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THE WHITE HOUSE

April 5, 1976

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

RON NESSEN

FROM:

JIM CONNOR

SUBJECT:

Showing of Film 'Midway''

Dick Cheney has asked me to advise you that the decision on Mr. Mirisch's request is that the President would like to see the film and that it should be set up in the residence.

You should work with Bill Nicholson and Terry O'Donnell for an appropriate time and other details.

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March 22, 1976

The President, Gerald R. Ford The White House Washington, D.C.

Mr. President:

It seems like only a short time ago that I had the pleasure of running my film, "Fiddler On The Roof", with you at the Motion Picture Association Theatre in Washington.

Of course, that's been a number of years now but I have only recently completed another film which I think you will also find especially interesting, and which I would very much like to screen for you.

The film is entitled, "Midway", and it is a story told against the background of the great naval battle of World War II. It was filmed with the cooperation of the Navy Department, and it stars Charlton Heston, Henry Fonda, as Admiral Nimitz, Robert Mitchum, as Admiral Halsey, James Coburn, Glenn Ford, Cliff Robertson, and many others. As a World War II carrier naval officer, I think you will derive a great deal of enjoyment from the film, and I hope you can find time in your busy schedule to see it.

If you or your staff will contact me, I will be most pleased to make whatever arrangements are convenient for you to view it.

With my very best regards and all my good wishes to you and Mrs. Ford.

Respectfully yours

WM:jrp

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