brooke, Jr. for another term on FPC.

### Senate (continued)

Charles Percy Endorses recommendation of American Bankers

Association that Richard Devereux Hill be named

to National Commission on Electronic Fund

Transfers.

J. Bennett Johnston Endorses candidacy of Judge Maurice B. Cohill, Jr.

to head office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency

Prevention within LEAA.

Charles Percy Brings to President's attention availability of

Thomas M. Gasque for position of Chairman of

NLRB.

Wallace Bennett Advises of telephone call from Patrick J. Healy III,

Executive Vice President of National League of Cities, and Mr. Healy's interest in appointment as Secretary of Housing & Urban Development.

Charles Percy Recommends Mr. Anthony Allen Barnett for

appointment to National Commission on Electronic

Fund Transfers.

John Sparkman On behalf of friends who have contacted him,

recommends Mr. Albert A. Walsh as successor

to Mr. James Lynn, Secretary HUD.

James B. Pearson Telegram- Urges that postpon ment of Motor

Vehicle Safety Stand No. 121, effective Jan. 1, be rescinded. Cites 4 1/2 years of investment in meeting this effective date -- and instability of governmental action calling at last minute

for postporment of standards.

#### House

John Melcher

Telegram -- Urges approval of coal strip mining bill. Willing to meet in Vail to discuss Fort Union coal deposit.

Louisiana
Congressional Delegation
and Governor Edwards

Urge prompt decision as to the level and allocation of food aid during the remaining months of Fiscal Year 1975. The delay in this program is threatening the stability of the United States rice industry and bankrupting many small rice farmers who responded to their government's request for increased production.

John J. Duncan

People of Oak Ridge and Knoxville upset over bill changing name of Oak Ridge National Laboratory to Chet Holifield Laboratory. States this bill was passed without any hearings. "Perhaps something can be done to honor Mr. Holifield later, but urges veto of this bill."

Bill Alexander

Urges decision on level of food aid expenditures this fiscal year. Cites impact on rice farmers who have large residual crop on hand.

Paul Findley

Presents two suggestions for inclusion in the State of the Union Message: 1. announce a plan to prevent famine; 2. issue a call for a new supranational institution. Each of these are outlined in attachments to his letter.

Spark Matsunaga

In support of Dennis Ihara, candidate for a White House Fellowship.

H. John Heinz III

Endorses Judge Maurice B. Cohill for position as Assistant Administrator, Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention for Law Enforcement Assistance Administration.

#### House (continued)

William Armstrong

Urges that representative of small independent bankers be named to National Commission on Electronic Funds Transfer Systems.

Chet Holifield

Submits Government Operations Committee report, "Law Enforcement on the Southwest Border," dealing with problems of coordination between Immigration and Naturalization Service and the Customs Service. Notes that report recommends withdrawal of OMB plan and that the Secretary of the Treasury and the Attorney General be requested to draw up a new plan.

Patsy Mink

Urges approval of H. R. 14214, the Health Revenue Sharing and Health Services Act of 1974.

John P. Murtha

Urges approval of S. 4206, the Milk Price Support bill.

Albert Quie

Urges approval of S. 4206, the Milk Price Support bill.

Gillis Long

Expresses strong disapproval of proposal to raise food stamp price.

Margaret Heckler

Feels that General Brown does not project the moral and ethical standards required of the Nation's leaders. Requests his resignation.

Carl Albert

Endorses appointment of Delos W. Rentzel for appointment to appropriate board or commission. Mr. Rentzel was Nation's first Under Secretary of Commerce for Transportation.

Frank Denholm

Urges approval of S. 4206, the Milk Price Support bill

Jerry Litton

Birthday message for Mrs. Elizabeth Roling who celebrated her 100th birthday on December 12.

### House (continued)

Henry Helstoski

Forwards resolution of the Borough of Lodi, New Jersey, requesting disaster declaration for that area.

John Jarman



Forwards copy of 1898 sheet music, "Will I Find My Mamma There," which carried a handwritten note /s/ Mrs. C.E. Ford. Constituent wishes to know if by chance this might be relative of his stepfather, Mr. Ford.

John B. Anderson

Urges approval of S. 4206, the Milk Price Support bill.

Gene Taylor

Urges approval of S. 4206, the Milk Price Support bill.

#### THE WHITE HOUSE

#### WASHINGTON

January 3, 1975

## ADMINISTRATIVELY CONFIDENTIAL

MEMORANDUM FOR:

MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF

FROM:

JERRY H

SUBJECT:

Congressional Mail (December 24, 1974)

Your memorandum to the President of December 24 on the above subject has been reviewed and the following notation was made:

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John Jarman -- No.

Please follow-up with the appropriate action.

Thank you.

cc: Don Rumsfeld