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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

March 25, 1975

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MEMORANDUM FOR: BRENT SCOWCROFT
FROM: JERRY H. JONES

The following notation was returned in the President's outbox to you:

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Please follow-up with the appropriate action.

Thank you.

cc: Don Rumsfeld